

November 26, 1979 #7

Inspection Memo  
to Coal File:

RE: Bear Creek Canyon Portal  
Co-op Mining Company  
Emery County, Utah  
ACT/015/025

The above mentioned operation was inspected on November 14, 1979, by Mary Ann Wright, Joe Helfrich and Tom Suchoski. These personnel were accompanied by Wendell Owen of Co-op Mining Company.

The purpose of this visit was to determine what action was being taken by the mining company. The following areas of concern were discovered.

1. Additional work had been done by the mining company on the access road. The pioneer road which accessed the portal pad was being upgraded.
2. Additional cutting had been done on the portal pad, to facilitate the location of the proposed conveyor.
3. A lower pad had been constructed and three footings had been poured.
4. Stream had been crossed by the use of a French Drain system.

The above information was relayed to the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining and the process for a cessation order under the 1979 State Act was started.

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cc: Don Crane, O.S.M., Region V

Note: For statistics see Co-op memo.

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