



State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

INSPECTION REPORT

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Partial: XXX Complete: Exploration:

Inspection Date & Time: 4/19/2000 / 9:30a.m.-12:30p.m.

Date of Last Inspection: 3/20/2000

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Mine Name: Bear Canyon Mine County: Emery Permit Number: ACT/015/025
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Co-Op Mining Company
Business Address: P. O. Box 1245, Huntington, Utah 84528
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XXX Surface Prep. Plant Other
Company Official(s): Charles Reynolds
State Officials(s): Peter Hess Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: 50's, Partly Cloudy
Existing Acreage: Permitted- 1032.75 Disturbed- 24 Regraded- 0 Seeded- 0 Bonded- 24
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Exploration/ XXX Active/ Inactive/ Temporary Cessation/ Bond Forfeiture
Reclamation (Phase I/ Phase II/ Final Bond Release/ Liability Year)

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
a. For complete inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check N/A.
b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

Table with 5 columns: EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows include: PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE; SIGNS AND MARKERS; TOPSOIL; HYDROLOGIC BALANCE; DIVERSIONS; SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS; OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES; WATER MONITORING; EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS; EXPLOSIVES; DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES; COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS; NONCOAL WASTE; PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES; SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE; CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION; BACKFILLING AND GRADING; REVEGETATION; SUBSIDENCE CONTROL; CESSATION OF OPERATIONS; ROADS; CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING; DRAINAGE CONTROLS; OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES; SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS; AVS CHECK (4th Quarter-April, May, June) (date); AIR QUALITY PERMIT; BONDING & INSURANCE.

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. PERMIT -

Wild Horse Ridge permit application has been addressed by the Division. The Division has sent a TA to the permittee and is anticipating a response by April 24, 2000.

2. SIGN AND MARKERS -

The identification signs at the mine gate was inspected and complied with the R645 Coal Rules.

3. TOPSOIL -

The permittee has five topsoil piles within the permit area.

4a. DIVERSIONS -

The diversions were spot-checked and were functioning as designed. Several diversions were cleaned out since the last inspection.

8. NONCOAL WASTE -

The area was relatively clear of non-coal waste.

14. SUBSIDENCE -

Subsidence was taken for 1999. The report is P.E. certified and is in the Annual Report.

18. SUPPORT FACILITIES -

No new facilities were built since the last inspection.

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Charles Reynolds (Co-Op)

Henry Austin (OSM)

Given to: Pam Grubaugh-Littig (DOGM)

Filed to: Price Field Office

Date: April 19, 2000

Inspector's Signature: _____

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