
UTAH OGM COAL PROGRAM MEETING NOTES

Meeting Date: August 4, 2006

To: Internal File, Bear Canyon, C0150025, Task No. 2526

From: Pete Hess, Environmental Scientist III *PHH by an*

Attendees: Mark Reynolds C.W. Mining,
Steve Falk Bureau of Land Management,
Pete Hess Coal Regulatory Program

Purpose: Discussion on the draft version of a report prepared by Malecki Technologies, Inc., relative to subsidence control and monitoring

MEETING SUMMARY:

At 1 PM on Friday, August 4, 2006, a meeting was held with Mr. Mark Reynolds to discuss the DRAFT version of the report prepared by Malecki Technologies, Inc., which is relative to subsidence control and subsidence monitoring in the new lease acreage area that is being proposed as Task ID # 2526.

Prior to the 8/4 meeting, the Division had identified twelve areas of concern relative to the Malecki report. One area of concern was a statement in the Malecki report that referenced mineable reserves in the Blind Canyon seam. Upon receipt of the initial application, all involved agencies had been told that the new lease addition would only involve mining in two seams, the Tank and the Hiawatha. The Malecki statement only added confusion as well as a request for clarification from the Permittee. Based upon information contained in the R2P2 for this lease addition (which the Division review team does not have) the Blind Canyon reserves that are mentioned in the Malecki report are within the approved Mine permit area.

Several other items within the Malecki report were discussed, and clarification was requested on these. Other deficiencies that had been previously aired within the engineering discipline relative to leases held by C.O.P. Coal Development were discussed, in conjunction with the Permittee's prepared response. The Permittee was given a copy of the 12 comments prepared by the DOGM.

PROPOSED ACTION ITEMS:

Mr. Reynold's indicated that the Permittee's official response would be submitted to the DOGM on August 9, 2006. Same will contain the finalized Malecki Report.