Suzanne Steab - December 2010 Inspection Report

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Attachments: Bear Canyon December 2010.pdf

Attached is the December 2010 inspection report for Bear Canyon.

Thanks,
Karl

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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	**C0150025**
Inspection Type:	PARTIAL
Inspection Date:	Monday, December 13, 2010
Start Date/Time:	12/13/2010 8:30:00 AM
End Date/Time:	12/13/2010 12:00:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Wednesday, November 17, 2010

Inspector: Karl Houskeeper,

Weather: Clear, Temp 40 Deg. F.

InspectionID Report Number: 2594

Accepted by: jhelfric
12/16/2010

Representatives Present During the Inspection:
OGM Karl Houskeeper

Permitee: **CASTLE VALLEY MINING LLC**
Operator: **CASTLE VALLEY MINING LLC**
Site: **BEAR CANYON MINE**
Address: **2352 NORTH 7TH STREET, UNIT B, GRAND JUNCTION CO 81501**
County: **EMERY**
Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**
Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

Current Acreages

10,991.83	**Total Permitted**
40.46	**Total Disturbed**
	Phase I
	Phase II
	Phase III

Mineral Ownership

- [x] Federal
- [ ] State
- [ ] County
- [x] Fee
- [ ] Other

Types of Operations

- [x] Underground
- [ ] Surface
- [ ] Loadout
- [ ] Processing
- [ ] Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

Jaren Jorgensen Castle Valley Mining LLC was present during the inspection.

Inspector's Signature: Karl R. Houskeeper **Date** Monday, December 13, 2010

Karl Houskeeper,
Inspector ID Number: 49

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

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Inspection Continuation Sheet

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

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 Not Applicable.*
   b. *For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.*
2. *Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.*
3. *Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.*
4. *Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.*

	Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale				
2. Signs and Markers	✔		✔	
3. Topsoil				
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	✔		✔	
4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments				
4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures				
4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring				
4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations				
5. Explosives	✔			
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	✔	✔		
7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	✔	✔		
8. Noncoal Waste				
9. Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues				
10. Slides and Other Damage				
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation				
12. Backfilling And Grading				
13. Revegetation				
14. Subsidence Control				
15. Cessation of Operations				
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing				
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls				
17. Other Transportation Facilities				
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations				
19. AVS Check				
20. Air Quality Permit				
21. Bonding and Insurance				
22. Other				

2. Signs and Markers

The mine identification sign is in place at the point of contact to the permit area from public access. The sign contains the required information.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

Several items needs to be removed fro the diversion adjacent to the scale house.