OGMCOAL - 2010 Annual Report

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Subject: 2010 Annual Report
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Attachments: ARLetter.pdf; BearCanyon.pdf

Hello Corey,

Attached is the Cover Letter and 2010 Annual Report Form for Bear Canyon Mine.

Thanks

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January 13, 2011

All Coal Operators

Subject: 2010 Coal Mining Annual Reports for Active and Inactive Coal Mines, Outgoing File

Dear Mine Operator:

Enclosed, please find an electronic Annual Report document. This document is to be used by the operator, and the DOGM staff for reporting and reviewing 2010 information regarding your mine. This Annual Report document must be opened and completed with Adobe **Reader** (http://get.adobe.com/reader). You should be able to Save, and Email the form. When completed, it must be submitted to the Division ***electronically*** either by emailing the form with the associated report documents or by saving the form to a CD.

The 2010 Annual Report form includes entries for regulatory requirements, such as annual impoundment certification; however, many Mining and Reclamation Plans include unique, mine-specific commitments that also must be reported annually. The Division has compiled these commitments for each mine and incorporated them into a 2010 Annual Report form that is distinct for each mine. Both these commitments and the regulatory requirements need to be addressed in the 2010 Annual Report. Also, please be sure to submit the following items as part of the 2010 Annual Report:

1) Raptor and archeology reports marked as confidential and in a separate folder marked confidential (R645-300-124.300);
2) Mine map identifying mining in 2010 as well as the mining proposed for the next five years [PE Certified] (R645-301-512 and R645-301-521); and
3) Notices of Proposed Mining sent to water conservancy districts and all owners and occupants of surface property above the underground workings (R645-301-525.700).

All confidential information should be submitted in a separate file or folder on the disk marked "Annual Report Confidential Information".

Depending on the status of your mine (active or inactive), some of the sections of the annual report may not apply or may not require a response. This will be stated in the report form if this is the case.

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The timeline for the 2010 Annual Report submittal is outlined below.

- The Division will send out 2010 Annual Report forms by January 14, 2011.
- The Operator will submit the required information by March 31, 2011.
- The Division will review 2010 Annual Report information in conjunction with a complete inspection by June 30, 2011. If required information is not included, the Division may initiate enforcement and compliance action.
- If the Division determines that more review is needed of a specific item, the Inspector and Team Lead will comment and forward the 2010 Annual Report to an assigned staff member.
- This additional review will be handled separately, as a Special Project, and completed by September 29, 2011.

If you have any questions, please call me at (801) 538-5325 or James D. Smith at (801) 538-5262.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock

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Permit Supervisor

Enclosure
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