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Re: Pre-treatment water samples

1 message

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Wed, Mar 20, 2013 at 9:38 AM

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Jay, Thanks for the update on this. Rerouting the pipeline sounds like a good idea. We will look forward to getting your amended plans. We will get them reviewed as quickly as we can. Hopefully we can agree on how to best sample the pre treatment water coming from the mine. It sounds like you have a method that you can use for now and I encourage you to continue to sample even though it may not be an approved location at this point. Knowing how the mine discharge is behaving is critical. I am sure your proposed plans will include a method for sampling the pretreatment water.

Best Regards,
Daron

On Wed, Mar 20, 2013 at 5:04 AM, Marshall, Jay <jmarshall@coalsource.com> wrote:

Daron:

Do to circumstances beyond our control the sampling of the pretreated water at Crandall will be suspended until further notice. Both the old sample port and the new sample port locations are impossible to access. The highwall and sample locations have been dangered off as per MSHA requirement We cannot access the area to sample or repair the sample pipes. We will continue to sample the post treatment water as per the MRP requirements to insure proper functioning of the treatment plant.

In the near future you will receive a plan to reroute the mine water pipe around the pond and away from the highwall. This plan will also include a location for a new sample site. By rerouting the pipe and relocating the sample location exposure to the highwall will be minimized. Your expedited review will be appreciated.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter in more detail please give me a call.

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