

December 31, 1984

TO: Coal File, Inspection and Enforcement File
FROM: Barton D. Kale, Mining Field Specialist *BDK*
RE: Southern Utah Fuel Company, Convulsion Canyon Mine,
ACT/041/002, #7, Sevier County, Utah

A partial inspection was conducted on December 14, 1984 by Barton Kale of the Division. The inspector was accompanied by Mike Davis of Southern Utah Fuel Company.

As of this inspection, there had been no change in the situation at the fan site. Straw bales and associated silt fencing are still in place around the drain, protecting the undisturbed drainage from disturbed area condensation from the fan. The operator was informed that he had until the next inspection to improve the situation because the existing setup would not be satisfactory once runoff from snow developed. It was suggested that the fan condensation be treated as it leaves the fan housing rather than let it mix with undisturbed runoff and then treated. The operator acknowledged that it was expected that the situation be improved by the next inspection.

Snow covered most of the minesite at this time and drainages appeared to be functional, although the area was basically frozen.

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cc: Donna Griffin
Mike Davis
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Statistics:

See Sunedco memo dated December 24, 1984
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