



State of Utah
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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

INSPECTION REPORT

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Partial: X Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 11/9/94/12:00pm-7:00pm
Date of Last Inspection: 10/31/94

Mine Name: Convulsion Canyon County: Sevier Permit Number: ACT/041/002
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Southern Utah Fuel Company
Business Address: P. O. Box P, Salina, Utah 84654
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XXX Surface Prep. Plant Other
Company Official(s): Chris Kravits
State Officials(s): Peter Hess Federal Official(s):
Weather Conditions: Clear, Cold
Existing Acreage: Permitted- 17301 Disturbed- 67.8 Regraded-0.5 Seeded- 0.5 Bonded-0.5
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Exploration/ XXX Active/ Inactive/ Temporary Cessation/ Bond Forfeiture
Reclamation (Phase I/Phase II/Final Bond Release/Liability Year)

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

- 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 N/A.
b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

Table with 5 columns: Item, EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows include items like PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE; SIGNS AND MARKERS; TOPSOIL; HYDROLOGIC BALANCE; EXPLOSIVES; DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES; COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS; NONCOAL WASTE; PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES; SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE; CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION; BACKFILLING AND GRADING; REVEGETATION; SUBSIDENCE CONTROL; CESSATION OF OPERATIONS; ROADS; OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES; SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS; AVS CHECK; AIR QUALITY PERMIT; BONDING & INSURANCE.



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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

**2. SIGNS AND MARKERS**

Inspected the four portal breakouts which were the issue of Nov N94-46-2-1 for the installation of the necessary disturbed area perimeter markers. Mr. Mike Davis had informed me that the markers had been installed on 11/3. All areas are adequately marked as required by the R645 regulations. The permittee was in the process of surveying the four surface disturbances for the preparation of the certified maps which must be submitted.

**4c. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES**

The silt fence which is located at the toe of the 4th East portal construction site fan pad was inspected. The fence appears to have the ability to function well. The area does not appear to have recently received precipitation.

**11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION**

Chris Kravits and I traveled to the Wildcat Knolls area to inspect the contemporaneous reclamation which had been completed on the four exploratory boreholes in early October. Unfortunately, the U. S. Forest Service has reclaimed part of the access road to the sites, creating a two mile walk. Although the sites were not visually inspected, Mr. Kravits indicated that all of the barbed wire fencing had been completed and that 197 bales of straw were utilized. Also, all of the seed which was purchased for this job was utilized.

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

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Mike Davis (SUECO)

Bernie Freeman (OSM)

Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGGM)

Filed to: Price Field Office

Date: November 16, 1994

Inspector's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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