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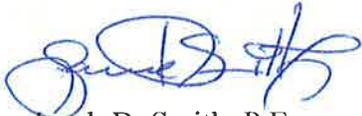
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Dear Program Supervisor:

Enclosed are Quarterly inspection reports for Canyon Fuel Company's SUFCO Mine: Minesite Primary Sedimentation Pond, Minesite Sedimentation Overflow Pond, Waste Rock Disposal Site and the associated Waste Rock Sedimentation Pond.

These certifications are being submitted prior to SUFCO's Annual Report as required by R645-514.

Sincerely,
CANYON FUEL COMPANY, LLC
SUFCO Mine



Jacob D. Smith, P.E.
Technical Services Manager

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cc: DOGM Sediment Pond Inspection File
Amanda Richard

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CANYON FUEL COMPANY - SUFCO MINE

Coal Refuse Pile Quarterly Inspection Report

Inspector Amanda Richard Title Env. Engineer

Date 12/10/15 Permit # ACT/041/002

1. Foundation Preparation (vegetation, topsoil removal?) Yes No

2. Lift Thickness (inches) 18-24''

3. Compaction Yes No

4. Burning (specify extent and location) Yes No

Nothing Observed

5. Angle of Slope (degrees) 26.5 Deg

6. Seepage (specify location, color, & appr. volume) Yes No

Nothing Observed

7. Cracks or Scarps (location and size) Yes No

Nothing Observed

8. Major Erosion Problems (location and extent) Yes No

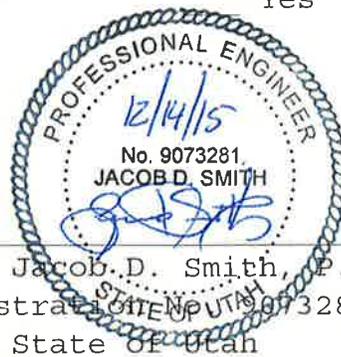
Nothing Observed

9. Water Impounding Against Toe Yes No

Nothing Observed

10. Any appearance of instability, structural weakness or other hazardous conditions Yes No

Nothing Observed



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Rock Waste Sediment Pond Quarterly Inspection Report

Inspector Amanda Richard Date 12/10/15

1. Dam Structural Weakness

A. Cracks or scarps on crest Yes NoNothing ObservedB. Cracks or scarps on slope Yes NoNothing ObservedC. Sloughing or bulging on slope Yes NoNothing Observed2. Major Erosion Problems Yes NoNothing Observed3. Surface Movements of Surrounding Slopes Yes NoNothing Observed4. Visible Sumps or Sinkholes in Slurry Surface Yes NoNothing Observed

5. Clogging

A. Spillway channels and pipes Yes NoChannels and pipes clearB. Decant System Yes NoValve is locked

C. Diversion ditches Yes No

Clear of Debris- Some snow on the slopes of the ditches

6. Seepage (Specify Location, Color and Approx. Volume)

Yes No

Nothing Observed

7. Any appearance of instability, structural weakness, or
other hazardous conditions Yes No

Nothing Observed

8. Other Comments

Some snow on the surface at the Waste Rock site.

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Minesite Primary Sediment Pond Quarterly Inspection Report

Inspector Amanda Richard Date 11/30/15

1. Dam Structural Weakness

A. Cracks or scarps on crest Yes No

Nothing Observed

B. Cracks or scarps on slope Yes No

Nothing Observed

C. Sloughing or bulging on slope Yes No

Nothing Observed

2. Major Erosion Problems Yes No

Nothing Observed

3. Surface Movements of Surrounding Slopes Yes No

Nothing Observed

4. Visible Sumps or Sinkholes in Slurry Surface Yes No

Nothing Observed

5. Clogging

A. Spillway channels and pipes Yes No

No ice/snow or debris blocking spillway channels and pipes

B. Decant System Yes No

Valve is locked

C. Diversion ditches Yes No

Clear of Debris

6. Seepage (Specify Location, Color and Approx. Volume)

Yes No

Nothing Observed

7. Any appearance of instability, structural weakness, or

other hazardous conditions Yes No

Nothing Observed

8. Weir level Yes No

9. Other Comments

Everything seems to operating normal. The Minesite Primary
Sediment Pond is frozen. The primary Sediment Pond will need to cleaned
out once the weather clears up which will be in Spring.

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Minesite Sediment Overflow Pond Quarterly Inspection Report

Inspector Amanda Richard Date 11/30/15

1. Dam Structural Weakness

A. Cracks or scarps on crest Yes No

Nothing Observed

B. Cracks or scarps on slope Yes No

Nothing Observed

C. Sloughing or bulging on slope Yes No

Nothing Observed

2. Major Erosion Problems Yes No

Nothing Observed

3. Surface Movements of Surrounding Slopes Yes No

Nothing Observed

4. Visible Sumps or Sinkholes in Slurry Surface Yes No

Nothing Observed

5. Clogging

A. Spillway channels and pipes Yes No

No ice/snow or debris blocking spillway channels and pipes.

B. Decant System Yes No

Valve is locked

C. Diversion ditches Yes No

Clear of Debris

6. Seepage (Specify Location, Color and Approx. Volume)

Yes No

Nothing Observed

7. Any appearance of instability, structural weakness, or

other hazardous conditions Yes No

Nothing Observed

8. Weir level Yes No

9. Other Comments

Everything seems to operating normal. The Minesite Sediment
Overflow Pond is frozen.
