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## Seneca II-W Mine, C-1982-057, 4th Quarter 2016 Pond Inspection Report Review Letter

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To: Brian Watterson <BWatterson@peabodyenergy.com>

Wed, Feb 22, 2017 at 10:01 AM

Good morning Brian,

Attached is the Division's review of the 4th quarter pond inspection report associated with the Seneca II-W Mine.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments.

Thanks,  
Jason

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Brian Watterson  
Peabody Energy, LLC  
29515 Routt County Road #27  
Oak Creek, CO 84607

RE: Seneca Property, LLC, Seneca II-W Mine, Permit C-1982-057  
Fourth Quarter 2016 Pond Inspection Report Review

Dear Mr. Watterson:

### Fourth Quarter 2016 Pond Inspection Report Review

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (CDRMS) has reviewed and found the above referenced report to be in compliance with the following CDRMS regulation(s):

4.05.9(17) - Examined at least quarterly by a qualified person designated by the operator, for appearance of structural weakness and other hazardous conditions.

4.05.9(17) - A copy of the report shall be submitted to the Division on a quarterly basis.

The fourth quarter pond inspection report was received by the Division on February 8, 2017 via email. Pond inspections were conducted by WWC Engineering on October 3 and 4, 2016.

It is noted that ponds 006, 008, 015, 016, and 017 were discharging at the time of the inspections. Completed maintenance items included the application of bentonite to the flume at Pond 016. Potential maintenance items include a slump above Pond 006 that is currently not affecting the pond. The Division has no adequacy comments concerning this report.

If you have any questions feel free to contact me. (303) 866-3567 ext 8134

Sincerely,

Jason Musick  
Environmental Protection Specialist

