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Review: Sediment Pond Reports 2023 Q4

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To: "Kawcak, Miranda" <MKawcak@peabodyenergy.com>, Robin Reilley - DNR <robin.reilley@state.co.us>

Good Morning Miranda,

Thank you for the timely submission of the 2023 Q4 Sediment Pond Reports for the Williams Fork, Yoast and Seneca IIW mine sites. Please find DRMS's reviews of Sediment Pond reports.

The Division has no concerns at this time.

Thank you

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**Review_Ponds_2023_Q4_Yoast.pdf**

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31 January 2024

Miranda Kawcak
Environmental Manager
Peabody, Colorado Operations

Re: Seneca II West (Permit No. C1982057)
Review Impoundment Report 2023 Q4

Dear Ms. Kawcak:

Thank you for your timely submittal of the 2023 quarter four pond reports for the Seneca IIW Mine. The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (The Division) received the above referenced reports on 23 January 2024. Sediment pond inspections were conducted by Jason Herden of Seneca Coal Company on 6 November 2023. The report complies with the applicable sections of Rule 4.05.9.

The following ponds were discharging at the time of inspection:

<i>Pond</i>	<i>Gallons per Minute (gpm)</i>
006	35.9
015	1.2
016	25.2
017	2.1

Stock Tank T-3 held water. Sediment levels were acceptable, and no maintenance items were identified.

The following structures have achieved bond release:

- Ponds 005, 009,
- Stock Tanks T-1, T-5, T-18, T-20, T-22, T-24, T-25, T-26 and T-27

Monitoring items comprise a known slump at Pond 006, a spring near the Pond 005 dam, and an occasional seep at Pond 016. DRMS understands that Seneca Coal Company monitors these items on a regular basis.

Sincerely,

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