

MEMORANDUM

TO: Steve Frost, Coal Geologist, NMBMMR

FROM: H. B. Nickelson, Mining Geologist, Consultant, NMBMMR

SUBJECT: Reclamation evaluation for OSM, Gallup Field, Gallup West,
Carbon Coal Company Test Pit

Test Pit 1100' NL, 3200' EL, 14-15-19, Location 19

Carbon Coal Company bulldozed a trench on a bed of coal and mined some of it for a test sample. Some water stands at the bottom of the pit due to the very wet year. No reclamation is needed as the Company will undoubtedly strip the area in the future. The coal bed is or will be covered.

A photo was taken:

G-13-8 A coal pit opened by Carbon Coal Company for a bulk sample. The pit bears S. 35° W.

No reclamation is necessary.

H. B. Nickelson



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