



Department for Surface Mining
Reclamation and Enforcement

Reclamation Advisory Memorandum

From: Elmore C. Grim, Commissioner *E.C.G.*

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Subject: Clarification of procedures for the submission of technical data related to Priority 1 "transitioned" comprehensive applications. **RAM# 60**

Applicants have a maximum of 10 working days to submit corrections and/or additional information to the Division of Permits after receiving letters addressing initial completeness. Obviously, applicants receiving such letters during the latter part of February will not be able to meet the March 1, 1983 target date. Examples of submission procedures are as follows:

Example No. 1: If Applicant received the initial completeness review letter on February 1, 1983, corrections pertaining to initial completeness needed to be submitted by February 15. Technical data needs to be provided not later than March 1, 1983.

Example No. 2: If Applicant receives the initial completeness letter on February 25, 1983, corrections pertaining to initial completeness, as well as the required technical data, need to be submitted not later than March 11, 1983.

Example No. 3: If Applicant receives the initial completeness letter on March 7, 1983, corrections pertaining to initial completeness, as well as the required technical data, need to be submitted not later than March 21, 1983.

The Department is aware that there may be circumstances which would dictate the need for a reasonable extension of the 10 working day period. If this is the situation, the applicant should request, in writing (prior to the expiration of the time period), an extension of time from the Director, Division of Permits. The written request must explain the need for such an extension.

In order to assist those individuals scheduled to submit technical data on or before March 1 (Example No. 1), and to provide the maximum and most efficient service possible to the industry, the Department has reserved the main auditorium located on the ground floor of the Capital Plaza Tower in Frankfort for industry representatives to use in compiling their technically complete applications. The auditorium will be available for use from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. February 28th, and from 8:00 a.m. until 10:30 p.m. March 1, 1983. All times are Eastern Standard Time (EST). Personnel from the Department will be available for assistance.

Please note, since OSM no longer requires a copy of the application, only an original and two copies need to be submitted. If the applicant desires to have a copy returned to him after review by the Department, he should submit one additional copy.