



Kentucky
Department for Surface Mining
Reclamation and Enforcement

Reclamation Advisory Memorandum

From: C. Thomas Bennett, Commissioner

Date: March 25, 1988

Subject: Newspaper Advertisements: Notices of Intention
to Mine for Amendments and Major Revisions

RAM# 94

Attached for your information and use are revised formats for newspaper advertisements of Notices of Intention to Mine for permit amendments and major revisions. The new advertisements are similar to the previous advertisements for amendments and major revisions as set forth in RAM No. 50 (Oct. 26, 1982), with the following exceptions:

- The word "Revision" or "Amendment," as appropriate, has been added to the subheading to better identify the type of application.
- The location information should be relative to the areas affected by the amendment or revision.
- Advertisements for amendments and major revisions are no longer required to identify surface owners in the entire permit area. For amendments and major revisions, surface owners are required to be identified only in the new area proposed to be added by the amendment or revision, or in those areas within the existing permit area which will actually be affected by the proposed change.
- The new mailing address of the Division of Permits is shown.

The highlighted information on the attached format sheets shown in boldface and enclosed in parenthesis, e.g. (**company name and mailing address**), is to be inserted by the applicant as appropriate. Of course, this information is not required to appear in boldface type or in parenthesis in the actual published advertisement.

Information shown in boldface and enclosed in brackets, e.g. [**and underlie an additional (no.) acres**], is to be inserted by the applicant only when it is applicable to the type of mining in the proposed amendment or major revision. In this example, the bracketed information would be inserted in the advertisement only for underground mining or auger mining. Boldface type and brackets would not appear in the actual published advertisement.

As before, the publisher should insure that the notice is clearly legible and that the heading "Notice of Intention to Mine" is a minimum of ten (10) point, bold face, all capitals type. All other requirements and guidance for advertisements also remain the same, as set forth in 405 KAR 8:010, Section 8 and 405 KAR 8:030/:040, Section 10; and in RAM Nos. 90, 88, 83 and 50.

If you have any questions about these new formats, please contact the Regional Offices, or Fred Kirchhoff at the Division of Permits in Frankfort at (502) 564-2320, ext. 664.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number (no.), Revision

(1) In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that (company name and mailing address) has filed an application for a major revision to an existing (surface/underground) coal mining and reclamation operation. This major revision proposes to add an additional (no.) acres of surface disturbance [and underlie an additional (no.) acres] for a total proposed permit acreage of (no.) acres located (no.) miles (direction) of (community name) in (name) county.

(2) The proposed major revision area is approximately (no.) miles (direction) from (road) junction with (road) and located (no.) miles (direction) of (nearest stream and/or local landmark). The latitude is (degrees-minutes-seconds). The longitude is (degrees-minutes-seconds).

(3) The proposed major revision is located on the (name) U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected by this major revision is owned by (surface owners' names). [The proposed major revision will underlie land owned by (owners' names)].

(4) This major revision proposes (brief description of revision).

(5) The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's (name) Regional Office, (mailing address). Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application Number (no.), Amendment

(1) In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that (company name and mailing address) has filed an application for an amendment to an existing (surface/underground) coal mining and reclamation operation. This amendment proposes to add an additional (no.) acres of surface disturbance [and underlie an additional (no.) acres] for a total proposed permit acreage of (no.) acres located (no.) miles (direction) of (community name) in (name) county.

(2) The proposed amendment area is approximately (no.) miles (direction) from (road) junction with (road) and located (no.) miles (direction) of (nearest stream and/or local landmark). The latitude is (degrees-minutes-seconds). The longitude is (degrees-minutes-seconds).

(3) The proposed amendment is located on the (name) U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed by this amendment is owned by (surface owners' names). [The proposed amendment will underlie land owned by (owners' names)]. [The operation will use the (contour, mountaintop removal, auger, area, or combination) method of surface mining].

(4) The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's (name) Regional Office, (mailing address). Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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