

MINING INSPECTION REPORT

FIRM NAME AND WORKPLACE

Curragh ResourcesCaron diamond drilling co Ltd.diamond drilling operationsFaro, Yukon

During inspection of these operations the following infractions or hazards were observed:

- 1) Floor inside the diamond drill was slippery in contravention of section 22 (2) G.S.R. Clean and spread non-slipping material on the floor.
- 2) Rotating pump ~~apron~~ shaft was not guarded in contravention of section 82 G.S.R. Install guards.
- 3) First-aid supplies & blankets were not available at the diamond drill site in contravention of section 4 F.A.R. Bring first-aid kit & blankets.
- 4) A radio equipped vehicle capable of transporting an injured person must ~~now~~ be provided at the diamond drill site in accordance with section 10 F.A.R.
- 5) Light bulbs in the diamond drill shack were not protected against being hit in contravention of section 2(6) O.H.R. Install bulb protectors.

note: diamond drill was in the process of moving at the time of inspection. all items mentioned above must apply to ~~new~~ location.

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*E. Caron Diamond Drilling Ltd
Dy Area (Curragh Resources)
northeast of Faro, Yukon*

During inspection of these operations the following infractions or hazards were observed:

The two diamond drills at this site are to be closed down. Rig CH-1 and west drill 60 are the identifiers. The safety infractions noted below are to be complied with prior to drilling operation resuming.

- ① There is no one on either rig with first aid certification and there is only one tiny first aid kit on #60 drill contrary to table 3 of the First Aid Regulations. There is to be someone with a valid Standard First Aid ticket at or near the rigs and each rig is to have at least a #2 unit kit and 3 blankets.*
- ② Between the 2 rigs there are about 12 propane cylinders without regulators contrary to section 4(2) of General Safety Regulations. Install regulators on all the cylinders.*
- ③ All the above cylinders are free standing contrary to section 14 of the Occupational Health Regulations. Tie the cylinders to keep them from falling and put caps on unused ones.*

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- ④ There are no guards on the pressure pumps on either rig contrary to section 82 (1) of General Safety Regs. Install guards on the reciprocating couplers.
- ⑤ There are numerous rigging problems - cable clamps on backwards, only one clamp instead of two, opened eyes, contrary to section 32(2) of General Safety Regs. Repair opened eye, install clamps correctly.
- ⑥ The light bulbs in both drills do not have covers over them, contrary to section 2 (6) of Occupational Health Regulations. Install guards over all the lights.
- ⑦ ~~low~~ The Petter ^{pump, R12} generator on CHD-1 does not have guards on the crankshaft, contrary to section 82(1) of General Safety Regulations. Install guards on the shaft (ensure similar unit on #60 drill has guards).
- ⑧ Access to both rig floors is not good - it is slippery sloped and low, contrary to section 34 of General Safety Regs. Improve the steps.
- ⑨ Propane cylinders are inside warm area alongside a tiger torch. Move the cylinders away from the heat.
- ⑩ All workers on the rig floor are to be wearing hard hats and hearing loss protection. Some weren't, contrary to sections 8 (1) and 14 of General Safety.
- ⑪ Provide OHS with plan to provide transportation for an injured worker from the site.

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