

**ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR MINOR REVISION
COAL AND URANIUM PROGRAM
MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

COMPANY NAME: Western Energy Company

DATE: September 9, 2013

PERMIT#: C1985003C

REVISION NO: MR99

LOCATION: Area C Permit Area

Type and Purpose of Action:

The permittee proposes to add non-treated wood, wooden pallets, and concrete to the list of material which may be disposed of in the mine pits.

Potential Impacts and Mitigation Measures:

All materials disposed of in the mine pits will be placed at least 25 feet above the post mine water table and 8 feet below the post mine surface. Because of this and the generally inert nature of the waste proposed for disposal no impacts are anticipated.

Alternative Actions:

No alternative actions are required or were considered.

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