



**Province of British Columbia  
MINISTRY OF ENERGY, MINES AND  
PETROLEUM RESOURCES**

**Mining & Mineral Division**

**Report of Inspector of Mines**

**(Issued pursuant to Section 15 of the *Mines Act*)**

Inspection No.: 15752.0  
 File: 18080-02-09  
 Mine No.: 0800106  
 Permit No.: G-8-74  
 Emp/Cont: 0.0 / 0.0  
 Orders H&S: 0.0 RECL: 2.0  
 Stop Work: 1

**Inspection Report**

NAME OF MINE	Mostad Pit	LOCALITY	48.796, -123.494, 092B/14W Salt Spring Island
OWNER/OPERATOR	Hedgehog Bulldozing and Excavating Ltd.	ADDRESS	124 Lee Road Salt Spring Island BC V8K 2A5
MANAGER	Laurie Hedger	AREAS INSPECTED	Pit and Waste Transfer

**Persons Contacted**

MANAGEMENT Laurie Hedger  
 OHS COMMITTEE  
 WORKERS

A copy has been forwarded to the Joint Occupational and Safety Committee and the union as applicable. The Mine manager shall complete the right hand column noting specific corrective actions taken by a specified date, and return a copy to the Inspector within 15 days of receiving the report. Further, the manager shall post a copy to the bulletin board, to be replaced by a copy showing the manager's response. In this document, Code means Health, Safety and Reclamation Code for Mines in British Columbia.

**INSPECTION ORDERS**

The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether mining boundaries are clearly marked and that only mining activities are carried out within the mine excavation area. Section 27 of the Mines Act requires each mine manager keep an accurate mine plan on site.

During the inspection, it became obvious that there is no discernable boundary between mining and waste transfer/storage at this mine excavation site. Waste transfer/storage activities are occurring on an upper mining bench, on a mid-level mining bench and on the pit floor. Only the upper, northern reaches of the mine have been reclaimed to an acceptable final slope and vegetated. Waste transfer/storage is occurring in areas of the mine that have not been reclaimed.

**MANAGERS RESPONSE OF ACTION TAKEN**

***DO NOT MODIFY THIS TEXT***

Ian Webster P.Geol.

Inspector of Mines

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Address

Signature – Inspector of Mines

Signature – Manager

Date of Inspection: 06/11/2008

Copies To Mike Olsen

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

INSPECTION ORDERS	MANAGERS RESPONSE OF ACTION TAKEN
<p>Mining operations shall cease until an acceptable new mine plan, including plan maps and sections, is received and approved.</p> <p>All waste transfer/storage activities and materials shall be removed from what is clearly a mine excavation area by January 8, 2009.</p>	