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July 25, 1995

SECRETARY OF LABOR, : CIVIL PENALTY PROCEEDINGS

MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH

ADMINISTRATION (MSHA), : Docket No. KENT 95-1

Petitioner : A. C. No. 15-04455-03529

V.

: Docket No. KENT 95-2

DEBY COAL COMPANY, INC., : A. C. No. 15-04455-03530

Respondent :

: Prep Plant

DECISION APPROVING SETTLEMENT

Before: Judge Weisberger

These cases are before me upon a petition for assessment of civil penalties under Section 105(d) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 (the Act). Petitioner has filed a motion for settlement asserting that the subject 104(b) orders should be vacated, and that no penalty should be assessed for the subject 104(a) citations. I have considered the representations and documentation submitted in this case, and I conclude that the proffered settlement is appropriate under the criteria set forth in Section 110(i) of the Act.

WHEREFORE, the motion for approval of settlement is **GRANTED**, and it is **ORDERED** that these cases be **DISMISSED**.

Avram Weisberger Administrative Law Judge

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