(b) Any stream channel diversion shall comply with §816.43 of this chapter.

(c) Drainage from any disturbed area related to the coal preparation plant shall comply with §§816.45 through 816.47 of this chapter, and all discharges from these areas shall meet the requirements of §§816.41 and 816.42 of this chapter and any other applicable State or Federal law.

(d) Permanent impoundments associated with coal preparation plants shall meet the requirements of §§816.49 and 816.56 of this chapter. Dams constructed of, or impounding, coal processing waste shall comply with §816.84 of this chapter.

(e) Disposal of coal processing waste, noncoal mine waste, and excess spoil shall comply with §§816.81, 816.83, 816.84, 816.87, 816.89, and 816.71 through 816.74 of this chapter, respectively.

(f) Fish, wildlife, and related environmental values shall be protection in accordance with §816.97 of this chapter.

(g) Support facilities related to the coal preparation plant shall comply with §816.181 of this chapter.

(h) Roads shall comply with §§816.150 and 816.151 of this chapter.

(i) Erosion and air pollution attendant to erosion shall be controlled in accordance with §816.90 of this chapter.

(j) Reclamation shall follow proper topsoil handling, backfilling and grading, revegetation, and postmining land use procedures in accordance with §§816.22, 816.100, 816.102, 816.104, 816.106, 816.111, 816.113, 816.114, 816.116, and 816.133 of this chapter, respectively.


(a) Persons operating or who have operated coal preparation plants after July 6, 1984, which were not subject to this chapter before July 6, 1984, shall comply with the applicable interim or permanent program performance standards of the State in which such plants are located, as follows:

1. If located in a State in which either interim or permanent program performance standards apply to such plants, the applicable program standards of the State program shall apply;

2. If located in a State with a State program which must be amended in order to regulate such plants, the performance standards specified in §827.12 shall be applicable to the operation of such plant instead of those specified in paragraph (a) of this section.

(b) After a person described in paragraph (a) of this section obtains a permit to operate a coal preparation plant, the performance standards specified in §827.12 shall be applicable to the operation of that plant instead of those specified in paragraph (a) of this section.

§828—SPECIAL PERMANENT PROGRAM PERFORMANCE STANDARDS—IN SITU PROCESSING

§828.1 Scope.

This part sets forth special environmental protection performance, reclamation and design standards for in situ processing activities.

§828.2 Objectives.

This part is intended to ensure that all in situ processing activities are conducted in a manner which preserves...