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## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** October 29, 2007  
**TO:** The Missouri Land Reclamation Commission  
**FROM:** Mike Larsen, Chief; Projects and Inspection Unit (*original signed by Mike Larsen*)  
**SUBJECT:** Coal Bond Forfeiture Responsibility Release Request

The Land Reclamation Program's bond forfeiture staff have evaluated and completed work on the following former coal mine site during the past two months and is presenting it to the commission for their release consideration. This is a company which has undergone permit revocation and bond forfeiture by the commission in the past. The work of final reclamation and release now rests with the program to complete.

The below site has been reviewed jointly with the Office of Surface Mining and, in addition, all current landowners of record have been notified that this site is to be recommended for complete and final release at this meeting of the Land Reclamation Commission. As of the date of this memo, no comments or objections have been received.

<u>Company Name</u> (Forfeiture site)	<u>Mine</u>	<u>Permit #</u>	<u>Release Acres</u>
Bill's Coal Co.	Fort Scott Mine	1981-04	125.0 acres (Holmes property)

### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

It is the recommendation of the program's bond forfeiture staff that, as all necessary reclamation work has been accomplished, the Missouri Land Reclamation Commission release the state from all further responsibility for the former coal mine site listed above.