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Land Reclamation Division
Operator Memorandum 2014-04

To: All Coal Mine Operators/Consultants

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From: Scott K. Fowler, Supervisor
Land Reclamation Division

Re: Reporting of Affected Acreage, FY14

At this time the Department is extending the deadline for FY14 affected acreage reporting until Wednesday, December 31, 2014. The current Affected Acreage form (SCML-3) can be found on the Department's operator forms and applications web page, www.dnr.state.il.us/mines/lrd/forms.htm.

All operations having areas not yet reported as affected but permitted must complete and submit an affected acreage report for each of its permits, regardless of the number of acres affected. A map indicating the areas and number of acres affected must accompany the report for those permits declaring any acres affected for FY14. For requirements of reporting affected acreage please refer to 62 Ill Adm. Code 1816/1817.190.

Operations to be reported are:

Surface affected - areas for support facilities/infrastructures, and
Mined overburden - for overburden placement and auger mining areas.

Areas re-affected (affected in a previous reporting period and again for the current period) should be included in the totals above, and on page two under the **Reaffected Acreage** section.

Affected Acreage reports and maps shall be submitted as outlined in Sections 1816/1817.190 and mailed to:

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If you have any questions concerning the reporting requirements, please contact your Land Reclamation field inspector or Jim Schafer of our Springfield office.