

December 18, 2015 Laydown spill

Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted December 18th, 2015 by Agnico Eagle Meadowbank division. This detailed report is submitted to the Inspector in compliance with the conditions under the Nunavut Water Board License 2AM-MEA1525, Part H, Item 8b.

Cause of Spill

When a warehouse operator entered the c-can to get a drum of Endurex EP150 oil for delivery for use on site, he noticed that one drum was empty and some spilled oil was visible on the floor. After investigation, it was found that the drum was probably punctured in a previous handling of the material inside the c-can without being noticed. Puncture occurred when the forks of zoom-boom went through drums that were behind the ones being handled.

