



June 12th, 2016 BAC 10 oil spill

Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted June 13th, 2016 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 8c.

Spill Description

On June 12th, during operations at Vault, an o'ring broke on Backhoe #10, causing hydraulic oil to be spilled on the ground.

There were no off site impact or discharge to any receiving watercourses.

Spill location: Northing: 65'04'20" Easting: 96'00'17"

Cause of Spill

Mechanical failure as the o'ring broke.

Remediation Actions

The machine was turned off and the spill contained with absorbent pads. The contaminated pads were sent to the HAZMAT area and the contaminated soil excavated and disposed at the landfarm. An estimated volume of 8m³ of contaminated material was collected.



Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at the Meadowbank on June 12th, 2016 and the cleanup activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

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