



October 19th, 2016 RBD 03 oil spill

Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted October 19th, 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 October 19th, during operations at Pit E, a loose fitting caused by vibration was leaking while the drill was on standby, when it was called to the shop drill operator went to move drill to the tow haul and noticed the spill.

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

Spill location: Northing: 65'01'49" Easting: 96'02'58"

Cause of Spill

The spill was caused by a loose fitting on a hydraulic hose



Remediation Actions

The machine was stopped immediately. Mechanic came and tightened the fitting. Absorbent pads were put on the oil to absorb as much as possible. These pads were brought to the HAZMAT area and a loader collected the contaminated soil and brought it to the landfarm.

Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at the Meadowbank on October 19th, 2016 and the cleanup activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

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