

# 2019-07-10 MBK 150 Liters Hydraulic Oil

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Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report (2019-276) submitted July 10, 2019 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-MEA1526, Part H, Item 8c.

## **Spill Description**

During operations at Pit E in Meadowbank, a hydraulic fitting on drill RBD06 failed causing a spill on the drill pattern.



Location Coordinates of the spill: Northing 65°00'49.1", Easting 96°03'08.7" on IOL

There were no off site impact or discharge to any receiving watercourses. The distance to the closest lake is estimated at 500 meters.

# Cause of Spill

Broken hydraulic fitting on drill RBD06.

#### **Remediation Actions**

The drill was stopped and absorbent pads were put on the ground. Once the fitting was replaced, the drill was moved and the absorbent pads were picked up and brought to the Hazmat storage area. The spill occurred on a blast pattern which will be collected and processed through the mill.

#### Corrective measures

The hydraulic system is inspected as part of the preventive maintenance program done on site. Pre-operation checks also include visual inspection of the equipment.

### Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at the Meadowbank site on July 10, 2019 and the cleanup activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

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