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Reportable Spill at Meadowbank Complex - 2023-02-06_MBK_9m3_Tailings

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Wed, Feb 8, 2023 at 10:22 AM

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Good morning Kyle,

Thanks for providing the spill #. Response to your comments are listed below in red.

Please don't hesitate to call or email if you have any questions.

Regards,



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From: Amsel, Kyle <Kyle.Amsel@rcaanc-cirnac.gc.ca>

Sent: Wednesday, February 8, 2023 8:50 AM

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Reportable Spill at Meadowbank Complex - 2023-02-06_MBK_9m3_Tailings

CAUTION: EXTERNAL

Good morning Tom.

Spill number 2023-042 has been assigned this spill. Please provide an answer to the below questions:

- Where does water report to from this area? **Water in this area would report to the TSF (Tailings Storage Facility).**
- Runoff from this site, how is it managed? (Eg, is the water recycled through the mill, or otherwise) **Water within the TSF is recycled through the Mill.**
- Did tailings material flow outside of the spill area or did it freeze? **Tailings were contained to the spill area and froze. The area was barricaded with candles until the clean-up was completed. The area has been scraped clean and all of the tailings, contaminated snow and material has been removed.**

Regards, Kyle

From: Tom Thomson <tom.thomson@agnicoeagle.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 7, 2023 12:20 PM

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Good evening,

Attached is a spill report depicting a spill event, tailings, which took place on February 6, 2023, at Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd., Meadowbank Project.

This report is being reported as required by:

- The Government of Nunavut's *Environmental Protection Act*, paragraph 5.1(a)
- The conditions under the Nunavut Water Board License 2AM-MEA1530, Part H, item 8 (b) pursuant to subsection 12(3) of the Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act

A follow up report will be submitted following the completion of the corrective actions as required by Nunavut Water Board License 2AM-MEA1530, Part H, item 8 (c).

The spill occurred on IOL, 550m from the nearest waterbody.

If you require further information or have questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Regards,



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