

2025-11-08 MBK 20KG COPPER SULFATE

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Please find the following information as a follow up to the spill report submitted on November 8th, 2025, 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-MEA1530, Part H, Item 8c.

Description

During operations at the Meadowbank site, a sea can was being transferred to the warehouse when the operator noticed a loss of material. Upon inspection, two small holes were found in the sea can and in the bag containing copper sulfate. This resulted in approximately 20 kg of copper sulfate spilling onto the warehouse pad.



Spill Location: 65° 1'4"N 96° 4'7"W (on IOL)

There were no off-site impacts or discharges. Distance to the closest water body is 300m to Third Portage Lake

Cause

Equipment damaged



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Remediation Actions

The holes in the sea can were sealed, and equipment was dispatched to scrape and clean the affected area. The contaminated material was then transported to the tailing storage facility for disposal.



Corrective Measures

An investigation was conducted to determine the root cause of the damage to the sea container and the bag. The exact cause could not be identified because of the incident occurrence timeline, and no clear evidence was available. As a corrective measure, the operators were reminded to thoroughly inspect the condition of any sea can holding hazardous materials before moving it for delivery.

Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the event that occurred at the Meadowbank Complex Facilities on November 8th, 2025, and the remediation activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.



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