

2019-05-29 WTP TRK42 300 Liters Diesel

GN reference # : 2019-222

Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted May 30, 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-WTP1826, Part H, Item 8c.

Spill Description

During operations the fuel truck was refilling the diamond drill over pack with diesel fuel. During pumping the worker left his work place to get material from his pick up truck. When he noticed the overflowing of diesel fuel, he immediately rushed back to the pump and stopped the pump.





Spill location: N 65 24'30.8" W 096 40'54.8"

Cause of Spill

The spill has been caused by human error when work left the pump during refueling.

Remediation Actions

Spill pads and booms were placed on the ground to collect as much of the free material as possible. The contaminated spills pads were brought to the Hazmat area and the contaminated material was removed and brought to the Meadowbank land farm.





Corrective measures

Worker was met and all fuel operators were reminded of the refueling policy. Environment will conduct routine visual inspections during refueling to ensure all procedures are being followed.

Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at the Whale Tail site on May 29, 2019 and the cleanup activities. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

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