



2019-01-01 AMQ 150 liters HYDRAULIC OIL

GN reference #: 2019-001

Please find the following information as a follow up to the spill report submitted January 2, 2019 by Agnico Eagle. This detailed report is submitted to the Inspector in compliance with the conditions under the Nunavut Water Board License NWB-2AM-WTP1826, Part H, Item 8c.

Spill Description

During operation at the Whale Tail Pit waste rock storage area, an hydraulic hose of the haul truck failed causing hydraulic oil to be spilled on the ground.



Location coordinates of the spill: Northing 65°24'28" Easting 96°43'11"

There were no off site impact or discharge to any receiving watercourses. Distance to the closest lake is estimated at 200 meters.

Cause of Spill

The leak was caused by a failure of an hydraulic hose.

Remediation Actions

The driver stopped his truck as soon that he saw the leak and he called a mechanic to fix it. All contaminated soil has been removed and place on the proper place. It was brought at the landfarm at Meadowbank.



Corrective measures

The hydraulic system including hoses and fittings are inspected as part of the preventive maintenance program done on site. Routine visual inspection of the hydraulic system is also performed during pre-operations checks.

Closure

We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at AMQ on January 2, 2019 and the follow up actions. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

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