

2021-05-04 WTP 40L Diesel

GN reference #: 2021-150

Please find the following information as a follow up to the Spill report submitted May 5, 2021 by Agnico Eagle Meadowbank division. This detailed report is submitted to the Inspector in compliance with the conditions under the Nunavut Water Board License 2BB-MEA1828, Part H, Item 5c.

Spill Description

During operations at the Whale tail Pit, while refueling equipment around Drill 4, the fuel pump fitting on an over pack fuel tank came loose causing diesel fuel to spill on the ice.



Spill location: 65°24'3.10" 96°44'16.21" on IOL.

The spill occurred on Mammoth Lake.

Cause of Spill

Loose fitting on over pack fuel tank.

Remediation Actions

Spill pads and spill booms were immediately placed around the fuel tank. The area was scraped clean and additional spill pads were placed on the ice to collect any residue. Additional spills were placed on the ice over the following days. Approximately 2 m³ of contaminated snow and ice were collected and placed into empty 100L open totes and disposed of at the Meadowbank tailings storage facility.



Corrective measures

The Orbit Garant drill crew was met and reviewed the pre-op inspection for refueling.

Closure

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We trust that the above details described appropriately the spill incident that occurred at the Meadowbank site on May 4, 2021. Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

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