

ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION
Division of Spill Prevention and Response
Prevention and Emergency Response Program

SITUATION REPORT

INCIDENT NAME: Snowball Express Asphalt Spill

SITREP #: 1 and Final

SPILL NUMBER: 03239918901

LEDGER CODE: NA

TIME/DATE OF SPILL: 2:00 p.m. on July 8, 2003. The spill was reported to ADEC by the State Troopers immediately.

TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT: 4:00 p.m. on July 8, 2003

TIME/DATE OF THE NEXT REPORT: This is the first and final sitrep

TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED: Asphalt tar, unknown amount with potential of 3800 gallons.

LOCATION: Glenn Highway, mile post 35.2

CAUSE OF SPILL: Overturned asphalt tar tanker truck accident.

POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP): Snowball Express, Anchorage

RESPONSE ACTION: Alaska State Troopers (AST) reported a tanker truck carrying 3800 gallons of asphalt tar overturned on the Glenn Highway. The driver was injured and is getting emergency medical attention. AST is rerouting traffic around the accident. The PRP is recovering the spilled asphalt tar using a vacuum truck.

ADEC spill responder is on-site, coordinating with responsible party (PRP) at the spill location on Glenn Highway. The PRP has called for a wrecker to upright the tanker truck to control the leak. The PRP has a seal coat crew nearby that will be initiating spill containment and cleanup with mason sand. Spill is on highway surface and roadside with no potential impacts to wetlands.

ADEC notified the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities regional safety officer of the accident and spill.

SOURCE CONTROL: Upright the tanker truck and recover asphalt tar using vacuum truck.

RESOURCES AFFECTED: No impacted resources have been observed by ADEC spill responder.

FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: ADEC oversight of control, containment and cleanup actions by PRP and to assess any resource damages/soil contamination.

WEATHER: Clear, 70 degrees.

UNIFIED COMMAND AND PERSONNEL:

Incident Commander: Jack Barrett, Snowball Express
F.O.S.C.: Matt Carr (EPA)
S.O.S.C.: Gary Folley (ADEC)
Field S.O.S.C.: Jace Johnson (ADEC)

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: Jace Johnson, 269-7557 or Frank Wesser at 269-3062.

AGENCY/STAKEHOLDER NOTIFICATION LIST

AGENCY	NAME	Sent Via		Telephone	Facsimile
USCG-MSO/ANC	Captain Morris	Fax		271-6700	271-6751
US EPA	Matt Carr/Carl Lautenberger	Fax		271-3616	271-3424
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Mat-Su Borough	Jack Krill	Fax		373-8800	376-0799
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