

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

SITUATION REPORT

INCIDENT NAME: Kuparuk 2M Pad Produced Water Spill **SITREP#:** 2

SPILL NUMBER: 04399913301 **LEDGER CODE:** 14100760

TIME/DATE OF SPILL: The spill was discovered at 8:57 AM on May 12, 2004 and was reported to the Department at 9:40 AM. At approximately 12:20 PM, the Department received a volume estimate from ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc.

TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT: 4:15 PM, May 13, 2004

TIME/DATE OF THE NEXT REPORT: As the situation warrants.

TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED: ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc. updated the initial spill estimate of 840 gallons to 2,335 gallons of a produced water/crude oil mixture. The spill has impacted both the gravel pad and adjacent tundra.

LOCATION: 2M pad in Kuparuk, North Slope, Alaska

CAUSE OF SPILL: A gauge on a 12" pipeline failed and was leaking for an unknown period of time.

POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP): ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc. (CPAI)

RESPONSE ACTION: There are approximately seven (7) Alaska Clean Seas (ACS) and CCI, Inc. spill responders on site responding to the spill. Another 8-12 CCI spill responders are due on site today. All of the overburden snow has been removed and the spill area has been delineated. The total area impacted is 3,382 square feet. A supersucker is on site that is removing free product and contaminated snow/slush mix. A disposal plan for the contaminated material is currently being developed.

The DEC responder was arrival to the site was delayed until today because dense fog resulted in cancellation of last night's flight to the North Slope. The responder arrived in Deadhorse today at 1:00 PM, met with the ConocoPhillips field representative, and is currently at the spill site monitoring recovery and cleanup operations.

SOURCE CONTROL: ConocoPhillips reports that the leaking gauge was removed from the line and plugged. They have also identified all other similar gauges at other drill sites and have removed and plugged them as well.

RESOURCES AFFECTED: Gravel pad and tundra.

FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: Develop appropriate cleanup strategies to remove the produced water/oil mixture from the tundra without doing permanent damage. A sampling plan will be developed in the near future.

WEATHER: Kuparuk reports partly cloudy weather, temperature 27 degrees, winds 17 mph from the east.

UNIFIED COMMAND AND PERSONNEL:

Incident Commander Jeff Smith, CPAI
F.O.S.C..... Carl Lautenberger, EPA
S.O.S.C..... Ed Meggert, DEC
Field S.O.S.C..... Toivo Luick, DEC

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USEPA	Matt Carr/ Carl Lautenberger	Fax		271-5083 or 257-1342	271-3424
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