

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

SITUATION REPORT

INCIDENT NAME: Harold Kaveolook School Diesel Release

SITREP #: 1

SPILL NUMBER: 10399903601

LEDGER CODE: 14283960

TIME/DATE OF SPILL: 10:00 A.M on February 5, 2010

TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT: 3:30 PM on February 9, 2010

TIME/DATE OF THE NEXT REPORT: 2:00 PM February 10, 2010

TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED: Through fuel transfer records, employees of the North Slope Borough have estimated that 4000 gallons of diesel fuel was offloaded. Of this total an unknown amount was released to the secondary containment and the environment.

LOCATION: Kaktovik High School fuel tank

CAUSE OF SPILL: Overfill of the school's fuel tank.

POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP): North Slope Borough (NSB)

RESPONSE ACTION: The NSB has hired 3 responders to; delineate the spill area, remove fuel from the secondary containment and transfer the contaminated snow to a lined containment site that has been set up by the city landfill. ADEC has mobilized one responder to Kaktovik to aid with the response effort.

The school air handling system was shut down when odors of fuel were being drawn into the building.

SOURCE CONTROL: The school's fuel transfer pump was shut down and the transfer process stopped upon discovery of the tank overfill.

RESOURCES AFFECTED: Soil and gravel surrounding and down gradient of the release.

FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: Complete the recovery of free product in the secondary containment. Complete the delineation of the spill area. Remove the contaminated snow from the spill area and assess the area for further remediation measures.

WEATHER: -10 F and calm.

UNIFIED COMMAND AND PERSONNEL:

Incident Commander: Pete Hopson
S.O.S.C. : Tom DeRuyter
Field S.O.S.C.: Paul Lhotka

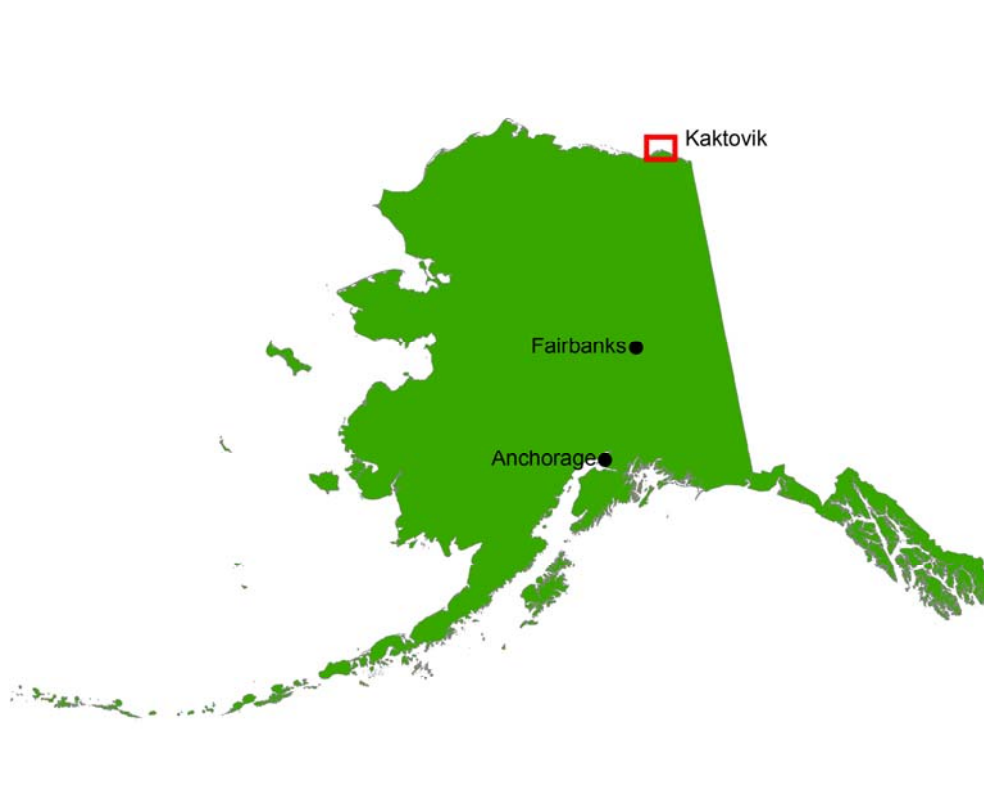
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT:

Photographs and other spill information are available for viewing at:
<http://www.state.ak.us/dec/spar/perp/index.htm>

AGENCY/STAKEHOLDER NOTIFICATION LIST

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AOGCC		Fax			276-7542
EPA	Matt Carr/Robert Whittier	Fax		271-5083 or 271-3247	271-6340
Attorney General Office	Cam Leonard/Steve Mulder	Fax		451-2811/451-2914	451-2985/278-7022
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(Location of spill)

