

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

SITUATION REPORT

INCIDENT NAME: Big State Logistics MP 205 Richardson Hwy #2 Diesel Spill **SITREP #:** 2 and Final

SPILL NUMBER: 08309936501

LEDGER CODE: 14123460

TIME/DATE OF SPILL: 2:15 PM on December 30, 2008

TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT: 3:00 PM on January 14, 2010

TIME/DATE OF THE NEXT REPORT: This is the final report.

TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED: Approximately 4,000 gallons of #2 diesel was released.

LOCATION: Richardson Highway MP 205

CAUSE OF SPILL: Fuel trailer “pup” separated from the tanker truck, and overturned, coming to rest in the ditch. No injuries were reported.

POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP): Big State Logistics

RESPONSE ACTION: Big State Logistics sent six semi-tractor side-dump trucks, an excavator, and spill response equipment to remove contaminated snow from the ditch after the weather permitted response operations to resume. Each truck was loaded with contaminated snow and sent to the soil burner, located at Moose Creek. Fuel penetrated the soil, which consisted of boulders, cobbles, and poorly graded gravel with sand. The groundwater in the area is shallow or seasonally near the surface. Fuel was not recoverable through the soil.

A subsurface site investigation was performed by a qualified consultant, and six monitoring wells were installed. A monitoring well was installed at the spill location, and the others extended down gradient to assess migration of the spilled fuel through the soil.

SOURCE CONTROL: The overturned fuel trailer “pup” was removed from the site.

RESOURCES AFFECTED: Soil around the accident location.

FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: Groundwater monitoring will continue.

WEATHER: -6° F and calm.

UNIFIED COMMAND AND PERSONNEL:

Incident Commander:

F.O.S.C.:

S.O.S.C.: Tom DeRuyter, ADEC

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: Tom DeRuyter, ADEC, at 451-2145.

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