

# General Environmental Incident Summary

**Incident:** 5330                      **Notice:** 3/3/2017      1630      **Occurred:** 3/3/2017      1630

**DEM Incident No:**

**No Further Action:**

**Responsible Party:** Amerada Hess Corporation

**County:** Williams

**Twp Rng Sec Qtr:** 157 95 28

**Lat Long + Method:** 48.38973      -102.96250      Interpolation from map

**Location Description:** TIOGA RAIL TERMINAL

**Submitted By Info:** Alberto Yates  
HESS - EHS  
3015 16th St SW  
Suite 20  
Minot ND 58701

**Received By Info:**

**Contact Info:** Sid Lauver  
1501 McKINNEY  
HOUSTON TX 77010

**Affected Medium:** 01 - air

**Near. Occupied Bldg:**

**Type of Incident:** PSV

**Release Contained:** Yes

**Reported to NRC:** No

**Contaminant:** BUTANE

**Volume of Release:** 583 pounds

**Duration of Release:** 2 hours

**Agriculture Related:** No

**EPA Extremely Hazardous Substance:** No

**Number of Fatalities:** 0

**Number of Injuries:** 0

**Cause of Incident:**

NGL Loading Spot 3A PSV-3A04 Butane Release-120 gal. (583 lbs.) Butane leaking out of the vent of the pilot operator for the valve. PSV was isolated to stop the leak. There was approximately a 60 gph leak for two hours. (291 lb/h)

**Risk Evaluation:**

There is no immediate risk to report at this time.

**Potential Env. Impacts:**

All of the released liquids evaporated to atmosphere. No Sensitive areas were impacted due to the incident. There is no reason to expect any environmental impacts at this time.

**Action Taken/Planned:**

PSV was isolated to stop the leak.

**Wastes Disposal Location:**

No generated waste in regards to this release due it all liquids evaporating to atmosphere.

**Other Agencies Involved:**

## **Updates**

---

**Date:** 3/3/2017      **Status:** Reviewed - Assigned to NDDEQ Division

**Author:** Martin, Russell

**Notes:**

Assigned to NDDoH Division of Air Quality. No further follow-up required at this time.

**Updated Volume:** None at the time of this update