

# General Environmental Incident Summary

**Incident:** 5846

**Notice:** 9/12/2018

**Occurred:** 9/11/2018

**DEM Incident No:**

**No Further Action:**

**Responsible Party:** Dakota Line Contractors

**County:** McKenzie

**Twp Rng Sec Qtr:** 152 98 27

**Lat Long + Method:** 47.94945 -103.20510 Interpolation from map

**Location Description:** From Watford City go north on HWY 1806 to 37th St NW, travel 500' further north and turn west on unnamed lease road 1/4 mile. Go north 150' on right of way.

**Submitted By Info:** Kevin Berg  
2729 Paintball Way  
Bismarck ND

**Received By Info:**

**Contact Info:**  
2729 Paintball Way  
Bismarck ND

**Affected Medium:** 03 - soil

**Near. Occupied Bldg:** 0.5 Miles

**Type of Incident:** bore mud

**Release Contained:** Yes

**Reported to NRC:** Unknown

**Contaminant:** bentonite and water

**Volume of Release:** 20 gallons

**Duration of Release:** 5 minutes

**Agriculture Related:** No

**EPA Extremely Hazardous Substance:** No

**Number of Fatalities:**

**Number of Injuries:**

**Cause of Incident:**

Lost flow at machine causing down hole pressure and fluids came to the surface.

**Risk Evaluation:**

none

**Potential Env. Impacts:**

none

**Action Taken/Planned:**

pulled drill string back and regained flow at the machine. Spill was contained with straw wattles and cleaned up with a vac truck.

**Wastes Disposal Location:**

**Other Agencies Involved:**

## **Updates**

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**Date:** 9/12/2018      **Status:** Reviewed - No Action Required

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**Notes:**

According to the report, a mix of bentonite and water was released along a pipeline. Release was cleaned up with a vac truck. No further follow-up needed at this time.

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