

General Environmental Incident Summary

Incident: 8139

Notice: 7/1/2019

Occurred: 6/29/2019

DEM Incident No:

No Further Action:

Responsible Party: BNSF Railway

County: Ward

Twp Rng Sec Qtr: 155 82 24

Lat Long + Method: 48.23828 -101.16250 Interpolation from map

Location Description: BNSF Railway
6400 4th Ave NE
Minot

Submitted By Info: Matt Richardson
604 7th Street North
Wilton ND

Received By Info: MN - Minnesota Jeffries

Contact Info: Greg Jeffries
80-44th Ave NE
Minneapolis MN

Affected Medium: 03 - soil

Near. Occupied Bldg:

Type of Incident: Locomotive Fuel Tank Leak

Release Contained: Yes

Reported to NRC: Unknown

Contaminant: Diesel Fuel

Volume of Release: 5 gallons

Duration of Release: 5 minutes

Agriculture Related: No

EPA Extremely

Hazardous Substance: Unknown

Number of Fatalities:

Number of Injuries:

Cause of Incident:

Locomotive fuel tank vapor relief line malfunction.

Risk Evaluation:

No immediate risk to human health.

Potential Env. Impacts:

Potential environmental impacts should be minimal. Impacted materials were excavated and containerized for disposal at a licensed facility. Booms were placed near release area as a precaution.

Action Taken/Planned:

Spill was noticed by train crew. Containment was immediately placed under locomotive. Impacted ballast was excavated and containerized. Boom was placed next to release area and in stormwater ditch as a precautionary measure. Continued monitoring for the site will be conducted.

Wastes Disposal Location:

Clean Harbors Landfill in Sawyer, ND.

Other Agencies Involved:

Updates

Date: 7/1/2019 **Status:** Reviewed - Follow-up Required

Author: DeVries, Taylor

Notes:

According to the incident report, 5 gallons of fuel was lost on the train ballast. Further follow-up is needed.

Updated Volume: None at the time of this update

Date: 9/12/2019 **Status:** Correspondence

Author: Suess, Bill

Notes:

The RP has been contacted and asked to provide a status update on this site. The DEQ is waiting on the response.

Updated Volume: None at the time of this update

Date: 4/17/2020 **Status:** Correspondence - No Action Required

Author: Martin, Russell

Notes:

Received cleanup report from contractor on 4/3/2020. No further follow-up required.

Updated Volume: None at the time of this update