

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

SITUATION REPORT

INCIDENT NAME: Big State Logistics Gasoline Tank Overfill **SITREP#:** 1 and Final

SPILL NUMBER: 04309906301 **LEDGER CODE:** Not Requested.

TIME/DATE OF SPILL: The spill was discovered at approximately 11:00 AM on March 4, 2004. An operator at the Sourdough Fuel Bulk Plant reported the spill to ADEC immediately upon discovery of the spill.

TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT: 5:00 PM, March 4, 2004.

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

TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED: Sourdough Fuel Bulk Plant operators estimated 3,700 gallons of gasoline spilled to concrete secondary containment.

LOCATION: Sourdough Fuel Bulk Plant in Fairbanks, Alaska.

CAUSE OF SPILL: A Big State Logistics fuel truck driver overfilled a 10,000-gallon gasoline storage tank. The circumstances surrounding the cause of the spill are under investigation.

POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP): Big State Logistics, Inc.

RESPONSE ACTION: The spill was contained within the concrete secondary containment designed for the tank farm. Big State Logistics has undertaken spill cleanup responsibilities. A vacuum truck shall be used to pump free product from the secondary containment area. As the snow melts, remaining fluids will be removed from the secondary containment and treated through the Sourdough Fuel Bulk Plant's oil/water separator.

SOURCE CONTROL: The fuel truck was emptied before it was realized a spill had occurred. According to the Sourdough Fuel Bulk Plant operators, the concrete secondary containment is intact and the integrity of the containment is not in question.

RESOURCES AFFECTED: The spill was contained within concrete secondary containment. No wildlife impacts were observed.

FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: Big State Logistics will continue to work on recovery of free product and snowmelt. ADEC representatives will work with Big State Logistics to ensure cleanup is complete and that preventative measures are implemented.

WEATHER: Light snow, 5 mph north wind, 15 degrees Fahrenheit.

UNIFIED COMMAND AND PERSONNEL:

Incident Commander..... Mervin Gilbertson, Big State Logistics, Inc.
F.O.S.C. Matt Carr, EPA
S.O.S.C. Ed Meggert, ADEC
Field S.O.S.C. John Dixon, ADEC

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: John Dixon, ADEC, (907) 451-2164.

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Gasoline visible under one of the tanks in the tank farm.