

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
POLLUTION/SITUATION REPORT
EPA Response to Haiti Earthquake - Removal Polrep



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
Region II

Subject: POLREP #3
EPA Response to Haiti Earthquake

Port-au-Prince, HT
Latitude: 18.5394190 Longitude: -72.3367230

To:
From: Duty Officer, Region 2 REOC
Date: 2/9/2010
Reporting Period:

1. Introduction

1.1 Background

Site Number:	Contract Number:
D.O. Number:	Action Memo Date:
Response Authority:	Response Type:
Response Lead:	Incident Category:
NPL Status:	Operable Unit:
Mobilization Date:	Start Date:
Demob Date:	Completion Date:
CERCLIS ID:	RCRIS ID:
ERNS No.:	State Notification:
FPN#:	Reimbursable Account #:

1.1.1 Incident Category

Earthquake disaster

1.1.2 Site Description

Site conditions remain as previously reported.

1.1.2.1 Location

1.1.2.2 Description of Threat

1.1.3 Preliminary Removal Assessment/Removal Site Inspection Results

2. Current Activities

2.1 Operations Section

2.1.1 Narrative

La Côte d'Ivoire (Ivory Coast) has requested EPA to assist in the Haiti emergency and recovery efforts. They specifically wanted the agency to participate on a Joint Task Force with our interagency partners to develop an environmental way ahead for Haiti. The Joint Task Force will be comprised of other federal partners. SOUTHCOP has reached out to the DOE, DOT/CG, US-AID and USEPA. EPA Region 2 initially has deployed two people to support this effort. The duration of their deployment will be 30 days. The will focus on environmental assessments and removal activities.

Q: What is the current status of the EPA's response to the Haiti earthquake?

A: The EPA has deployed two people to support the environmental assessments and removal activities. The duration of their deployment will be 30 days. The focus will be on environmental assessments and removal activities.

3. Participating Entities

3.1 Unified Command

3.2 Cooperating Agencies

EPA will provide assistance to the Haitian government and other Federal Agencies (DOD, ACOE, FEMA, USCG, etc) as requested.

4. Personnel On Site

EPA personnel Michael Solecki and Alan Humphrey are being deployed on February 12, 2010.

5. Definition of Terms

No information available at this time.

6. Additional sources of information

6.1 Internet location of additional information/report

http://www.epaosc.org/site/site_profile.aspx?site_id=5732

6.2 Reporting Schedule

POL/SITREP's will be prepared Tuesday and Friday of each week unless the response situation dictates otherwise

7. Situational Reference Materials

Situational updates provided by DHS are posted on this website.