U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY POLLUTION/SITUATION REPORT

CP Rail Parkers Prairie Derailment - Removal Polrep Initial and Final Removal Polrep



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Region V

Subject: POLREP #1

CP Train Derailment, Parkers Prairie, MN CP Rail Parkers Prairie Derailment

C5S6

Parkers Prairie, MN

Latitude: 46.1545222 Longitude: -95.3304065

To:

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Date: 4/1/2013 **Reporting Period:** March 27, 2013

1. Introduction

1.1 Background

Site Number: C5S6 Contract Number: D.O. Number: Action Memo Date:

 Response Authority:
 OPA
 Response Type:
 Emergency

 Response Lead:
 PRP
 Incident Category:
 Removal Action

NPL Status: Non NPL Operable Unit:

 Mobilization Date:
 3/27/2013
 Start Date:
 3/27/2013

 Demob Date:
 Completion Date:
 4/1/2013

CERCLIS ID: RCRIS ID:

ERNS No.: State Notification:

FPN#: E1308 Reimbursable Account #:

1.1.1 Incident Category

Emergency response.

1.1.2 Site Description

A 94 car train heading south, derailed along mile post 157 and 159, in Parkers Prairie, MN.

1.1.2.1 Location

Parkers, Prairie, Otter Tail County, MN.

1.1.2.2 Description of Threat

14 rail cars containing heavy crude oil derailed due to unknown causes.

1.1.3 Preliminary Removal Assessment/Removal Site Inspection Results

2. Current Activities

2.1 Operations Section

2.1.1 Narrative

An initial report estimated the amount of crude released as 26,000 gallons. Later CP updated the estimate based on recovery, to be more around 15,000 gallons.

2.1.2 Response Actions to Date

Upon EPA's arrival on site the day of the incident, the PRPs contractors were already pumping the derailed cars content into tanker trucks. Also, there were contractors repairing the damaged track. The MPCA responder was on the scene. The MPCA will continue the oversight, and ensure impacted soils are properly handled.

2.1.3 Enforcement Activities, Identity of Potentially Responsible Parties (PRPs)

Canadian Pacific Railroad.

2.1.4 Progress Metrics

Waste Stream	Medium	Quantity	Manifest #	Treatment	Disposal

2.2 Planning Section

2.2.1 Anticipated Activities

None at this time. The MPCA will continue oversight responsabilities.

2.2.1.1 Planned Response Activities

None by the EPA. CP will continue response activities under the MPCA's oversight.

2.2.1.2 Next Steps

None anticipated.

2.2.2 Issues

None.

2.3 Logistics Section

No information available at this time.

2.4 Finance Section

No information available at this time.

2.5 Other Command Staff

No information available at this time.

3. Participating Entities

No information available at this time.

4. Personnel On Site

No information available at this time.

5. Definition of Terms

No information available at this time.

6. Additional sources of information

No information available at this time.

7. Situational Reference Materials

No information available at this time.