

**United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region VI
POLLUTION REPORT**

Date: Friday, October 21, 2005

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Subject: Assessment Update
Helena Chemical
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POLREP No.:	8	Site #:	0606
Reporting Period:	10/21/2005	D.O. #:	
Start Date:		Response Authority:	CERCLA
Mob Date:	7/12/2005	Response Type:	
Demob Date:		NPL Status:	Non NPL
Completion Date:		Incident Category:	Removal Assessment
CERCLIS ID #:	TXD980625008	Contract #	
RCRIS ID #:			

Site Description

This site is a former pesticide formulation and packaging facility, and was the subject of corrective action by USEPA in 1982. Deterioration of the containment cap has raised concerns over potential health impacts from chlorinated pesticides.

Contamination of surrounding properties was addressed by previous TCEQ actions.

Current Activities

Draft analytical data from the assessment received. Validation is underway, with the final report expected by mid-November.

Planned Removal Actions

As appropriate following assessment

Next Steps

Validate analytical data, interpret results and generate final report

Key Issues

Analytical delays

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