

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

**Date:** Thursday, January 12, 2006  
**From:** William Rhotenberry

**Subject:** Assessment Report Released  
Helena Chemical  
602 Holland Avenue, Mission, TX  
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<b>POLREP No.:</b>	9	<b>Site #:</b>	0606
<b>Reporting Period:</b>	01/12/2006	<b>D.O. #:</b>	
<b>Start Date:</b>		<b>Response Authority:</b>	CERCLA
<b>Mob Date:</b>	7/12/2005	<b>Response Type:</b>	
<b>Demob Date:</b>		<b>NPL Status:</b>	Non NPL
<b>Completion Date:</b>		<b>Incident Category:</b>	Removal Assessment
<b>CERCLIS ID #:</b>	TXD980625008	<b>Contract #</b>	
<b>RCRIS ID #:</b>			

**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**

The final report is now posted on this site, in the "documents" section.

**Planned Removal Actions**

As appropriate following review of assessment data, and input from community and other stakeholders

**Next Steps**

Discussion of the final report and proposed options at a public meeting in Mission on 01/26/06.

Site walks with ERRS contractors to develop work plans for potential actions.

**Key Issues**

Interpret data and develop appropriate options.

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