United States Environmental Protection Agency Region IV POLLUTION REPORT

Date: Sunday, January 7, 2007

From: Chris Russell

Subject: Initial/Final POLREP

Austell Derailment Austell, GA

Latitude: 33.8138900 Longitude: -84.6311100

POLREP No.: 1 Site #: Reporting Period: D.O. #:

Start Date:1/5/2007Response Authority:CERCLAMob Date:1/5/2007Response Type:EmergencyDemob Date:1/5/2007NPL Status:Non NPL

Completion Date: 1/5/2007 Incident Category: Removal Assessment

CERCLIS ID #: Contract #

RCRIS ID #:

Site Description

At approximately 1430 hours on 5 JAN 07, a Norfolk Southern Railroad train derailed 4 cars in Austell, GA. One of the derailed cars contained hydrogen peroxide (35% concentration) which leaked from a vent on top, at a rate of 0.25 gallons a minute. Norfolk Southern Railroad hired a cleanup contractor to mitigate the release. OSC Russell was dispatched to the scene to oversee cleanup operations.

Current Activities

Hepaco, Inc, was hired by Norfolk Southern Railroad to contain and mitigate the release. The containment and mitigation of the release was completed on 01/05/07.

Planned Removal Actions

None

Next Steps

NFA

Key Issues

None

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