

TRANSPORT POLLUTION INCIDENT RESPONSE MANAGEMENT PLAN



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BULK LIQUID CARRIERS

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NUMBER

(TBC)

All tanker drivers are to be tool-boxed on this PIRMP (annually) and undertake daily pre-start checks on all vehicles to reduce the likelihood of a leak or spill.

Industry is now required to report pollution incidents *immediately* to ALL regulatory bodies.

POLLUTION INCIDENTS

Bulk Liquid Carriers is required to report pollution incidents **immediately** to the relevant EPA, the relevant Local Authority (Council), SafeWork NSW (Workcover), WorkSafe Vic, NTWorkSafe, Fire and Rescue NSW, Fire and Rescue Northern Territory and CFA / MFB Vic and SES Vic.

The definition of a pollution incident is:

“pollution incident means an incident or set of circumstances during or as a consequence of which there is or is likely to be a leak, spill or other escape or deposit of a substance, as a result of which pollution has occurred, is occurring or is likely to occur. It includes an incident or set of circumstances in which a substance has been placed or disposed of on premises, but it does not include an incident or set of circumstances involving only the emission of any noise.”

A pollution incident is required to be notified if there is a risk of ‘material harm to the environment’, which is defined as:

a) harm to the environment is material if:

1. it involves actual or potential harm to the health or safety of human beings or to ecosystems that is not trivial, or
2. it results in actual or potential loss or property damage of an amount, or amounts in aggregate, exceeding \$10,000 (or such other amount as is prescribed by the regulations), and

b) loss includes the reasonable costs and expenses that would be incurred in taking all reasonable and practicable measures to prevent, mitigate or make good harm to the environment.

Notification Protocol

Call 000 if the incident presents an immediate threat to human health or property

If the incident clearly requires notification, e.g. truck rollover losing all contents and liquid entering creek, the driver shall notify 000 immediately, followed by the Operations Manager who will then notify the relevant authorities and government bodies.

If the driver is unsure if the incident requires notification, they will advise Operations Manager to determine if notification is appropriate, if so, the Operations Manager will notify all relevant departments.

The driver is to assist the Fire Brigade as far as practical in the clean-up and/or advising the local residents.

To minimise the risk of a spill the driver will undertake a Daily Prestart check and 6 Monthly Compliance checks in line with Bulk liquid Carriers Standard Operating Procedures, to ensure the truck is in good working order and all safety and spill kit equipment is in working order.

Business Unit Contact Numbers

Managing Director	Daniel Soper	0447 974 257	0408 749 913
Operations Manager	Arthur Bonat	0408 944 919	0408 749 913

Regulatory Contact Numbers

Fire and Rescue NORTHERN TERRITORY (Only if haven't already called '000')	08 8999 3473
Environment Protection Authority Northern Territory	1800 064 567
Ministry of Health	Full list of Public Health Units available in Appendix 1
SafeWork NSW (Workcover)	13 10 50
WorkSafe VIC (Workcover)	1800 136 089
NT WorkSafe	1800 019 115
Local Authority (Council)	Full list of Councils available in Appendix 2

POLLUTION INCIDENT REPORTING

The following procedure needs to be followed:

1. When a pollution incident occurs, a person who has become aware of it must immediately bring it to the attention of his/her immediate Operations Manager or Managing Director
2. **If necessary, first ring '000' for Emergency Services**
3. Operations Manager or Managing Director listed above, is to **immediately** notify each Relevant Authority.
4. In borderline situations, where the exceedance of the trigger level of "material harm" of a pollution incident may not be clear, a quick assessment including consultation with Operations Manager or Managing Director should be undertaken to help the decision whether to notify or not.
5. A record of notification details must be recorded on the Pollution Incident Notification Log attached as Appendix 3

APPENDIX 1 – PUBLIC HEALTH UNIT CONTACT NUMBERS

Contact details for Public Health Units

Clinic name	Phone	Fax	Address	Opening hours
Adelaide River	08 8976 7027	08 8976 7093	C/ Adelaide River PO 0846	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Alyangula	08 8987 6255	08 8987 6116	PO Box 347 Alyangula 0885	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Angurugu	08 8987 6311	08 8987 6632	PO Box 347 Alyangula 0885	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Batchelor	08 8976 0011	08 8976 0105	C/ Batchelor Post Office 0845	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Belyuen	08 8978 5023	08 8978 5181	PMB 17 Darwin 0801	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Bickerton Island	08 8987 7054	08 8987 6269	C/ PO Box 347 Alyangula 0845	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Borroloola	08 8975 8757	08 8975 8718	PO Box 430 Borroloola 0854	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Casuarina Community Care Centre	08 8922 7321	08 8922 7477	PO Box 40596 Casuarina NT 0811	9am to 4:30pm
Gapuwiyak	08 8987 9150	08 8987 9121	PMB 18 Gapuwiyak Via Nhulunbuy 0882	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Gunbalanya (Oenpelli)	08 8979 0178	08 8979 0159	CMB 6 via Winnellie 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Jabiru	08 8979 2018	08 8979 2041	PO Box 221 Jabiru 0886	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Maningrida	08 8979 5930	08 8979 5933	PMB 185 Winnellie 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Milikapiti	08 8978 3950	08 8978 3902	PMB 279 Winnellie 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Minjalang	08 8979 0229	08 8979 0207	PMB 77 Darwin 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Naiyu Nambiyu (Daly River)	08 8978 2435	08 8978 1157	PMB 269 Daly River 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Wurruyiyanga	08 8978 3984	08 8978 3906	PO Box 75 Nguu Bathurst Island NT 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Numbulwar	08 8975 4670	08 8975 4671	PMB 183 via Winnellie NT 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Palmerston Community Care Centre	08 8999 3344	08 8999 3333	PO Box 40596 Casuarina NT 0811	9am to 4:30pm
Palumpa	08 8978 2359	08 8978 2170	PMB 224 Winnellie 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7

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Clinic name	Phone	Fax	Address	Opening hours
Peppimenarti NGO	08 8978 1066	08 8978 2962	PMB 219 Winnellie NT 0822	9am to 4:30pm Emergencies 24/7
Pine Creek	08 8976 1268	08 8978 1325	PO Box 146 Pine Creek 0847	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Pirlangimpi	08 8978 3953	08 8978 3932	PMB 155 Winnellie NT 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Ramingining	08 8979 7923	08 8979 7930	PMB 204 via Winnellie 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Robinson River	08 8975 9985	08 8975 9857	PMB 146 Katherine 0850	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Umbakumba	08 8987 6772	08 8987 6799	PO Box 347 Alyangula 0885	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Wadeye (Port Keats)	08 8978 2360	08 8978 2555	PMB 202 Winnellie 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7
Wagait Beach (emergency service only, call Royal Darwin Hospital switchboard or 000)	08 8922 8888			24/7 Emergencies only
Waruwi	08 8979 0500	08 8979 0505	PMB 238 Winnellie NT 0822	9am to 5pm Emergencies 24/7

Barkly

Location	Phone	Fax	Opening hours
Ali Curung	08 8964 1954	08 8964 1971	8am to 5pm, Monday to Wednesday
Barkly mobile	08 8962 4254	08 8962 4207	Not applicable
Canteen Creek	08 8964 1510	08 8964 1514	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Epenarra	08 8964 1559	08 8964 1903	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Lake Nash (Alpurrurulam)	07 4748 3111	07 4748 4874	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Elliott	08 8969 2060	08 8969 2070	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7

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Central Australia

Location	Phone	Fax	Opening hours
Alcoota (Engawala)	08 8956 9944	08 8942 6839	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Aputula (Finke)	08 8956 0961	08 8980 0723	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Bonya	08 8956 6300	08 8942 6841	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Docker River (Kaltukatjara)	08 8956 7342	08 8942 6855	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Haasts Bluff (Ikuntji)	08 8956 8472	08 8942 6896	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Harts Range (Atitjere)	08 8956 9778	08 8942 6841	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Hermannsburg (Ntaria)	08 8956 7433 or 08 8942 6845 8951 6040		8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Imanpa (Mt Ebenezer)	08 8956 7484	08 8942 6856	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Kings Canyon (Watarrka)	08 8956 7807	08 8942 6805	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7

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Location	Phone	Fax	Opening hours
Laramba (Napperby)	08 8956 8792	08 8942 6843	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Mt Liebig (Amunturrngu)	08 8956 8595	08 8942 6810	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Nyirripi	08 8956 8835	08 8942 6836	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Papunya	08 8956 8505 or 08 08 8923 9584 8956 8803		8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Tara (Neutral Junction)	08 8956 9789	08 8942 6847	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Ti Tree	08 8956 9736	08 8980 0741	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
6 Mile	08 8956 9736	08 8980 0746	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Titjikala (Maryvale)	08 8956 0906	08 8942 6854	8.30am to 4.30pm Emergency 24/7
Wallace Rockhole	08 8956 7763	08 8942 6845	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Wilora (Stirling)	08 8956 9950	08 8942 6844	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7

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Location	Phone	Fax	Opening hours
Willowra	08 8956 8788	08 8942 6840	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Yuelamu (Mt Allen)	08 8956 8747	08 8980 0709	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Yuendumu	08 8956 4030	08 8942 6804	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7
Yulara (Ayers Rock)	08 8956 2224	08 8923 7674	8am to 5pm Emergency 24/7

APPENDIX 2 – NSW LOCAL COUNCIL CONTACT NUMBERS

Local government (councils)

Alice Springs Town Council

Website: www.alicesprings.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8950 0500
Fax: 08 8953 0558

Barkly Regional Council

Website: www.barkly.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8962 0000
Fax: 8962 1801

Belyuen Community Government Council

Website: www.belyuen.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8978 5061
Fax: 08 8978 5009

Central Desert Regional Council

Website: www.centraldesert.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 1300 360 605
Fax: 08 8951 6416

City of Palmerston

Website: www.palmerston.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8935 9922
Fax: 08 8935 9900

Coomalie Community Government Council

Website: www.coomalie.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8976 0058
Fax: 08 8976 0293

Darwin City Council

Website: www.darwin.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8930 0300
Fax: 08 8930 0311

East Arnhem Regional Council

Website: www.eastarnhem.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8986 8986
Fax: 08 8986 8999

Katherine Town Council

Website: www.ktc.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8972 5500
Fax: 08 8971 0305

Litchfield Council

Website: www.litchfield.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8983 0600
Fax: 08 8983 1165

MacDonnell Regional Council

Website: www.macdonnell.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8958 9600
Fax: 08 8958 9601

Roper Gulf Regional Council

Website: www.ropergulf.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8972 9000
Fax: 08 8971 2607

Tiwi Islands Regional Council

Website: www.tiwiislands.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8970 9500
Fax: 08 8970 9555

Victoria Daly Regional Council

Website: www.victoriadaly.nt.gov.au
Telephone: (08) 8972 0777
Fax: 08 8973 8122

Wagait Regional Council

Website: www.wagait.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8978 5185
Fax: 08 8978 5100

West Arnhem Regional Council

Website: www.westarnhem.nt.gov.au
Telephone: 08 8979 9444
Fax: 08 8979 2488

APPENDIX 3 - Pollution Incident Notification Log

Person undertaking notification	Name:		Function:	
Date and Time first became aware of Incident:	Date:		Time:	
Incident Type:				
Comments:				
Immediate notification of further pertinent information (if applicable)				
Regulatory Authority	Time of call	Respondent's Name	Duration of Call	Comments
EPA				
PUBLIC HEALTH UNIT				
FIRE AND RESCUE				
LOCAL COUNCIL				
WORKCOVER				
OTHER:				
OTHER:				
Summary of additional communication:				

POLLUTION INCIDENT REGISTER

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