

SECTION 14 INCIDENT REPORT (*Waste Management and Pollution Control Act*)

Date and Time of Notification:	11/1/2018 0830
Person / Company:	Paul Walford Plantation Management Partners
Incident:	Tannin water release
(a) the incident causing or threatening to cause pollution	On Wednesday 10 th January, NT Port and Marine reported to PMP tannin water entering the Apsley Straight near Basin 1 and 4. On investigation on Thursday 11 th January, observed water to be seeping out of the ground at points along the Southern embankment approx.. 1m above sea level. Both tannin impacted water and clear water was observed coming out of the ground along this area.
(b) the place where the incident occurred	Southern side of stock pile, Port Melville.
(c) the date and time of the incident	Report received from NT Port and Marine at 1600.
(d) how the pollution has occurred, is occurring or may occur	Water appears to be following natural channels and coming to the surface at the level of the underground water table.
(e) the attempts made to prevent, reduce, control, rectify or clean up the pollution or resultant environmental harm caused or threatening to be caused by the incident	As tannin impacted water is coming to surface along the water table measures to reduce this include a reduction in the size of both the top and bottom stockpiles of wood chip and further works to Basin 1 and Basin 4. 2 Shipments of woodchip are planned for January 2018. Works to Basin 1 and 4 will be undertaken once weather permits, however clear water was observed flowing from the water table in the vicinity of Basin 4 and along the length of the stockpile.
(f) the identity of the person notifying the NT EPA	Paul Walford Plantation Management Partners 08 89783773