

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

Date and Time of Notification:	03/03/2023 at 2.22 PM
Person / Company:	City of Darwin (EPL188-03)
Incident:	Leachate seepage
(a) the incident causing or threatening to cause pollution	Leachate seepage detected on the eastern batter of stage 3 cell following heavy rainfall in the last few days.
(b) the place where the incident occurred	Eastern batter of Stage 3 landfill cell, Shoal Bay Waste Management Facility
(c) the date and time of the incident	02/03/2023 at 4.55 PM
(d) how the pollution has occurred, is occurring or may occur	A leachate seepage detected on the eastern batter of stage 3. This portion of the Stage 3 does not have engineered capping yet. There is still seepage occurring onsite. The situation is constantly monitored.

(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

An earthen bund is put in place to contain leachate, which will be collected using a Vac truck to transfer to the leachate ponds. The environmental harm from the incident is low since the leachate is contained onsite, and there will be constant monitoring of the situation.



(f) the identity of the person notifying the NT EPA

City of Darwin. Incident was notified to the Pollution Hotline at 2.22 PM on 03/03/2023