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HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE NM 88330-5000

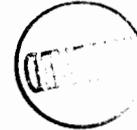
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REPLY TO
ATTN OF: DEV

01 NOV 1991

SUBJECT: Pollution Incident Report

TO: NM Environment Department
Attn: Bruce Swanton
Hazardous Waste Section
1190 St Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503



1. Attached please find a spill notification report. This report is provided in accordance with 40 CFR 265.56(j)(1) through (7). Formal notification was provided by phone to the National Response Center and to the New Mexico Environment Department on 29 October 1991. At this time, it is estimated to be an unleaded mogas spill of 4,725 gallons.

2. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Ms. Sharon N Moore, 833 CSG/DEV, Holloman AFB, NM 88330 - 5000, or call 479-3931.


HOWARD E. MOFFITT
Deputy Base Civil Engineer

1 Atch
Notification Report

cc: 49FW/CC w/ atch



EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION REPORT
(RE: 40 CFR 265.56(j)(1-7))

1. U.S. Air Force
833 CSG/DEV
Holloman AFB, NM 88330-5000
(505) 479-3931
2. Same as item 1.
3. Date/Time/Type of incident: 29 Oct 91/0830 hrs/Fuel Spill
4. Name and Quantity of material(s) involved: Unleaded mogas, 4,725 gallons.
5. Extent of injuries: None
6. Assessment of actual or potential hazards to human health or the environment: No significant impact to human health. However, damage to Federal property during clean-up will be involved.
7. Cause of spill, description of response, estimated quantity and disposition of material: On Oct 23, 1991, Sgt Kilmer inventoried the above ground tanks located near Bldg 828, AGE refueling station. The valve from the tank to the pumps was opened at this time for the first time since they had been installed in June 1991. From Wednesday to Friday, the pump meters indicated that approximately 300 gallons of fuel was consumed. On Tuesday, 29 Oct 91, Sgt Kilmer inventoried the tanks again and determined that 4,725 gallons of fuel was gone. He noted that the pump meter still registered the same as Friday (Oct 25). On 29 Oct 1991 at approximately 0830 hrs, MSgt Barton, 49EMS, contacted Sharon Moore, 833 CSG/DEV, and stated they had lost approximately 4,725 gallons from the above ground 5,000 gallon unleaded mogas tank. Mrs Moore asked that he isolate the tank and discontinue using it. At approximately 0845 hrs, Mrs Moore contacted Pete Carabajal, CE Liquid Fuels, Foreman, and requested they perform a leak test on the underground line. Mr. Carabajal stated they would begin the leak test at 0930 hrs. Roger Wilkson and Cathy Giblin from civil engineering Environmental met the liquid fuels personnel at building 828 where the dispensers and tanks were located. The underground lines were pressure checked with no pressure being attained. Since this system had not been used since its completion, it is believed that underground connections of the pipe are faulty. At this time, it has not been determined as to the approach of clean-up; however, a Scope of Work is currently being written to attain soil borings.
8. The National Response Center, Jim Robinson, at 1-800-424-8802, was contacted regarding this incident on 29 Oct 1991, 1215 hrs (reference NRC Report No 94262).
9. The New Mexico Environment Department, Mr David Morgan and Mr Joe Kennedy, (505) 827-4300, was contacted regarding this incident on 29 Oct 1991, at 1535 hrs
10. The POC for this report is Sharon Moore, Chief Environmental Planning, Holloman AFB, NM, (505) 479-3931.