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# MEMORANDUM

I was contacted by Harvey Decker of LANL at 8:30 am to report the following release incidents which occurred on Thursday, May 22: *5/22/97*

- TA 16, Building 470  
10-15 gallons of diesel were spilled onto a roadway and adjacent soils as a result of a possible crane overfill. The stained soils were removed, the drainage way was boomed with an absorbent and the affected area was sprayed with an enzyme capable of diesel decomposition. The spill is located approximately 1/2 mile from Water Canyon; a visual inspection was performed to ensure that the spill was, indeed, contained.
- TA 3, Parking lot next to the CMR  
An estimated 3-5 gallons of diesel was spilled from a overfilled vehicle onto the parking lot. The incident occurred during a rain event and the diesel traveled into the storm drain leading into Mortandad Canyon. Vermiculite was used to block the storm drain and the outfall was boomed with an absorbent. The remainder of the spill was treated with an enzyme capable of diesel decomposition. The National Spill Response Center was notified as appropriate.



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