

# General Environmental Incident Summary

**Incident:** 976      **Date/Time Notice:** 1/31/2008      1414      **DEM Incident No:**  
**Responsible Party:** Cenex Harvest States Transportation  
**Date Incident:** 1/31/2008      **Time Incident:** 0730      **Duration:** 4.5 hours  
**County:** Emmons      **Twp:** 130      **Rng:** 75      **Sec:** 33      **Qtr:** SE SE SE  
**Lat:** 46.03644      **Long:** -100.07730      **Method:** Derived from TRS  
**Location Description:** US-83 northbound, weigh station, 5 mi N of SD Border.

**Submitted By:** Keith Johnson      **Affiliation:**

**Address:**

**City:**      **State:**      **Zip:**

**Received By:** Kris Roberts

**Contact Person:** Keith Johnson  
4115 - 27th Ave N  
Grand Forks, ND 58203

**Distance Nearest Occupied Building:** 0.5 Miles

**Type of Incident:** tank leak, transport tanker leak

**Description of Released Contaminant:** Number 6 Diesel

**Volume Spilled:** 792.00 gallons      **Ag Related:** No

**EPA Extremely Hazardous Substance:** No      **Reported to NRC:** Unknown

**Cause of Incident:**

Leaking off-load valve on transport tank broke during attempt at tightening.

**Risk Evaluation:**

none

**# of Fatalities:** 0      **# of Injuries:** 0      **Affected Medium:** 03 - soil

**Potential Environmental Impacts:**

Num 6 diesel gels at current temperatures. Is on gravel of DOT weigh station. Area of gravel covered is 30' X 90' before gelled.

**Action Taken or Planned:**

Transport was transloaded to another tanker, completed by 12:00. The remaining gelled diesel on gravel will be removed by truck.

**Wastes Disposal Location:** CHS is currently (on DoH approval) seeking an asphalt plant that can receive and contain the product until use. Also looking for other beneficial re-use opportunities.

**Agencies Involved:** State Highway Patrol

**Updates**

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**Date:** 1/31/2008

Comment

**Staff:** Roberts, Kris

**Updated Volume:**

**Notes:**

NRC was notified. NRC incident # 861124 - Contact Kevin Williams at 11:10 AM this date  
NDDDES Incident # 08-007.

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**Date:** 2/1/2008

Comment

**Staff:** Roberts, Kris

**Updated Volume:**

**Notes:**

Call at 08:25 from Keith Johnson - Cenex HS Transportation. - Northern Improvement out of Bismarck is going to load up the spilled product and return it to Bismarck plant for use in asphalt plant. Will put inside berm and mixed in with sand/gravel pile. Requested that they contact me when emplaced and will visit for photos.