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Mr. Terry Stillman
U.S. EPA Region IV
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SITE: BCX Inc.
BREAK: 2.8
OTHER: v. 2

Dear Mr. Stillman,

Enclosed is a Gulf Strike Team Incident Summary Report for the BCX Tank Site response in Jacksonville, Florida from September 2nd to December 17th, 2004 (GST Case 039-04).

All cost associated with this case were charged to Cercla Project Number C04G12.

Thank you for allowing us the opportunity to work with you and your staff. Should you have any questions regarding our assistance or suggestions for improvement, please feel to contact me anytime at (251) 441-6601.

Sincerely,


F. W. GAUTIER

Encl: (1) Incident Summary Report

Copy: CG NSFCC
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CG GST Case File



10445665

CASE NUMBER: GST 039-04
INCIDENT: BCX TANK SITE
FOSC: Terry Stillman
Region: EPA Region IV
CPN: C04G12



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LOCATION

Jacksonville, Florida

DATES OF RESPONSE

09/02/2004 to 12/17/2004

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

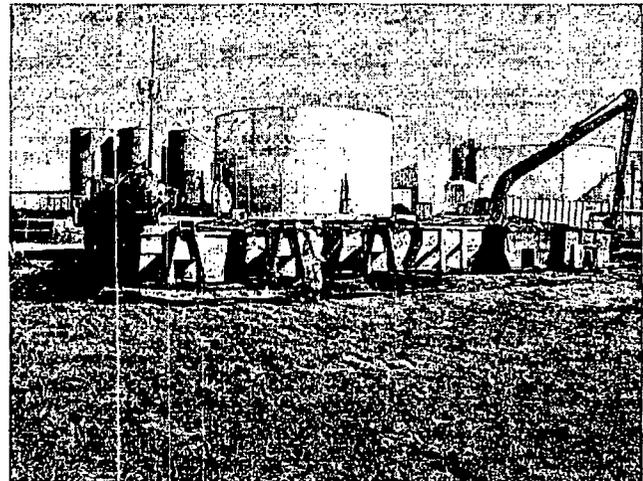
The BCX Tank Facility consists of 17 above ground storage tanks (AST), which contained approximately 500,000 gallons of an oil and water mix and sludge. Damaged tanks, due to age and weathering, began releasing oily water into the primary and secondary containment berms; threatening to over flow. Contractors removed the oil and water mix and sludge from the containment berms and ASTs. EPA requested GST assistance with removal operation support.

PERSONNEL

MST1 Wilson
MST1 Cotton
MST1 Grinstead
BM1 Clausen
DC2 Bodie
CWO Gregory

EQUIPMENT

PHD Ultra
Camera Kit
Computer Kit



Storage box for oily sludge staged by ASTs

RESPONSE ACTIVITIES

GST provided site safety, cost documentation, photo documentation, and contractor monitoring. Contractors used vacuum trucks to remove the oil and water mix from the primary and secondary containment berms that surrounded the damaged, leaking tanks. The mix was then transferred to a series of frac tanks for storage and removal. After completing primary and secondary containment berm pumping operations, contractors removed the oil and water mix from the ASTs. Once complete, contractors removed the oily sludge that built up on AST bottoms. Approximately 1.8 million gallons of oil and water mix and sludge was removed from the containment berms and ASTs and transported off site to a disposal facility.