

U.S Department of Transportation Research and Special Programs Administration

# **Hazardous Materials Incident Report**

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Submit this report to the Information Systems Manager, U.S. Department of Transportation, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Office of Hazardous Materials Safety, DHM-63, Washington, D.C. 20590-0001. If space provided for any item is inadequate, use a separate sheet of paper, identifying the entry number being completed. Copies of this form and instructions can be obtained from the Office of Hazardous Materials Website at http://hazmat.dot.gov. If you have any questions, you can contact the Hazardous Materials Information Center at 1-800-HMR-4922 (1-800-467-4922) or online at http://hazmat.dot.gov.

### **PART I - REPORT TYPE**

1. Incident Id: X-2024100596

2. This is to report:

#### **PART II - GENERAL INCIDENT INFORMATION**

3. Date of Incident:

09/30/2024

5. Enter National Response Center Report Number

(if applicable):

4. Time of Incident (use 24-hour time):

6. If you submitted a report to another Federal DOT agency, enter

the agency and report number:

7. Location of Incident:

LAS VEGAS Citv: **CLARK** County: State: NV

Zip Code: (if known): 89139

Street Address/Mile Marker/Yard Name/Airport/Body of Water/River Mile:

6180 W Oleta Ave

8. Mode of Transportation: Rail 9. Transportation Phase: In Transit

10. Carrier/Reporter:

Name: UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY INC

1400 DOUGLAS ST Street:

City: **OMAHA** State: NE Zip Code: 68179-0002

Federal DOT Id Number: 53433 Hazmat Registration Number: 060322550212EG

11. Shipper/Offeror:

Chief Ethanol Fuels Name: Street: 1111 East Industry Drive

**LEXINGTON** City:

State: NE

Zip Code: 68850

Waybill/Shipping Paper: 209742 Hazmat Registration Number:

12. Origin (if different from shipper address)

Street: City: State: Zip Code:

13. Destination:

Street: 4800 East El Campo Grande

LAS VEGAS City: State: NV Zip Code: 89115

14. Proper Shipping Name of Hazardous

Material:

ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.

15. Technical/Trade Name: ALCOHOLS, N.O.S.

16. Hazardous Class/Division: Flammable - Combustible Liquid

17. Identification Number: (E.g. UN2764, NA 2020) UN1987

Form DOT F 5800.1 (01-2004)

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18. Packing Group: (if applicable)

19. Quantity Released: (Include Measurement Units) 5 Liquid - Gallon

20. Was the material shipped as a hazardous waste? False

If yes, provide the EPA Manifest Number:

21. Is this a Toxic by Inhalation (TIH) material? False

If yes, provide the Hazard Zone:

22. Was the material shipped under an Exemption, Approval, or Competent Authority Certificate? False

If yes, provide the Exemption, Approval, or CA

number:

23. Was this an undeclared hazardous materials

shipment?

False

#### **PART III - PACKAGING INFORMATION**

24. Check Packaging Type (check only one - if more than one, list type of packaging, copy Part III, and complete for each type:

Tank Car

25. See instructions and enter the appropriate failure codes found at the end of the instructions. Be sure to enter the codes from the list that corresponds to the particular packaging type checked above. Enter the number of codes as appropriate to describe the incident.

Enter the most important failure point in line 1. If there are more than two failure points, provide in this format in part VI.

What Failed: - 137-Manway or Dome Cover

How Failed: - 308-Leaked

Causes of Failure: - Improper Preparation for Transportation

26a. Provide the packaging identification markings, if available.

Identification Markings: 117J100W

(Examples: 1A1/Y1.4/150/92/USA/RB/93/RL, UN31H1/Y0493/USA/M9339/10800/1200, DOT - 105A - 100W (RAIL), DOT 406 (HIGHWAY), DOT 51, DOT 3-A)

26b. For Non-bulk, IBC, or non-specification packaging, if identification markings are incomplete or unavailable, see instructions and complete the following:

#### Single Package or Outer Packaging:

#### Single Package or Inner Packaging (if any):

Packaging Type: Material of Construction: Head Type (Drums only): Packaging Type: Material of Construction:

Head Type (Drums only):

27. Describe the package capacity and the quantity:

## Single Package or Outer Packaging:

#### Single Package or Inner Packaging (if any):

Package Capacity: 30520 Liquid - Gallon
Amount in Package: 27500 Liquid - Gallon
Number in Shipment: 1
Number Failed: 1

Package Capacity:
Amount in Package:
Number in Shipment:
Number Failed:

28. Provide packaging construction and test information, as appropriate:

Manufacturer: GMB Serial Number: TCBX305042 Manufacture Date: Last Test Date:

Material of Construction: (if Tank Car, CTMV, Portable Tank, or Cylinder)

Design Pressure: (if Tank Car, CTMV, Portable Tank, or Cylinder)

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Head Thickness: 0.56 inch (if Tank Car, CTMV)

Service Pressure: (if Cylinder)

If valve or device failed:

Type: Model:

Manufacturer:

 $\ \ \, \textbf{29. If the packaging is for Radioactive Materials, complete the following:} \\$ 

Packaging Category: Packaging Certification: Certification Number:

Nuclide(s) Present: Transport Index:

Activity:

Critical Safety Index:

#### **PART IV - CONSEQUENCES**

30. Result of Incident (check all that apply):

- Spillage: True - Fire

- Explosion: - Material Entered Waterway/Storm Sewer:

- Vapor (Gas) Dispersion:
 - No Release:
 - Environmental Damage:

31. Emergency Response: The following entities responded to the incident: (Check all that apply)

Fire/EMS Report #:
Police Report #:
In-house cleanup:
Other Cleanup:
True

32. Damages Was the total damage cost more than \$500? True

If yes, enter the following information: (If no, go to question 33.)

Material Loss: \$ 0.00
Carrier Damage: \$ 0.00
Property Damage: \$ 0.00
Response Cost: \$ 0.00
Remediation/Cleanup Cost: \$ 1,500.00

(See damage definitions in the instructions)

33a. Did the hazardous material cause or contribute to a human fatality? False

If yes, enter the number of fatalities resulting from the hazardous material:

Employees: Responders: General Public:

33b. Were there human fatalities that did not result from the hazardous material? False

If yes, how many?

34. Did the hazardous material cause or contribute to personal Injury? False

If yes, enter the number of injuries resulting from the hazardous material:

Hospitalized (Admitted Only):

Employees: Responders: General Public:

Non-Hospitalized:

(e.g.: On site first aid or Emergency Room observation and release)

Employees: Responders: General Public:

35. Did the hazardous material cause or contribute to an evacuation? False

If yes, provide the following information:

Total number of general public evacuated: Total number of employees evacuated:

Total evacuated:

Duration of the evacuation:

36. Was a major transportation artery or facility closed? False

If yes, how many?

37. Was the material involved in a crash or derailment? False

If yes, provide the following information:

Estimated speed (mph):
Weather conditions:
Vehicle overturned?
Vehicle left roadway/track?

### PART V - AIR INCIDENT INFORMATION (please refer to S 175.31 to report a discrepancy for air shipments)

38. Was the shipment on a passenger aircraft?

If yes, was it tendered as cargo, or as passenger baggage?

39. Where did the incident occur (if unknown, check the appropriate box for the location where the incident was discovered)?

40. What phase(s) had the shipment already undergone prior to the incident? (Check all that apply)

- Shipment had not been transported - Transported by air (first flight)

- Transport by air (subsequent flights) - Initial transport by highway to cargo facility

- Transfer at sort center/cargo facility

### PART VI - DESCRIPTION OF EVENTS & PACKAGE FAILURE

- Describe the sequence of events that led to the incident and the actions taken at the time it was discovered. Describe the package failure, including the size and location of holes, cracks, etc. Photographs and diagrams should be submitted if needed for clarification. Estimate the duration of the release, if possible. Describe what was done to mitigate the effects of the release. Continue on additional sheets if necessary.

#### Describe:

TCBX 305042 was spotted in the Arden Yard in Las Vegas, Nevada with product running down the side of the tank during switching operations. Contractor responded and found four manway swing bolts less than tool tight and an estimated 5 gallons released. Contractor secured the tank car prior to the tank car continuing in transportation.

#### PART VII - RECOMMENDATIONS/ACTIONS TAKEN TO PREVENT RECURRENCE

- Where you are able to do so, suggest or describe changes (such as additional training, use of better packaging, or improved operating procedures) to help prevent recurrence. Provide recommendations for improvement to hazardous materials transportation beyond the control of your individual company. Continue on additional sheets if necessary.

#### Describe

Spoke with shipper about proper securement.

#### **PART VIII - CONTACT INFORMATION**

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