



U.S. Department of Transportation  
Research and Special Programs  
Administration

### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAR 09 2002

No. 20020083 - 11553  
(DOT Use Only)

#### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

#### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 21 W SUPERIOR ST
- e. Operator address DULUTH CLEARWATER MN 55802  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
355 / 02 / 22 / 2002  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)  
a. Latitude: 47° 22' 40 Longitude: -95° 24' 44  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)  
b. CLEARBROOK CLEARWATER  
City and County or Parish  
c. MN 56634  
State and Zip Code  
d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
0909.10
4. Telephone report  
594783 / 02 / 22 / 2002  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)  
**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**  
Public/private property damage \$ 0  
Cost of emergency response phase \$ 0  
Cost of environmental remediation \$ 0  
Other Costs \$ 0  
(describe) \_\_\_\_\_  
**Operator Losses:**  
Value of product lost \$ 0  
Value of operator property damage \$ 0  
Other Costs \$ 120,000  
(describe) REPLACEMENT OF METER  
**Total Costs:** \$ 120,000

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)  
a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL  
b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:  
 Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)  
**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 50  
Recovered: 50

#### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

#### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
(type or print) Name and Title Date Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1992 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 150 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 720 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

- e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)

	Fatalities	Injuries
a. Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
Totals:	0	0

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. / \_\_\_\_\_ / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 1  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

- H1 - CORROSION**
- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?
  - No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?
  - No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

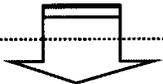
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

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ANALYSIS BY FMC ENERGY SYSTEMS INDICATED THAT DAMAGE TO THE METER BODY APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY HYDRAULIC SHOCK, AND WAS EXTENUATED BY IMPROPER LENGTH (ENGAGEMENT) OF MOUNTING BOLTS THAT SECURED THE INNERMECH TO THE METER BODY. INVESTIGATION OF THIS INCIDENT IDENTIFIED THAT A SUDDEN SURGE OF FLOW TO THE METER (HYDRAULIC SHOCK), DURING A DELIVERY ROOM FROM TANKAGE, MAY HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY STARTING THE BOOSTER PUMPS AFTER THE VALVE WAS FULLY OPEN. REVISED DELIVERY PROCEDURES HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED THAT ENSURE BOOSTER PUMPS ARE STARTED WITH PARTIALLY OPEN VALVES, THUS PREVENTING THIS SITUATION FROM REOCCURRING. IT REMAINS INCONCLUSIVE AS TO WHY 5" RATHER THAN 6" BOLTS WERE INSTALLED IN THE METER. SMITH METER HAS AGREED TO ASSUME THE COSTS FOR REPAIR OF THE INNEMECH BODY, SINCE THE SMITH METER REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE PARTS LISTS WERE UNCLEAR FOR THIS PARTICULAR METER.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAR 12, 2002

No. 20020085 - 11554  
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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 21 W SUPERIOR STREET
- e. Operator address DULUTH ST LOUIS MN 55802  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

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2. Time and date of the accident  
320 / 02 / 14 / 2002  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 47° 22' 40 Longitude: -94° 38' 15  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. CASS LAKE CASS  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 56633  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
0953.04
4. Telephone report  
594083 / 02 / 14 / 2002  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>100</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>10,000</u>
(describe)		<u>CONTAMINATED SOIL REMOVAL</u>
<b>Total Costs:</b>	\$	<u>10,100</u>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 50  
Recovered: 45

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

- Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
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 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including pumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1971 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 200 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 619 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 30 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .5 / in.  
 3. Specification API 5L SMYS / 35000 /  
 4. Seam type DSAW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 30 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
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	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 512  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
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  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

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- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?
  - No  Yes, Year Protection Started:    /    /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?
  - No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:    /    /    years    /    /    months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact    /    /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received:    /    /    mo.    /    /    day    /    /    yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

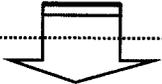
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

COMPANY MAINTENANCE CREWS WERE EXCAVATING A 30" PUMP STATION SUCTION LINE (LINE 4) AS PART OF THE TERRACE III EXPANSION PROJECT. DURING THIS EXCAVATION, A FAILURE OCCURRED IN A 3/4" PIPING NIPPLE THAT WAS CONNECTED TO THE SUCTION LINE VIA A SOCK-O-LET FITTING. APPROXIMATELY 50 BARRELS OF PRODUCT WAS RELEASED AND CONTAINED WITHIN AN 80'X50' BERMED AREA ON STATION PROPERTY. THE DAMAGED SECTION OF LINE WAS IMMEDIATELY ISOLATED AND REPAIRED. SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION OF THE INCIDENT REVEALED THAT MECHANICAL EXCAVATING EQUIPMENT MAY HAVE BEEN OPERATING IN CLOSER PROXIMITY TO THE STATION PIPING THAN ALLOWED BY COMPANY PROCEDURES. HOWEVER, IT IS UNCLEAR WHETHER THE 3/4" PIPE WAS DIRECTLY IMPACTED, OR IF SOIL STRESS RESULTING FROM GROUND FROST CAUSED THE FAILURE, AS THE FITTING IN QUESTION WAS NEVER RECOVERED. AS A PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE, COMPANY POLICY REGARDING EXCAVATION OF EXISTING LINES WAS REVIEWED WITH THE OPERATOR AND HIS IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR AFTER THE INCIDENT. IN ADDITION, INCIDENT SAFETY BULLETINS WERE ISSUED COMPANY-WIDE TO REINFORCE COMPANY POLICY ON EXCAVATION.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date AUG 02, 2002

No. 20020238 - 11552  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /  
 2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
 d. Operator street address 21 W SUPERIOR ST  
 e. Operator address DULUTH CLEARWATER MN 55802  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §95.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
12 / 07 / 04 / 2002  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
*(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)*
- a. Latitude: 47° 16' 9" Longitude: -93° 38' 10"  
*(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)*
- b. COHASSET ITASCA  
City and County or Parish
- c. MN 55721  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
*(whichever gives more accurate location)*  
MP 1002.7
4. Telephone report  
615614 / 07 / 04 / 2002  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
- Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**
- |                                   |                     |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Public/private property damage    | \$ <u>244,800</u>   |
| Cost of emergency response phase  | \$ <u>1,109,600</u> |
| Cost of environmental remediation | \$ <u>840,000</u>   |
| Other Costs                       | \$ <u>3,232,900</u> |
- (describe) CONTRACTOR CLEAN UP
- Operator Losses:**
- |                                   |                   |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Value of product lost             | \$ <u>120,000</u> |
| Value of operator property damage | \$ <u>50,000</u>  |
| Other Costs                       | \$ <u>0</u>       |
- (describe) \_\_\_\_\_
- Total Costs:** \$ 5,597,300

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
*(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)*
- a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:**  
 Spilled: 6,000  
 Recovered: 2,574

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA **OPA** \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / \_\_\_\_\_ 1967 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ 525 \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ 687 \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) 6  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) 5  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ 60,192 \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ 60,192 \_\_\_\_\_ ft

- e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_ 1993 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_ 1979 \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_ 1998 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_ 2000 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_ 2000 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_ 1996 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ 34 \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ .31 \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification **API 5LX** SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ 52000 \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type **DSAW**  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ 1967 \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ 17 \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ 0 \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ 28 \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / \_\_\_\_\_ 0 \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. / \_\_\_\_\_ 0 \_\_\_\_\_ / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: \_\_\_\_\_ 15,000 \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ 6000 \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 1

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started:    /    /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:    /    /    years    /    /    months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact    /    /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received:    /    / mo.    /    /    / day    /    /    / yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
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- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

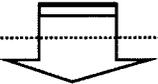
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / 1991 / yr. / 9 / mo. / 10 / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 8 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 930 PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

ON JULY 4, 2002 AT APPROXIMATELY 00:12 MST, LINE 4 AT MP 1002.7 EXPERIENCED A FAILURE IN A REMOTE OPEN WETLAND AREA. THE AREA OF THE RELEASE WAS AT A LOCATION WEST OF THE CITY OF COHASSET, MN. APPROXIMATELY 6,000 BARRELS OF CRUDE OIL WAS RELEASED AS A RESULT OF THE RUPTURE. IN AN EFFORT TO MINIMIZE THE IMPACT TO THE SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT, A CONTROLLED BURN OF THE CRUDE OIL WAS EXECUTED IN COORDINATION WITH COMPANY, LOCAL AND STATE OFFICIALS. ON JULY 4, 2002 AT APPROXIMATELY 1445 MST IGNITION OF THE RELEASED CRUDE OIL TOOK PLACE. RESIDENTS FROM APPROXIMATELY 10 HOMES WERE EVACUATED FROM THE SURROUNDING AREA AS A PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE. THERE WERE NO INJURIES AS A RESULT OF THE RELEASE OR FROM THE CONTROLLED BURN. NO WATERWAYS WERE IMPACTED BY THE RELEASE. THE INCIDENT IS STILL BEING INVESTIGATED TO DETERMINE THE ACTUAL CAUSE OF THE FAILURE.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date NOV 07, 2002

No. 20020386 -- 11558  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / \_\_\_\_\_ /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 21 WEST SUPERIOR STREET
- e. Operator address DULUTH ST LOUIS MN 55802  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
435 / 11 / 04 / 2002  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 46° 55' 40" Longitude: -92° 55' 59"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. FLOODWOOD ST LOUIS  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 55736  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
1044.37
4. Telephone report  
628094 / 11 / 04 / 2002  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>150,000</u>
(describe) <u>LEAK ESTIMATE</u>	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>150,000</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 4  
Recovered: 1

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion     Natural Forces     Excavation Damage     Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures     Equipment     Incorrect Operation     Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title (715) 394-1547  
Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM Preparer's E-mail Address (715) 394-1500  
Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
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 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1971 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 130 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 618 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated 100 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 13,516 ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 1993  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 1989  
 UT tool Year run: 2002  
 Geometry tool Year run: 2002  
 Caliper tool Year run: 2002  
 Crack tool Year run: 2002  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 34 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .28 / in.  
 3. Specification API 5L X52 SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type FLASH WELD  
 5. valve type STOPPLE TEE  
 6. Manufactured by TDW in year / 1971 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 36 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
**Totals:** 0 0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 2 days 0 hours 0 minutes

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 1 / hr. / / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 15  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours 12

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:
    - Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / 1992 / yr. / 6 / mo. / 4 / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 9 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 825 PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

- 25.  Unknown
- Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT** (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

AT 04:35 MST, AN ENBRIDGE EMPLOYEE NOTICED CRUDE OIL IN AN EXCAVATION AND ON THE GROUND IN FLOODWOOD STATION. THE CONTROL CENTER WAS NOTIFIED, AND ALL LINES WERE IMMEDIATELY SHUT DOWN AND ISOLATED. CAUSE OF THE LEAK WAS A CRACKED FILLET WELD ON THE UPSTREAM END OF A STOPPLE TEE. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT IS MINIMAL, AS ALL OIL WAS CONTAINED WITHIN THE STATION. APPROXIMATELY 15 YARDS OF CONTAMINATED SOIL WAS EXCAVATED.

THE LEAKING TEE WAS BETWEEN A MAIN LINE BLOCK VALVE AND ANOTHER STOPPLE TEE. USING THE VALVE AND TEE FOR ISOLATION, THE LEAKING TEE WAS CUT OUT OF THE PIPELINE AND SENT TO A LABORATORY FOR ANALYSIS. THE INITIATING FEATURE WAS A WELD DEFECT WHICH GREW THROUGH OPERATING PRESSURE CYCLES, RESULTING IN THE GROWTH OF A FATIGUE CRACK THROUGH THE FILLET WELD.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date FEB 24, 2003

No. 20030083 -- 11564  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / \_\_\_\_\_ /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 21 W SUPERIOR ST
- e. Operator address DULUTH CLEARWATER MN 55802-2067  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
845 / 01 / 24 / 2003  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 46° 41' 30" Longitude: -92° 03' 35"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. SUPERIOR DOUGLAS  
City and County or Parish
  - c. WI 54880  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
1096.95
4. Telephone report  
634984 / 01 / 25 / 2003  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ <u>75,000</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>750,000</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>750,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>25,000</u>

(describe) ICE REMOVAL FROM THE NEMADJI RIVER

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$ <u>3,000</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>750,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>500,000</u>

(describe) TANK FEEDER LINE REPAIR AND HYDRO TESTING

**Total Costs:** \$ 2,853,000

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 4,500  
Recovered: 4,450

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	(715) 394-1547 Area Code and Telephone Number
EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM Preparer's E-mail Address	_____ Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No  
 Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA **NEMAJI RIVER**

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: **END CAP OF DELIVERY LINE FAILED**  
 Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1950 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 200 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 275 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No

f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 24 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .34 / in.  
 3. Specification **API 5LX** SMYS / /  
 4. Seam type **OTHER**  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by **UNKNOWN** in year / /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 12 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
**Totals:** 0 0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 15 hours 52 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 12,000  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 0 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPMSCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?
  - No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?
  - No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism



**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

ON JANUARY 24, 2003, AN INCIDENT OCCURRED AT OUR SUPERIOR, WISCONSIN TERMINAL FACILITIES DURING A SWING FROM TANK 19 TO TANK 23 OFF LINE 4. WHILE OUR INVESTIGATION IS ONGOING, INITIAL INDICATIONS ARE THAT AN END CAP OFF OF A 24" DELIVERY LINE FAILED DURING A RELATIVELY MINOR PRESSURE SURGE CAUSED BY AN OPERATOR MOMENTARILY SWINGING AGAINST A CLOSED TERMINAL VALVE DURING A DELIVERY. THIS RESULTED IN THE RELEASE OF APPROXIMATELY 4500 BARRELS CRUDE OIL, A PORTION OF WHICH MIGRATED OFF SITE TO THE NEARBY FROZEN NEMADJI RIVER. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT APPROXIMATELY 450 BARRELS OF OIL REACHED THE RIVER; HOWEVER, INFORMATION GATHERED FROM NUMEROUS MONITORING WELLS INDICATED THAT THE PRODUCT WAS CONTAINED ABOVE THE ICE AND THAT IT DID NOT REACH THE ACTUAL WATERS OF THE RIVER. CLEANUP OF THE ICE HAS BEEN COMPLETED, AND CLEANUP IS STILL IN PROGRESS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE AFFECTED FACILITIES.



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### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAY 14 2003

No. 20030187 - 11566  
(DOT Use Only)

#### INSTRUCTIONS

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#### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

- 1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
- 2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

- 2. Time and date of the accident  
1216 / 04 / 14 / 2003  
hr. month day year
- 3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 47° 47' 50" Longitude: -95° 43' 10"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. TRAIL POLK  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 56684  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
892.95
- 4. Telephone report  
642177 / 04 / 14 / 2003  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>500,000</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>200,000</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>300,000</u>
(describe) <u>GIRTH WELD INVESTIGATION</u>		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		

**Total Costs:** \$ 1,000,000

- 6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:

- Barrels
- Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:

Spilled: 125

Recovered: 75

#### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage
- Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

#### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title

(715) 394-1547  
Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address

Area Code and Facsimile Number

Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

- Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA OPA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 225  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 619  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ 32 ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ 32 ft

- e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 1998  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 1989  
 UT tool Year run: 2002  
 Geometry tool Year run: 2002  
 Caliper tool Year run: 2002  
 Crack tool Year run: 2001  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 34 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .28 / in.  
 3. Specification X52 SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by U.S. STEEL in year / 1967 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 42 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 2,000  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 12

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
    - a. Pipe Coating:  Bare  Coated
    - b. Visual Examination:  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
    - c. Cause of Corrosion:  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / /
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / / years / / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group:  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  Yes; Date received: / / mo. / / day / / yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism



**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILROAD EMPLOYEES WERE WORKING IN THE AREA OF MP 894 WHEN THEY SPOTTED A CONTRACT INSPECTOR WORKING WITH A SLEEVING CREW. THEY REPORTED THAT THEY SAW CRUDE OIL ON THE GROUND AND TOOK THE INSPECTOR TO THE LOCATION. THE INSPECTOR SAW THE SPILL AND IMMEDIATELY CONTACTED THE PROJECT COORDINATOR WHO, IN TURN, CONTACTED THE CONTROL CENTER. THE CONTROL CENTER OPERATORS IMMEDIATELY SHUT DOWN ALL LINES IN THE AREA AND BEGAIN EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS.

THE OIL WAS CONTAINED IN A MARSHY AREA, AND BERMS WERE CONSTRUCTED TO PREVENT EXFILTRATION OFF-SITE. FREE PRODUCT WAS REMOVED WITH VACUUM TRUCKS, AND CONTAMINATED SOIL WAS HAULED TO A STORAGE FACILITY FOR FUTURE LANDFARMING AND LANDFILLING.

A PLIDCO SPLIT+SLEEVE WAS INSTALLED INITIALLY AS A TEMPORARY REPAIR UNTIL A CUT-OUT COULD BE PERFORMED. THE CUT-OUT WAS COMPLETED ON APRIL 22, 2003. IN ADDITION TO THE STOPPLE TEES, TWO PLIDCO WELD+END COUPLINGS WERE USED TO TIE IN THE NEW PIPE.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JUN 06, 2003

No. 20030218 -- 11512  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /  
 b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1530 / 05 / 08 / 2003  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
*(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)*
- a. Latitude: 41° 30' 56" Longitude: -87° 26' 55"  
*(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)*
- b. GRIFFITH LAKE  
City and County or Parish
- c. IN 46319  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
*(whichever gives more accurate location)*  
465.38
4. Telephone report  
644441 / 05 / 08 / 2003  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
- Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**
- |                                   |                  |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| Public/private property damage    | \$ <u>0</u>      |
| Cost of emergency response phase  | \$ <u>0</u>      |
| Cost of environmental remediation | \$ <u>0</u>      |
| Other Costs                       | \$ <u>10,000</u> |
- (describe) SOIL DISPOSAL
- Operator Losses:**
- |                                   |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Value of product lost             | \$ <u>0</u> |
| Value of operator property damage | \$ <u>0</u> |
| Other Costs                       | \$ <u>0</u> |
- (describe)
- Total Costs:** \$ 10,000

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
*(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)*
- a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:**  
 Spilled: 700  
 Recovered: 695

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>THERESA PICTON</u> <small>(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title</small>	<u>(715) 394-1468</u> <small>Area Code and Telephone Number</small>
<u>THERESA.PICTON@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> <small>Preparer's E-mail Address</small>	<u>(832) 325-5477</u> <small>Area Code and Facsimile Number</small>
_____ <small>Authorized Signature</small>	_____ <small>Date</small>
_____ <small>(type or print) Name and Title</small>	_____ <small>Area Cod and Telephone Number</small>

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Other (specify) **TANK DRAIN LINE**

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1989 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 15 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 15 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 0 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 200  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours 1

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / / years / / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / /
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / / mo. / / day / / yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

### H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES

#### Material

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Weld

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.



a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

### H6 - EQUIPMENT

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION

23.  Incorrect Operation

a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

### H8 - OTHER

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: **TANK ROOF DRAIN FAILURE**

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

### PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

A TANK ROOF DRAIN LINE FAILURE OCCURRED WHILE REFLOATING THE ROOF OF TANK 72. THE ENTIRE AMOUNT RELEASED WAS CONTAINED IN THE TANK DIKE AREA. FREE STANDING OIL WAS PICKED UP WITH THE TANK TRUCK UNLOADING PUMP AND REINJECTED. CONTAMINATED SOIL HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM THE SITE, AND NO FURTHER SITE REMEDIATION IS ANTICIPATED.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JUN 19, 2003

No. 20030233 -- 11569  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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**PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION** check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /  
 2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1339 / 05 / 26 / 2003  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
 (If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
- a. Latitude: 47° 41' 20" Longitude: -95° 24' 44"  
 (If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
- b. CLEARBROOK CLEARWATER  
City and County or Parish
- c. MN 56634  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
 (whichever gives more accurate location)  
909.19
4. Telephone report  
646085 / 05 / 27 / 2003  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
- Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**
- |                                   |    |               |
|-----------------------------------|----|---------------|
| Public/private property damage    | \$ | <u>0</u>      |
| Cost of emergency response phase  | \$ | <u>10,000</u> |
| Cost of environmental remediation | \$ | <u>0</u>      |
| Other Costs                       | \$ | <u>10,000</u> |
- (describe) CLEANUP
- Operator Losses:**
- |                                   |    |          |
|-----------------------------------|----|----------|
| Value of product lost             | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Value of operator property damage | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Other Costs                       | \$ | <u>0</u> |
- (describe) \_\_\_\_\_
- Total Costs:** \$ 20,000

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
 (If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
- a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 100  
 Recovered: 100

**CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):**

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

**PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE**

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Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

### H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES

#### Material

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

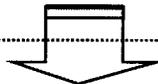
#### Weld

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.



a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / 2002 / yr. / 9 / mo. / 5 / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 8 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 677 PSIG

### H6 - EQUIPMENT

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION

23.  Incorrect Operation

a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

### H8 - OTHER

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

### PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

A GASKET ON THE FLANGE CONNECTING THE UNIT #3 PUMP TO THE DISCHARGE ELBOW BLEW OUT, RELEASING APPROXIMATELY 100 BARRELS OF CRUDE OIL INTO THE LINE 4 PUMPROOM. THE RELEASED CRUDE WAS CONTAINED WITHIN LINE 4 PUMPROOM BUILDING. LINE 4 REMAINED DOWN UNTIL APPROXIMATELY 0400 MST, 0/27/03. THE DAMAGED GASKET WAS REPLACED AND UNIT #3 WAS RELEASED TO ACTIVE SERVICE.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAR 09, 2002

No. 20020083 - 11553  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 21 W SUPERIOR ST
- e. Operator address DULUTH CLEARWATER MN 55802  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
355 / 02 / 22 / 2002  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 47° 22' 40 Longitude: -95° 24' 44  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. CLEARBROOK CLEARWATER  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 56634  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
0909.10
4. Telephone report  
594783 / 02 / 22 / 2002  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>120,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPLACEMENT OF METER</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>120,000</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved :
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts :**  
Spilled : 50  
Recovered : 50

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels) :

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	(715) 394-1547 Area Code and Telephone Number
EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM Preparer's E-mail Address	_____ Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID4 \_\_\_\_\_ Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)? Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1992 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 150 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 720 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. \_\_\_\_\_ / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 1  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- |   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Pipe Coating           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Bare</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Coated</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>b. Visual Examination           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Localized Pitting</li> <li><input type="radio"/> General Corrosion</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>c. Cause of Corrosion           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Galvanic <input type="radio"/> Atmospheric</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Stray Current <input type="radio"/> Microbiological</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Cathodic Protection Disrupted</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Stress Corrosion Cracking</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Selective Seam Corrosion</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
|---|--|---|
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?
    - No  Yes, Year Protection Started:    /    /
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?
    - No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:    /    /    years    /    /    months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact    /    /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received:    /    /    mo.    /    /    day    /    /    yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism



**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

ANALYSIS BY FMC ENERGY SYSTEMS INDICATED THAT DAMAGE TO THE METER BODY APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY HYDRAULIC SHOCK, AND WAS EXTENUATED BY IMPROPER LENGTH (ENGAGEMENT) OF MOUNTING BOLTS THAT SECURED THE INNERMECH TO THE METER BODY. INVESTIGATION OF THIS INCIDENT IDENTIFIED THAT A SUDDEN SURGE OF FLOW TO THE METER (HYDRAULIC SHOCK), DURING A DELIVERY ROOM FROM TANKAGE, MAY HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY STARTING THE BOOSTER PUMPS AFTER THE VALVE WAS FULLY OPEN. REVISED DELIVERY PROCEDURES HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED THAT ENSURE BOOSTER PUMPS ARE STARTED WITH PARTIALLY OPEN VALVES, THUS PREVENTING THIS SITUATION FROM REOCCURRING. IT REMAINS INCONCLUSIVE AS TO WHY 5" RATHER THAN 6" BOLTS WERE INSTALLED IN THE METER. SMITH METER HAS AGREED TO ASSUME THE COSTS FOR REPAIR OF THE INNEMECH BODY, SINCE THE SMITH METER REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE PARTS LISTS WERE UNCLEAR FOR THIS PARTICULAR METER.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date NOV 13, 2003

No. 20030413 -- 11527  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
348 / 10 / 13 / 2003  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 43° 37' 42" Longitude: -83° 59' 14"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. BAY CITY BAY  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MI 48706  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
1636.70
4. Telephone report  
702318 / 10 / 13 / 2003  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>120,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>120,000</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 500  
Recovered: 430

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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Area Code and Telephone Number

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Preparer's E-mail Address

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Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID5 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No  
 Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)? Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:  
 4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Year the component that failed was installed: / 1990 /  
 5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 596 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 603 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system  
 g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / / in.  
 2. Wall thickness / / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 37 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 10 hours 0 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 800  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

THE SOURCE OF THE RELEASE WAS FROM A BELOW GRADE VAULT OR PIT ON THE STATION DISCHARGE PIPING. THE CAUSE WAS DUE TO THE AGING AND RESULTANT WEAKENING OF A 2000 PSI RATED 1/2-INCH DIAMETER HYDRAULIC HOSE USED FOR CALIBRATION, WHICH WAS ATTACHED TO A FLOW METER LOCATED IN AN UNDERGROUND VAULT OR PIT. THE PIT CONTAINED WATER AND, AS CRUDE OIL WAS RELEASED, IT FLOATED TO THE TOP, FILLING AND OVERFLOWING THE VAULT, AND FURTHER TRAVELING SEVERAL HUNDRED FEET TO THE CONTAINMENT POND. THE RELEASE WAS CONTAINED ON STATION PROPERTY, BETWEEN THE CONTAINMENT POND AND THE SOURCE OF THE RELEASE. THE FAULTY HOSE WAS REMOVED AND REPLACED.



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### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAR 16, 2004

No. 20040063 - 11586  
(DOT Use Only)

#### INSTRUCTIONS

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#### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

- 1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
- b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

- 2. Time and date of the accident  
1032 / 02 / 19 / 2004  
hr. month day year
- 3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 47° 15' 10" Longitude: -93° 33' 04"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. GRAND RAPIDS ITASCA  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 55744  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
1007.33
- 4. Telephone report  
714880 / 03 / 02 / 2004  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>27,500</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>27,500</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>34,790</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>1,000,000</u>
(describe)		<u>ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION</u>
<b>Total Costs:</b>	\$	<u>1,089,790</u>

- 6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 1,003  
Recovered: 9

#### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels): (For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage
- Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

#### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM (715) 394-1500  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)? Describe HCA DW & OPA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1957 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 809 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 15 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 15 ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 2003  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: 2003  
 Crack tool Year run: 2002  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 26 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .28 / in.  
 3. Specification API5LX SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type ERW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by IPSCO in year / 1956 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 36 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
 Totals: 0 0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 800  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 994 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - a. Pipe Coating
    - Bare
    - Coated
  - b. Visual Examination
    - Localized Pitting
    - General Corrosion
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Cause of Corrosion
    - Galvanic  Atmospheric
    - Stray Current  Microbiological
    - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
    - Stress Corrosion Cracking
    - Selective Seam Corrosion
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.  Internal Corrosion  
(Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

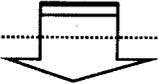
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT** (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

A CONTRACT CREW UNDER DIRECTION OF AN ENBRIDGE PROJECT COORDINATOR WAS BEGINNING TO DIG AN INDICATION (DENT WITH METAL LOSS) AT MP 1007.33 NEAR THE TOWN OF GRAND RAPIDS, MN. ALTHOUGH NO OIL WAS SEEN ON THE TOP OF THE GROUND, FRESHLY CONTAMINATED SOIL WAS ENCOUNTERED ONCE DIGGING COMMENCED. THE SOURCE OF THE LEAK WAS DETERMINED TO BE A SLOW, WEEPING CRACK ON OUR 26" LINE 2 PIPE. UPON EXCAVATION, A ROCK WAS REMOVED FROM THE DENT AND WAS DETERMINED TO BE THE ROOT CAUSE OF THE LEAK. A ONE-FOT TIGHT-FITTING SLEEVE, PLACED OVER A RUBBER PATCH, WAS WELDED OVER THE DENT. DISCOVERY, EVALUATION AND REPAIR OF CRACK WAS ALL COMPLETED WITHIN 12 HOURS.

UPDATE 8/11/2004 - AN ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT HAS DETERMINED THAT THE GROUNDWATER DIRECTLY BELOW THE AREA OF THE LEAK WAS AFFECTED. ADDITIONAL MONITORING WELLS MUST BE INSTALLED TO DETERMINE THE EXTENT OF THE GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION. ONCE THE WELLS ARE INSTALLED AND MONITORED, A BETTER ESTIMATE OF VOLUME AND COST OF ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION CAN BE ESTABLISHED.

FOLLOWING THE INSTALLATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF A MONITORING WELL, APPROXIMATELY 1 FOOT OF OIL WAS OBSERVED IN EARLY AUGUST 2004. THE MINNESOTA POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY WAS NOTIFIED OF THIS FINDING AT THAT TIME. ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION WAS NECESSARY TO DEFINE THE OIL LOST AND THE ASSOCIATED IMPACTS TO GROUNDWATER, WHICH TOOK SOME TIME DUE TO DIFFICULT SITE ACCESS, REQUIRED PERMITS, CHANGE IN LAND OWNERSHIP AND DIFFICULT DRILLING CONDITIONS (LARGE BOULDERS). DRILLING BEGAN IN EARLY SEPTEMBER AND CONTINUED THROUGH NOVEMBER UNTIL SNOWFALL RESTRICTED ACCESS. ALL MONITORING WELLS WERE SUBSEQUENTLY DEVELOPED AND SURVEYED. THE INITIAL MONITORING EVENT WAS COMPLETED IN MID-DECEMBER AND A CONFIRMATORY SAMPLING EVENT WAS CONDUCTED IN LATE JANUARY TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE INITIAL OBSERVATIONS WERE VALID AND THE OIL THICKNESSES OBSERVED IN THE WELLS HAD STABILIZED. FOLLOWING THE COLLECTION OF THE DATA FROM THE LATE JANUARY SAMPLING EVENT, THE OIL LOST VOLUME WAS SUBSEQUENTLY CALCULATED BASED ON THE OBSERVED OIL THICKNESSES IN THE MONITORING WELLS AND REPORTED TO THE APPLICABLE AGENCIES INVOLVED.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date APR 29, 2004

No. 20040100 - 11589  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

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 2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

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2. Time and date of the accident  
 / 1500 / / 04 / / 02 / / 2004 /  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
*(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)*
- a. Latitude: 46° 41' 12" Longitude: -92° 03' 12"  
*(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)*
- b. SUPERIOR DOUGLAS  
City and County or Parish
- c. WI 54880  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
*(whichever gives more accurate location)*  
1096.95

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ _____ 0
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ _____ 0
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ _____ 0
Other Costs	\$ _____ 0
<small>(describe) _____</small>	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ _____ 0
Value of operator property damage	\$ _____ 0
Other Costs	\$ _____ 10,000
<small>(describe) <u>REPAIR &amp; CLEANUP</u></small>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ _____ 10,000</b>

4. Telephone report  
 / 717713 / / 04 / / 02 / / 2004 /  
NRC Report Number month day year

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
*(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)*
- a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 2  
 Recovered: 2

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels): (For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_ (type or print) Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Area Cod and Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA OPA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 2004 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 275 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 26 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .38 / in.  
 3. Specification 5L SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 20  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

DURING HYDROTEST PREPARATORY WORK ON 26" PIPING WITHIN THE SUPERIOR TERMINAL, A VAPOR PLUG APPARENTLY FAILED DURING WELDING OPERATIONS, RESULTING IN A FLASH, SIGNIFICANT SMOKE, AND THE RELEASE OF ABOUT 2 BARRELS OF CRUDE OIL INTO THE EXCAVATION. THERE WERE NO INJURIES. THE SECTION OF PIPELINE BEING WORKED ON WAS ISOLATED FROM ALL LIVE SYSTEMS AND HAD BEEN DRAINED UP. OPERATIONS AT THE TERMINAL WERE NOT IMPACTED. THE EXACT CAUSE OF THE INCIDENT REMAINS UNDER INVESTIGATION. A SMALL AMOUNT OF CRUDE OIL DRAINED INTO THE TERMINAL DITCH ADJACENT TO THE EXCAVATION, BUT THIS WAS CONTAINED WITH BERMING AND BOOM TO ABOUT FIFTY FEET OF DITCH. CLEAN UP SHOULD BE RELATIVELY EASY AND THE OVERALL RELEASE IMPACT IS MINOR. ALTHOUGH, UNDER THE 5 BARREL DOT REPORTING THRESHOLD FOR LEAKS OCCURRING DURING MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES, THE FLASH DOES TRIGGER DOT AND NRC REPORTING. THIS INCIDENT WILL BE THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED AS TO CAUSE AND LEARNINGS COMMUNICATED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE VIA CLOSE CALL BULLETIN.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JUN 08, 2004

No. 20040139 - 11594  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / \_\_\_\_\_ /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
645 / 05 / 13 / 2004  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 46° 41' 20" Longitude: -92° 03' 38"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. SUPERIOR DOUGLAS  
City and County or Parish
  - c. WI 54880  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
1096.95
4. Telephone report  
721621 / 05 / 13 / 2004  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe) _____		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>100</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>81,664</u>
(describe) <b>OIL COLLECTION, SOIL REMOVAL AND REPAIR WORK</b>		

**Total Costs:** \$ 81,764

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 40  
Recovered: 38

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	<u>(715) 394-1500</u> Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or IDCROSSOVER PIPING \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA OTHER POPULATION AREA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1968 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 250 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 960 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 16 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .38 / in.  
 3. Specification 5L SMYS / /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / 1968 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 30 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe: / / hr. / 5 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 90  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 2 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours 1

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other **GENERAL INTERNAL CORROSION**
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / 1968 /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / \_\_\_ / years / \_\_\_ / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / \_\_\_ /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / \_\_\_ / mo. / \_\_\_ / day / \_\_\_ / yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

PREPARATIONS WERE BEING MADE TO HYDROTEST THE LINE 3 TO LINE 5 CROSSOVER PIPING WITHIN SUPERIOR TERMINAL. THERE WAS A NEED TO WELD FITTINGS ON THIS 16" CROSSOVER LINE (THIS LINE IS RARELY USED IN OPERATIONS). TO ENSURE THE LINE WAS FULL AND ENSURE SAFE WELDING, IT WAS PRESSURIZED BY OPENING THE VALVE TO LINE 3 PRESSURE. THE CROSSOVER PIPE BEGAN LEAKING AND SPILLED APPROXIMATELY 20 BARRELS INTO NEARBY DITCHING. VALVES WERE CLOSED, THE PIPELINE ISOLATED AND THE OIL MIGRATION WAS STOPPED. THE AFFECTED SECTION OF PIPE WAS REMOVED AND REPLACED WITH PRE-TESTED PIPE.

THIS LEAK SHOULD NOT HAVE ANY IMPACT ON THE MAINLINE OR NORMAL SUPERIOR TERMINAL OPERATIONS. CLEAN-UP WILL REQUIRE EXCAVATION OF OILY SOIL FROM THE SURROUNDING AREA AND DITCHES. NO SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT IS EXPECTED; HOWEVER, THERE WILL BE A FAIR AMOUNT OF EXCAVATION AND CLEAN UP TO DO. COSTS ARE ESTIMATED AT \$100,000.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JUN 15, 2004

No. 20040150 -- 11595  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
450 / 05 / 20 / 2004  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 47° 41' 28" Longitude: -92° 24' 52"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. CLEARBROOK CLEARWATER  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 56634  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
909.19
4. Telephone report  
725028 / 06 / 15 / 2004  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe) _____		
<b>Operator Losses:</b>		
Value of product lost	\$	<u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>100.000</u>
(describe) <b>SOIL REMOVAL, TANK CLEANING, AND REPAIRS</b>		
<b>Total Costs:</b>	\$	<u>100.000</u>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 21  
Recovered: 20

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |  |                                      |   |  |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                                | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	<u>(715) 394-1500</u> Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ (type or print) Name and Title	_____ Date
_____ Date	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **TANK 58**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA OPA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) **TANK**

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1960 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 10 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 20 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification **5L** SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	0	0

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: **10**  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No

If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. / **5** / min.

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water **0** barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ 1 \_\_\_\_\_

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion  
(Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| a. Pipe Coating <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Bare</li><li><input type="radio"/> Coated</li></ul> | b. Visual Examination <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Localized Pitting</li><li><input type="radio"/> General Corrosion</li><li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li></ul> | c. Cause of Corrosion <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Galvanic <input type="radio"/> Atmospheric</li><li><input type="radio"/> Stray Current <input type="radio"/> Microbiological</li><li><input type="radio"/> Cathodic Protection Disrupted</li><li><input type="radio"/> Stress Corrosion Cracking</li><li><input type="radio"/> Selective Seam Corrosion</li><li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li></ul> |
|---|---|---|
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / \_\_\_\_ /
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / \_\_\_\_ / years / \_\_\_\_ / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / \_\_\_\_ /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / \_\_\_\_ / mo. / \_\_\_\_ / day / \_\_\_\_ / yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

### H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES

#### Material

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_
15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Weld

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_
18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other TANK BOTTOM \_\_\_\_\_
19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.



a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / 1960 / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 24 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 10 PSIG

### H6 - EQUIPMENT

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

### H8 - OTHER

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_
25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

### PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

AT APPROXIMATELY 04:50 MST, A TERMINAL EMPLOYEE DISCOVERED CRUDE OIL BY THE "D" DOOR ON TANK 58 DURING NORMAL ROUNDS. A LEAK OCCURRED AT THE TANK'S BASE AS A RESULT OF A CRACKED FILLET WELD. THE CRACK WAS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 3.5" FROM THE TANK SHELL AND WAS APPROXIMATELY 10" LONG. THE RELEASED CRUDE WAS CONTAINED WITHIN THE TANK BERM AND REMAINED IN THE VICINITY OF THE "D" DOOR WITH NO WATERWAYS IN DANGER OF BEING IMPACTED OR OTHER LONG TERM ENVIRONMENTAL REPERCUSSIONS. THE TANK WAS DRAINED AND CLEANED; REPAIRS ARE IN PROCESS.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date **FEB 16, 2005**

No. **20050056 - 11602**  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator **ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP**
- d. Operator street address **119 N 25TH STREET E**
- e. Operator address **SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880**  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
655 / 01 / 18 / 2005 /  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: **43° 27' 81"** Longitude: **-89° 14' 26"**  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. **BAY CITY BAY**  
City and County or Parish
  - c. **MI 48706**  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
1637.05
4. Telephone report  
747485 / 01 / 18 / 2005 /  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>30,000</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>15,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>750</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>45,750</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled **CRUDE OIL**
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved :
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts :**  
Spilled : 100  
Recovered: 85

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion     Natural Forces     Excavation Damage     Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures     Equipment     Incorrect Operation     Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

**EMILY JURGENS** (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title (715) 394-1547  
Area Code and Telephone Number

**EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM** Preparer's E-mail Address (715) 394-1500  
Area Code and Facsimile Number

Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID5 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)? Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: **IN PROTECTIVE CULVERT**

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 2003 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 400 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 729 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No

f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other **IN PROTECTIVE CULVERT**  
 2. Depth of cover: 24 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities: Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
**Totals:** 0 0

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 0 hours 45 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 400  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours 4

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism





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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date APR 27, 2005

No. 20050121 - 11605  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1230 / 04 / 01 / 2005 /  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 42° 09' 53" Longitude: -88° 14' 19"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. CARPENTERSVILLE MCHENRY  
City and County or Parish
  - c. IL 60110  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
379.1562
4. Telephone report  
754520 / 04 / 01 / 2005 /  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>7,500</u>
(describe) <u>PERMIT APPLICATION</u>	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>90,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR/CLEANUP</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>97,500</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:  
Spilled: 5  
Recovered: 5

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion     Natural Forces     Excavation Damage     Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures     Equipment     Incorrect Operation     Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title

(715) 394-1547  
Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address

(715) 394-1500  
Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID6A \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

- Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA OPA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1968 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 250 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 619 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ 7 ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ 7 ft

- e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: 2002  
 Geometry tool Year run: 2004  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: 2004  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: 2000

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 34 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .28 / in.  
 3. Specification 5L SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type ERW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / 1968 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 66 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

- b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 18 hours 0 minutes

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 400  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 10 / min.

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 5 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 4

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started:    /    /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:    /    /    years    /    /    months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact    /    /
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received:    /    /    mo.    /    /    day    /    /    yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent     Gouge     Bend     Arc Burn     Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component    =>  Valve     Fitting     Vessel     Extruded Outlet     Other \_\_\_\_\_

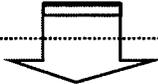
16.  Joint    =>  Gasket     O-Ring     Threads     Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt    =>  Pipe     Fabrication     Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet    =>  Branch     Hot Tap     Fitting     Repair Sleeve     Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam    =>  LF ERW     DSAW     Seamless     Flash Weld  
 HF ERW     SAW     Spiral     Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect    =>     Poor Workmanship     Procedure not followed     Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?     Yes     No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?     Yes, complete d-g     No

d. Date of test:    / 1968 / yr. / 11 / mo. / 9 / day

e. Test medium:     Water     Inert Gas     Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 24 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 840 PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment    =>     Control valve     Instrumentation     SCADA     Communications  
 Block valve     Relief valve     Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling    =>     Nipples     Valve Threads     Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure    =>  Gasket     O-Ring     Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type     Inadequate Procedures     Inadequate Safety Practices     Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete     Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

AT APPROXIMATELY 12:30 PM CST WHILE EXCAVATING A DENT ANOMALY FOR THE PIPELINE INTEGRITY GROUP AT MP 379.1562 ON LINE 6A, AN OIL SHEEN BECAME VISIBLE ON TOP OF GROUND WATER WITHIN THE BELL HOLE. GARY HEIKKINEN (ENBRIDGE SITE INSPECTOR) IMMEDIATELY CALLED THE CONTROL CENTER AND HAD THE PIPELINE SHUT DOWN. ROBERTS PIPELINE WAS THE CONTRACTOR EXCAVATING AT THE TIME OF DISCOVERY. TOTAL VOLUME OUT OF PIPE WAS ESTIMATED AT 5 BARRELS.

AN INDEPENDENT ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANT WAS HIRED TO TAKE AND ANALYZE PERIODIC SOIL SAMPLES. RESULTS WERE USED TO DETERMINE SOIL REMOVAL. FINAL SAMPLES SHOWED NO SOIL CONTAMINATION REMAINED AT THE SITE. ALL OIL CONTAMINATED MATERIAL WAS TRANSPORTED TO A WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITY.

THE CAUSE FOR THIS LEAK WAS DETERMINED TO HAVE RESULTED FROM A DENT IN THE PIPE THAT SUSTAINED ROCK DAMAGE AFTER IT WAS PLACED INTO SERVICE. A PLIDCO SLEEVE WAS INSTALLED OVER THE DEFECT AND WAS WELDED INTO PLACE FOR A PERMANENT REPAIR.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JUN 27, 2006

No. 20060183 - 11609  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://lops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
440 / 05 / 31 / 2006  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 42° 54' 4" Longitude: -82° 30' 31"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. MARYSVILLE ST. CLAIR  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MI 48074  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
1727.6
4. Telephone report  
798967 / 05 / 31 / 2006  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe)	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>5,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>145,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR AND CLEANUP</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>150,000</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled LIGHT SOUR BLEND
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 20  
Recovered: 20

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	<u>(715) 394-1500</u> Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ (type or print) Name and Title	_____ Date
_____ Area Code and Telephone Number	_____ Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID5 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)? Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 2004 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 210 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 701 PSIG  
 c. Did an over pressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / / in.  
 2. Wall thickness / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by VIKING PUMP in year / 2004 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 5 hours 0 minutes

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe: / 1 / hr. / 0 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 750  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 5

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

A LEAK OCCURRED ON THE ABOVE GROUND PIPING IN THE MARYSVILLE UPSTREAM DENSITOMETER BUILDING ON LINE 5, SPILLING CRUDE OIL OUT OF THE BUILDING AND INTO THE NEARBY DITCH. PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION INDICATES THAT THE DENSITOMETER PUMP FAILED, CAUSING THE CRUDE OIL TO BE RELEASED. IT ALSO APPEARS THAT THE CHECK VALVE ON THE DISCHARGE SIDE OF THE DENSITOMETER PIPING FAILED, CAUSING CRUDE TO FLOW BACK INTO THE DENSITOMETER PUMP FROM THE MAIN LINE. CONTAMINATED SOIL WAS REMOVED FROM THE SITE. SAMPLES WERE TAKEN TO VERIFY CLEAN SOIL. THE PUMP AND CHECK VALVE WERE REPLACED, AND THE UNIT WAS PUT BACK INTO SERVICE ON 6/14/06.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JAN 30, 2007

No. 20070029 - 11612  
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### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
830 / 01 / 01 / 2007  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 44° 53' 27" Longitude: -90° 29' 50"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. ATWOOD CLARK  
City and County or Parish
  - c. WI 54460  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
149.17
4. Telephone report  
822512 / 01 / 01 / 2007  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe)	

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$ <u>2,500</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>700,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR AND CLEANUP</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>702,500</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled ALBIAN HEAVY SYNTHETIC
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:

Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 1,500  
Recovered: 1,450

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	<u>(715) 394-1500</u> Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID 14  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1998 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 1,331 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 1,347 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) 38  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) 6  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 79,200 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 79,200 ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: 2006  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 24 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .33 / in.  
 3. Specification API 5L X-70 SMYS / 70000 /  
 4. Seam type HF ERW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by STUPP in year / 1998 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 60 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Contractor employees working for operator:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
General public:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Totals:</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 2 days 0 hours 4 minutes

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 4,625  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 2 / hr. / 30 / min.

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion  
 Internal Corrosion  
 (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

### H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES

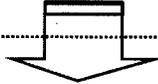
#### Material

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_
15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Weld

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_
18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_
19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.



- a. Type of failure:  
 Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect
- b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No
- c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No
- d. Date of test: / 1998 / yr. / 8 / mo. / 31 / day
- e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Time held at test pressure: / 8 / hr.
- g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 1804 PSIG

### H6 - EQUIPMENT

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION

23.  Incorrect Operation
- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

### H8 - OTHER

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_
25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

### PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

AT APPROXIMATELY 0830 MST, A CALL WAS RECEIVED FROM THE EDMONTON CONTROL CENTER THAT THERE WAS A PRESSURE LOSS AT OWEN STATION. THE PIPELINE WAS IMMEDIATELY SHUT DOWN AND THE VESPER PLM CREW WAS NOTIFIED AND RESPONDED TO OWEN STATION. AT 1100 MST, THE LEAK WAS CONFIRMED BY VESPER PLM AND ADDITIONAL VESPER AND FORT ATKINSON PLM CREWS MOBILIZED MANPOWER AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE EQUIPMENT TO THE LEAK SITE. SUPERIOR AND BEMIDJI PLM CREWS WERE ALSO NOTIFIED AND BEGAN TO MOBILIZE MANPOWER AND EQUIPMENT. AN OPS INSPECTOR ARRIVED ON SITE JANUARY 2, 2007 AND WITNESSED THE REPAIR.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
Research and Special Programs  
Administration

## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date FEB 28, 2007

No. 20070048 - 9806  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
750 / 02 / 02 / 2007  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 45 37 13 Longitude: -91 15 25  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. EXELAND RUSK  
City and County or Parish
  - c. WI 54819  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
84.9
4. Telephone report  
825338 / 02 / 02 / 2007  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ <u>25,000</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>8,575</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$ <u>103,300</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>279,212</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>4,087,371</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR &amp; CLEANUP</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>4,503,458</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled MIXED SWEET BLEND
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 4,800  
Recovered: 2,734

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<p><u>THERESA PICTON</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title</p> <p><u>THERESA.PICTON@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address</p>	<p>(715) <u>394-1468</u> Area Code and Telephone Number</p> <p>(832) <u>325-5477</u> Area Code and Facsimile Number</p>
<p>_____ Authorized Signature</p>	<p>_____ (type or print) Name and Title</p>
<p>_____ Date</p>	<p>_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number</p>

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID14 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1998 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 310 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 1,377 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) 4  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 95,673 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 95,673 ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: 2006  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 24 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .33 / in.  
 3. Specification API5L SMYS / 70000 /  
 4. Seam type ERW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by STUPP in year / 1997 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
**Totals:** 0 0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 1 days 5 hours 10 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 29 / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 4,300  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 10 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) **ENBRIDGE CONTRACTOR**
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 1 hours 5

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / / years / / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / / mo. / / day / / yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

WHILE COMPLETING THE INSTALLATION OF A TRENCH BOX SYSTEM TO FACILITATE ROAD BORE OPERATIONS, AN ENBRIDGE CONTRACTOR PUNCTURED (1" X 4") THE ADJACENT LINE 14 WITH THE EDGE OF A STEEL ROAD PLATE. THE ADJACENT LINE WAS WELL MARKED PRIOR TO THIS INCIDENT. A THIRD PARTY HAS BEEN RETAINED TO PERFORM A COMPREHENSIVE INCIDENT INVESTIGATION WHICH IS CURRENTLY ONGOING. UNTIL THIS INVESTIGATION IS COMPLETE, INTERIM AWARENESS EDUCATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED TO ALL PERSONNEL WORKING ON THIS PROJECT. FURTHER MEASURES WILL BE TAKEN, IF NECESSARY, PENDING THE RESULTS OF THE INCIDENT INVESTIGATION.

INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITIES HAVE DEFINED THE FULL NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE RELEASE. CORRETIVE ACTIONS ARE ONGOING USING SOIL VAPOR EXTRACTION AND AIR SPARGING TO ABATE RESIDUAL OIL AND REMEDIATE IMPACTED SOIL AND GROUNDWATER.



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### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date DEC 27, 2007

No. 20070362 - 11621  
(DOT Use Only)

#### INSTRUCTIONS

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#### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

- 1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
- 2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

- 2. Time and date of the accident  
1445 / 11 / 28 / 2007  
hr. month day year
- 3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 47° 40' 24" Longitude: -95° 21' 12"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. CLEARBROOK CLEARWATER  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 56634  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
912
- 4. Telephone report  
855741 / 11 / 28 / 2007  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>30,875</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>800,000</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>1,794,125</u>
(describe)		<u>RESPONSE/REPAIR/REMEDATION</u>
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b><u>2,625,000</u></b>

- 6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled MIDALE BLEND
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 325  
Recovered: \_\_\_\_\_

#### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage
- Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

#### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM (715) 394-1500  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or IDLINE 3  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No  
 Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 2007 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 319 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 757 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other **SEE PART I NARRATIVE**

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 37,435 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 37,435 ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 2007  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: 2006  
 Geometry tool Year run: 2006  
 Caliper tool Year run: 2006  
 Crack tool Year run: 2007  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 34 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .34 / in.  
 3. Specification 5L-X52 SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type SAW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by USS in year / 1968 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>
Contractor employees working for operator:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
General public:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Totals:</b>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 4 days 12 hours 0 minutes

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 5,000  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No

If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / 17 / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 13 / hr. / 0 / min.

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 1 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 1 hours 22

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/day /\_\_\_\_\_/yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other **SEE PART I NARRATIVE** \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / 0 / alcohol test / 0 /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

ON NOVEMBER 28, 2007, ENBRIDGE WAS CONDUCTING MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES TO REPLACE A PIPE SECTION ON THE COMPANY'S LINE 3 PIPELINE (APPROXIMATE MILEPOST 912) DOWNSTREAM OF COUNTY ROAD 3 NEAR CLEARBROOK IN CLEARWATER COUNTY, MINNESOTA. AT APPROXIMATELY 14:45, WHILE COMPLETING REPAIR OPERATIONS, A RELEASE OCCURRED AND THE RELEASED CRUDE OIL IGNITED. ENBRIDGE INITIATED AND MOBILIZED A FULL INCIDENT RESPONSE TEAM INCLUDING SUPERIOR AND CHICAGO REGIONAL PERSONNEL AS WELL AS CORPORATE INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM (ICS) SUPPORT PERSONNEL, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMPANY'S EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN. LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT, FIRE AND RESCUE PERSONNEL RESPONDED TO THE INCIDENT NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES. THE FIRE ENGULFED THE IMMEDIATE AREA AND BURNED INTENSELY FOR APPROXIMATELY 12 HOURS BEFORE IT COULD BE EXTINGUISHED BY EMERGENCY RESPONSE PERSONNEL, AT WHICH TIME TWO ENBRIDGE EMPLOYEE FATALITIES WERE CONFIRMED. REPRESENTATIVES FROM PHMSA CENTRAL REGION AND MN STATE FIRE MARSHAL - PIPELINE SAFETY TEAM WERE ON SITE AND PARTICIPATED IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF A REMOVAL AND PRESERVATION PLAN FOR THE FAILED PIPE SECTION. ADDITIONALLY, BOTH AGENCIES CONDUCTED INCIDENT INVESTIGATION PROCEDURES AND ACKNOWLEDGED THE PROPOSED RETURN-TO-SERVICE PLAN. FORMAL CORRESPONDENCE COMMUNICATING THE RETURN-TO-SERVICE PLAN WAS SUBMITTED TO PHMSA AND MN STATE FIRE MARSHAL - PIPELINE SAFETY TEAM IN LETTER DATED 12/2/07. REPAIRS WERE COMPLETED ON 12/3/07 AND THE PIPELINE WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLAN ON 12/3/07. THE INCIDENT INVESTIGATION IS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY AND A SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT WILL BE FILED UPON COMPLETION.

**WELD+ENDS COUPLINGS LEAKED DUE TO INADEQUATE RESTRAINT**

THE SEPARATION OF THE NEWLY INSTALLED WELD+ENDS COUPLING OCCURRED AS A RESULT OF INADEQUATE RESTRAINT THAT ALLOWED THE WELD+ENDS COUPLINGS TO SLIP SUFFICIENTLY RESULTING IN THE RELEASE OF CRUDE OIL WHEN FLOW IN LINE 3 WAS BEING RESTARTED.

THE SLIPPAGE OF THE WELD+ENDS COUPLINGS WAS THE RESULT OF SEVERAL SPECIFIC DEFICIENCIES WITH THE INSTALLATION. THESE DEFICIENCIES HAD A DIRECT BEARING ON THE AVAILABLE RESTRAINT, SUPPORT OR ANCHORING, FOR THE REPLACEMENT PIPE AND THE WELD+ENDS COUPLINGS AND INCLUDED:

- LENGTH OF PIPE EXPOSED AND BEND IN THE EXPOSED PIPE
- MODIFICATIONS TO WELD+END COUPLINGS
- INADEQUATE ASSESSMENT OF THE ANCHORAGE OR SUPPORT TO DETERMINE APPROPRIATE PRESSURE ON RESTART OF LINE 3



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAY 14, 2008

No. 20080162 -- 9786  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / \_\_\_\_\_ /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §95.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1220 / 04 / 15 / 2008  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 41 31 42 Longitude: -87 25 25  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. GRIFFITH LAKE  
City and County or Parish
  - c. IN 46319  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
TANK 79 INLET LINE
4. Telephone report  
868005 / 04 / 15 / 2008  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe) _____		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>192.002</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR AND CLEANUP</u>		

**Total Costs:** \$ 192.002

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled SUNCOR-OSH
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 260  
Recovered: 260

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion     Natural Forces     Excavation Damage     Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures     Equipment     Incorrect Operation     Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

**THERESA PICTON**  
 (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title (715) 394-1468  
Area Code and Telephone Number

**THERESA.PICTON@ENBRIDGE.COM**  
 Preparer's E-mail Address (832) 325-5477  
Area Code and Facsimile Number

Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_ (type or print) Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Area Cod and Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or IDTANK 79  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA **HIGH POPULATION AREA**

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 2007 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. / 30 / min.

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 240  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ 4 \_\_\_\_\_

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
  - b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.  Internal Corrosion  
(Complete items a - e where applicable.)
  - d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

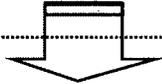
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other **FAILURE TO IDENTIFY A RISK DURING PRE PLANNING**

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / 0 / alcohol test / 0 /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

ON APRIL 15, 2008, ENBRIDGE EXPERIENCED A RELEASE FROM A ONE INCH THERMAL RELIEF LINE ON THE COMPANY'S TANK 79 INLET PIPING AT OUR GRIFFITH, INDIANA TERMINAL FACILITY, WHILE A CONTRACTOR WAS PAINTING THE TANK SHELL. THE INTIAL RELEASE VOLUME WAS ESTIMATED AT 40 BARRELS, HOWEVER THE TOTAL RELEASE VOLUME HAS BEEN INCREASED TO 260 BARRELS TO ACCOUNT FOR ADDITIONAL VOLUMES THAT DRAINED WHILE THE TANK WAS PUMPED DOWN (APPX 4 HRS, 40 MINUTES). THE TOTAL VOLUME RELEASED WAS ISOLATED WITHIN THE TANK BERM AND RECOVERED WITH MINOR SOIL RESIDUALS EXCAVATED, DISPOSED OF AND STATE ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATORY CLOSURE IS PENDING.

CONTRACT PERSONNEL WERE PERFORMING ABRASIVE BLASTING ON A SUSPENDED SCAFFOLD ADJACENT TO THE SUBJECT PIPING. UPON RELEASE, THE CONTRACTORS LOWERED THE SCAFFOLDING AND EXITED THE AREA HOWEVER, 3 INDIVIDUALS WERE SPRAYED BY THE OIL AND WERE SENT TO THE HOSPITAL AS A PRECAUTION. NONE SUSTAINED INJURY; POST INCIDENT DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING WAS ALSO CONDUCTED.

THE INCIDENT INVESTIGATION CONCLUDED THAT ALTHOUGH THE PIPING WAS LOCATED UNDERNEATH THE CATWALK/STAIR PLATFORM AND DEEMED TO BE PROTECTED, AND A GROUND LABORER WAS ASSIGNED TO MONITOR RIGGING, AIRLINES AND HOSES, ONE OF THE RIGGING LINES LIKELY SNAGGED ON THE SMALL DIAMETER PIPING AND CAUSED THE LEAK.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JUN 26, 2008

No. 20080200 -- 7361  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /  
 b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
     City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1209 / 05 / 27 / 2008  
 hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
 (If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
- a. Latitude: 41 44 26 Longitude: -86 30 21  
 (If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
- b. NEW CARLISLE ST JOSEPH  
 City and County or Parish
- c. IN 46552  
 State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
 (whichever gives more accurate location)  
519
4. Telephone report  
872228 / 05 / 27 / 2008  
 NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>100,000</u>
(describe) <u>CLEANUP</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	\$ <u>100,000</u>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
 (If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
- a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 6  
 Recovered: \_\_\_\_\_

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion     Natural Forces     Excavation Damage     Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures     Equipment     Incorrect Operation     Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

THERESA PICTON (715) 394-1468  
 (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

THERESA.PICTON@ENBRIDGE.COM (832) 325-5477  
 Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: **INACTIVE LOOP LINE SCRAPER FACILITY**  
 Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) **BOLTED FITTING - GASKET**  
 Year the component that failed was installed: / 1994 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 20 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 624 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 34 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .25 / in.  
 3. Specification API-5L-X52 SMYS / /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / 1994 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 60 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
**Totals:** 0 0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / 30 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 440  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 7 hours \_\_\_\_\_

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

### H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES

#### Material

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

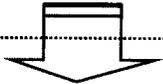
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Weld

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / 1979 / yr. / 8 / mo. / 8 / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 24 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 824 PSIG

### H6 - EQUIPMENT

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION

23.  Incorrect Operation

a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

### H8 - OTHER

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

### PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

THE DEACTIVATED LOOP LINE SECTION CI HAD BEEN REPRESSURIZED WITH NITROGEN ON MAY 20, 2008. ON MAY 27TH, MAINTENANCE ACTIVITY WAS SCHEDULED ON LINE 6B AND DURING THE LOCK OUT PROCESS OIL WAS DISCOVERED. UPON EXCAVATING THE RELEASE AREA, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT A FLANGE CONNECTION WAS THE SOURCE. FURTHER INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT AN INCORRECT GASKET HAD BEEN INSTALLED. THE CORRECT GASKET WAS INSTALLED ON 5/29/08. AT THIS TIME ALL CONTAMINATED SOIL HAS BEEN REMOVED AND SOIL SAMPLES HAVE CLEARED US TO BACKFILL THE EXCAVATION.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date SEP 24, 2008

No. 20080284 -- 11625  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1145 / 08 / 25 / 2008  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 46° 41' 16" Longitude: -90° 03' 31"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. SUPERIOR DOUGLAS  
City and County or Parish
  - c. WI 54880  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
TANK 9 RELIEF LINE
4. Telephone report  
881751 / 08 / 25 / 2008  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)	
<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>800</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>2,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>48,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR &amp; CLEANUP</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>50,800</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:

Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:  
Spilled: 115  
Recovered: 108

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion     Natural Forces     Excavation Damage     Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures     Equipment     Incorrect Operation     Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	(715) 394-1547 Area Code and Telephone Number
EMILY JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM Preparer's E-mail Address	_____ Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **TANK 9 RELIEF LINE**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State IL / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA **OP, DW, CNW**

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1990 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident:  
30 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident:  
224 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 24 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .38 / in.  
 3. Specification **API 5L GRADE B** SMYS / 35000 /  
 4. Seam type **SINGLE SAW**  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / 1990 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Contractor employees working for operator:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
General public:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Totals:</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 7 hours 0 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe: / 0 / hr. / 12 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 500  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 1 hours \_\_\_\_\_

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- a. Pipe Coating
    - Bare
    - Coated
  - b. Visual Examination
    - Localized Pitting
    - General Corrosion
    - Other N/A
  - c. Cause of Corrosion
    - Galvanic  Atmospheric
    - Stray Current  Microbiological
    - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
    - Stress Corrosion Cracking
    - Selective Seam Corrosion
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: 1990
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:     / years     / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact     /     /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received:     / mo.     / day     / yr.  No
  - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT** (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

AT APPROXIMATELY 12:45 PM CENTRAL TIME (11:45 AM MST) ON AUGUST 25, 2008, DURING ROUTINE SITE INSPECTION, SUPERIOR TERMINAL OPERATIONS PERSONNEL NOTICED OIL ON THE GROUND CONTAINED IN THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE TANK 9 TANK LOT. AT THE TIME OF DISCOVERY INCOMING DELIVERY LINES NO. 1,2,3 AND 4 WERE SHUT DOWN, AND THE RELIEF LINE SERVICING THE TERMINAL WAS ISOLATED. PERSONNEL WAS IMMEDIATELY MOBILIZED TO SECURE THE AREA, INITIATE INVESTIGATION AND CLEAN-UP THE SITE. THE NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER, PHMSA AND WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES WERE NOTIFIED. FREE PRODUCT WAS COLLECTED AND APPROXIMATELY 108 BARRELS WERE RECOVERED (FROM THE 115 BBLs RELEASED). THE REMAINING VOLUME OF OIL ABSORBED INTO THE SURROUNDING SOIL. THE CONTAMINATED SOIL (CLAY) WAS EXCAVATED AND 500 YARDS OF MATERIAL WAS REMOVED FROM THE SITE FOR TREATMENT/DISPOSAL AT A LICENCED FACILITY.

UPON INVESTIGATION THE LEAK WAS CONFIRMED TO ORIGINATE FROM THE 24-INCH TANK 9 RELIEF LINE. THE LEAK WAS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 95 FEET NORTHWEST FROM VALVE 301-V-921 WITHIN THE TANK LOT. AT THE TIME OF THE INCIDENT THE LINE PRESSURE WAS LESS THAN 30 PSI. UPON INITIAL ASSESSMENT THE SUSPECTED CAUSE OF THE LEAK WAS INTERNAL CORROSION AT THE UNDERSIDE OF THE PIPE (SIX O'CLOCK POSITION). THE LINE WAS CLEANED AND REPAIRED USING A 24-INCH PLIDCO SPILT +SLEEVE AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. ALL INCOMING DELIVERY LINES TO THE TERMINAL WERE RESTARTED BY 8:00 PM CENTRAL TIME (7:00 PM MST), AUGUST 25, 2008.

**FOLLOW-UP ASSESSMENT**

AN APPROXIMATE 20 FOOT SECTION OF PIPE AROUND THE LEAK SITE WAS EXCAVATED, CLEANED AND ULTRASONICALLY TESTED (C-SCAN) BY A THIRD-PARTY TESTING COMPANY ON AUGUST 28, 2008. ADDITIONAL CORROSION FEATURES WERE FOUND WITHIN THIS TEST SECTION, HOWEVER THESE CORROSION ANOMOLIES ARE WITHIN ENBRIDGE CORROSION TOLERANCES AND DO NOT REQUIRE IMMEDIATE REPAIR AND THE LINE REMAINS "FIT FOR DUTY". THE ASSESSMENT RESULTS FOR THIS RELIEF LINE WILL BE FURTHER EVALUATED BY ENBRIDGE AND INCORPORATED INTO THE STATION PIPING PROGRAM AND RISK ASSESSMENT FOR SYSTEM INTEGRITY MANAGEMENT.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
Research and Special Programs  
Administration

## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAR 18, 2009

No. 20090071 - 11628  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
630 / 02 / 27 / 2009  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 48° 12' 43" Longitude: -96° 26' 11"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. VIKING MARSHALL  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MN 56760  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
847.91 VIKING STATION
4. Telephone report  
898632 / 02 / 27 / 2009  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		
<b>Operator Losses:</b>		
Value of product lost	\$	<u>6</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>4,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR AND CLEANUP</u>		
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b><u>4,006</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled LIGHT SOUR BLEND
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:  
Spilled: 5  
Recovered: 5

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |  |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage              | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number
_____ (type or print) Name and Title	_____ Date

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID13 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1998 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 764 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 836 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 0.5 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification **SCHEDULE 80** SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by **UNKNOWN** in year / 1998 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 4 hours 0 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 15 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
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  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

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- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
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    - Bare
    - Coated
  - b. Visual Examination
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    - General Corrosion
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  - c. Cause of Corrosion
    - Galvanic  Atmospheric
    - Stray Current  Microbiological
    - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
    - Stress Corrosion Cracking
    - Selective Seam Corrosion
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?
    - No  Yes, Year Protection Started:    /    /
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?
    - No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:    /    /    years    /    /    months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
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**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact    /    /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received:    /    /    mo.    /    /    day    /    /    yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

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- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

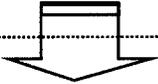
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / 0 / alcohol test / 0 /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL TECHNICIANS WERE ATTEMPTING TO THAW THE 1/2" DRAG REDUCING AGENT (DRA) LINE THAT FEEDS INTO LINE 13 AT VIKING, MN STATION. THE WHISTLE CONTAINING THE DRA INJECTION LINE WAS CONFIRMED TO BE GAS FREE AND A PROPANE HEATER WAS LOWERED INTO THE BOTTOM OF THE WHISTLE. THREADED CONNECTIONS AT SUBSEQUENT POINTS ALONG THE 1/2" FEEDER LINE WERE LOOSEMED TO VERIFY THAT THE DRA WAS FLOWING. DURING THIS PROCESS, WHILE LOOSENING THE 1/2" ELBOW AT THE TRANSITION FLANGE FROM 1/2" TO 2", A FIRE STARTED WITHIN THE WHISTLE WHEN CRUDE ESCAPED FROM THE LOOSEMED FITTING AND WAS IGNITED BY THE PROPANE HEATER. THE FIRE BURNED APPROXIMATELY 15 MINUTES AND DAMAGED THE 2" VALVE AND A PORTION OF THE DRA FEEDER LINE. LINE 13 WAS SHUT DOWN FOR APPROXIMATELY 4 HOURS AND THE REPAIRS AND CLEANUP HAVE BEEN COMPLETED. A FULL INVESTIGATION OF THIS INCIDENT ENSUED.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date JUN 16, 2009

No. 20090170 -- 11646  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / 11169 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / \_\_\_\_\_ /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
/ 1400 / / 05 / / 21 / / 2009 /  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 46° 41' 6" Longitude: -92° 3' 35"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. SUPERIOR DOUGLAS  
City and County or Parish
  - c. WI 54880  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
0
4. Telephone report  
/ 906291 / / 05 / / 21 / / 2009 /  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ _____ 0
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ _____ 0
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ _____ 0
Other Costs	\$ _____ 0
(describe) _____	

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$ _____ 700
Value of operator property damage	\$ _____ 0
Other Costs	\$ _____ 116,557
(describe) <u>CLEANUP/ENV CONSULTANT</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ _____ 117,257</b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled WESTERN CANADIAN SELECT
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 154  
Recovered: 140

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	(715) 394-1547 Area Code and Telephone Number
EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM Preparer's E-mail Address	_____ Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID#1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA **OPA/US/DRINKING WATER**

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 2007 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 400 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 1,490 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 36 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)

	Fatalities	Injuries
a. Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 6 / hr. / / min.

- b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 700  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (if Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (if Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours 1

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion  
 (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No
- Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism



**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

THIS RELEASE OCCURRED DURING ROUTINE TESTING OF SCADA EMERGENCY SHUTDOWN SYSTEMS. THE CONTROL CENTER CONTACTED A LOCAL TECHNICIAN TO INVESTIGATE THE STATUS OF THE TWO SCRAPER TRAP ISOLATION VALVES, AS THE TESTS COULDN'T BE RUN WITHOUT THOSE VALVES. THE TECHNICIAN OBSERVED THAT THE VALVES WERE LOCKED OUT BY THE PIPELINE MAINTENANCE CREW. HE CALLED THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR THE LOCKS AND OBTAINED PERMISSION TO REMOVE THEM AND RESTORE THE FULL VALVES TO REMOTE STATUS.

AFTER INVESTIGATING AN EQUIPMENT FAULT ON THE OTHER END OF THE STATION, THE TECHNICIAN RETURNED TO THE AREA AND OBSERVED OIL FLOWING OUT OF THE TRAP SUMP. THE TECHNICIAN WAS UNAWARE OF AN OPEN VENT LINE FROM THE TRAP TO THE SUMP THAT WAS LEFT OPEN BY THE MAINTENANCE CREW TO PREVENT THE SCRAPER TRAP FROM OVERPRESSURING DUE TO THERMAL EXPANSION. WHILE THE CONTROL CENTER WAS EXECUTING THE SCADA CHECKS THE SCRAPER TRAP WAS OPENED TO THE MAINLINE, ALLOWING OIL TO FLOW THROUGH THE TRAP INTO THE SUMP.

THE OIL WAS CONTAINED IN THE TERMINAL CONTAINMENT SYSTEM AND IMMEDIATELY CLEANED UP. FREE PRODUCT WAS REMOVED WITH VACUUM TRUCKS. IMPACTED SOIL WAS COLLECTED AND HAULED TO AN APPROVED LANDFILL FACILITY.

AT THIS TIME THE RESULTS OF THE INCIDENT INVESTIGATION ARE PENDING. PRELIMINARY INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE ROOT CAUSES OF THE INCIDENT ARE FAILURE TO FOLLOW LOCK-OUT PROCEDURES AND INADEQUATE PROCEDURES FOR ISOLATING AND VENTING THE SCRAPER TRAP SYSTEM.

NOTICE: This report is required by 49 CFR Part 195. Failure to report can result in a civil penalty not to exceed \$100,000 for each violation for each day that such violation persists except that the maximum civil penalty shall not exceed \$1,000,000 as provided in 49 USC 60122.

OMB NO: 2137-0047  
EXPIRATION DATE: 01/31/2013



U.S Department of Transportation  
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

Report Date:

04/02/2010

No.

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### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

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#### PART A - KEY REPORT INFORMATION

Report Type: (select all that apply)	Original:	Supplemental:	Final:
	Yes		
Report Status:	Submitted		
Create Date:	04/01/2010		
1. Operator's OPS-issued Operator Identification Number (OPID):	11169		
2. Name of Operator	ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP		
3. Address of Operator:			
3a. Street Address	1100 LOUISIANA, SUITE 3300		
3b. City	HOUSTON		
3c. State	Texas		
3d. Zip Code	77002		
4. Local time (24-hr clock) and date of the Accident:	01/08/2010 23:38		
5. Location of Accident:			
Latitude:	48.99555		
Longitude:	-97.52554		
6. National Response Center Report Number (if applicable):	928066		
7. Local time (24-hr clock) and date of initial telephonic report to the National Response Center (if applicable):	01/09/2010 03:21		
8. Commodity released: (select only one, based on predominant volume released)	Crude Oil		
- Specify Commodity Subtype:			
- If "Other" Subtype, Describe:			
- If Biofuel/Alternative Fuel and Commodity Subtype is Ethanol Blend, then % Ethanol Blend:			
%			
- If Biofuel/Alternative Fuel and Commodity Subtype is Biodiesel, then Biodiesel Blend (e.g. B2, B20, B100):			
B			
9. Estimated volume of commodity released unintentionally (Barrels):	3,784.00		
10. Estimated volume of intentional and/or controlled release/blowdown (Barrels):			
11. Estimated volume of commodity recovered (Barrels):	1,547.00		
12. Were there fatalities?	No		
- If Yes, specify the number in each category:			
12a. Operator employees			
12b. Contractor employees working for the Operator			
12c. Non-Operator emergency responders			
12d. Workers working on the right-of-way, but NOT associated with this Operator			
12e. General public			
12f. Total fatalities (sum of above)			
13. Were there injuries requiring inpatient hospitalization?	No		
- If Yes, specify the number in each category:			
13a. Operator employees			
13b. Contractor employees working for the Operator			

13c. Non-Operator emergency responders	
13d. Workers working on the right-of-way, but NOT associated with this Operator	
13e. General public	
13f. Total injuries (sum of above)	
14. Was the pipeline/facility shut down due to the Accident?	Yes
- If No, Explain:	
- If Yes, complete Questions 14a and 14b: (use local time, 24-hr clock)	
14a. Local time and date of shutdown:	01/08/2010 23:41
14b. Local time pipeline/facility restarted:	01/13/2010 09:17
- Still shut down? (* Supplemental Report Required)	
15. Did the commodity ignite?	No
16. Did the commodity explode?	No
17. Number of general public evacuated:	0
18. Time sequence (use local time, 24-hour clock):	
18a. Local time Operator identified Accident:	01/08/2010 23:38
18b. Local time Operator resources arrived on site:	01/09/2010 02:20

### PART B - ADDITIONAL LOCATION INFORMATION

1. Was the origin of Accident onshore?	Yes
<i>If Yes, Complete Questions (2-12)</i>	
<i>If No, Complete Questions (13-15)</i>	
<b>- If Onshore:</b>	
2. State:	North Dakota
3. Zip Code:	58265
4. City:	NECHE
5. County or Parish:	PEMBINA
6. Operator-designated location:	Milepost/Valve Station
Specify:	MP 774.18
7. Pipeline/Facility name:	
8. Segment name/ID:	LINE 2 MP 774.18
9. Was Accident on Federal land, other than the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS)?	No
10. Location of Accident:	Pipeline Right-of-way
11. Area of Accident (as found):	Underground
Specify:	Under soil
- If Other, Describe:	
Depth-of-Cover (in):	42
12. Did Accident occur in a crossing?	No
If Yes, specify below:	
- If Bridge crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased:	
- If Railroad crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased/ Bored/drilled	
- If Road crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased/ Bored/drilled	
- If Water crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased	
- Name of body of water, if commonly known:	
- Approx. water depth (ft) at the point of the Accident:	
- Select:	
<b>- If Offshore:</b>	
13. Approximate water depth (ft) at the point of the Accident:	
14. Origin of Accident:	
- In State waters - Specify:	
- State:	
- Area:	
- Block/Tract #:	
- Nearest County/Parish:	
- On the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) - Specify:	
- Area:	
- Block #:	
15. Area of Accident:	

### PART C - ADDITIONAL FACILITY INFORMATION

1. Is the pipeline or facility:	Interstate
2. Part of system involved in Accident:	Onshore Pipeline, Including Valve Sites
- If Onshore Breakout Tank or Storage Vessel, Including Attached Appurtenances, specify:	

3. Item involved in Accident:	Pipe
- If Pipe, specify:	Pipe Seam
3a. Nominal diameter of pipe (in):	26
3b. Wall thickness (in):	.281
3c. SMYS (Specified Minimum Yield Strength) of pipe (psi):	52,000
3d. Pipe specification:	API 5L
3e. Pipe Seam, specify:	Flash Welded
- If Other, Describe:	
3f. Pipe manufacturer:	A.O. SMITH
3g. Year of manufacture:	1954
3h. Pipeline coating type at point of Accident, specify:	Coal Tar
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Weld, including heat-affected zone, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Valve, specify:	
- If Mainline, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
3i. Manufactured by:	
3j. Year of manufacture:	
- If Tank/Vessel, specify:	
- If Other - Describe:	
- If Other, describe:	
4. Year item involved in Accident was installed:	1959
5. Material involved in Accident:	Carbon Steel
- If Material other than Carbon Steel, specify:	
6. Type of Accident Involved:	Rupture
- If Mechanical Puncture - Specify Approx. size:	
in. (axial) by	
in. (circumferential)	
- If Leak - Select Type:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Rupture - Select Orientation:	Longitudinal
- If Other, Describe:	
Approx. size: in. (widest opening) by	5.5
in. (length circumferentially or axially)	50
- If Other - Describe:	
<b>PART D - ADDITIONAL CONSEQUENCE INFORMATION</b>	
1. Wildlife impact:	No
1a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Fish/aquatic	
- Birds	
- Terrestrial	
2. Soil contamination:	Yes
3. Long term impact assessment performed or planned:	Yes
4. Anticipated remediation:	Yes
4a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Surface water	
- Groundwater	
- Soil	Yes
- Vegetation	
- Wildlife	
5. Water contamination:	No
5a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Ocean/Seawater	
- Surface	
- Groundwater	
- Drinking water: (Select one or both)	
- Private Well	
- Public Water Intake	
5b. Estimated amount released in or reaching water (Barrels):	
5c. Name of body of water, if commonly known:	
6. At the location of this Accident, had the pipeline segment or facility been identified as one that "could affect" a High Consequence Area (HCA) as determined in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	No
7. Did the released commodity reach or occur in one or more High Consequence Area (HCA)?	No
7a. If Yes, specify HCA type(s): (Select all that apply)	
- Commercially Navigable Waterway:	

Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- High Population Area:	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Other Populated Area	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Unusually Sensitive Area (USA) - Drinking Water	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Unusually Sensitive Area (USA) - Ecological	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
<b>8. Estimated cost to Operator :</b>	
8a. Estimated cost of public and non-Operator private property damage paid/reimbursed by the Operator	\$ 150,000
8b. Estimated cost of commodity lost	\$ 167,775
8c. Estimated cost of Operator's property damage & repairs	\$ 76,940
8d. Estimated cost of Operator's emergency response	\$ 1,633,060
8e. Estimated cost of Operator's environmental remediation	\$ 2,100,000
8f. Estimated other costs	\$
	Describe:
8g. Estimated total costs (sum of above)	\$ 4,127,775
<b>PART E - ADDITIONAL OPERATING INFORMATION</b>	
1. Estimated pressure at the point and time of the Accident (psig):	725.00
2. Maximum Operating Pressure (MOP) at the point and time of the Accident (psig):	809.00
3. Describe the pressure on the system or facility relating to the Accident (psig):	Pressure did not exceed MOP
4. Not including pressure reductions required by PHMSA regulations (such as for repairs and pipe movement), was the system or facility relating to the Accident operating under an established pressure restriction with pressure limits below those normally allowed by the MOP?	No
- If Yes, Complete 4.a and 4.b below:	
4a. Did the pressure exceed this established pressure restriction?	
4b. Was this pressure restriction mandated by PHMSA or the State?	
5. Was "Onshore Pipeline, Including Valve Sites" OR "Offshore Pipeline, Including Riser and Riser Bend" selected in PART C, Question 2?	Yes
- If Yes - (Complete 5a. - 5f. below)	
5a. Type of upstream valve used to initially isolate release source:	Remotely Controlled
5b. Type of downstream valve used to initially isolate release source:	Remotely Controlled
5c. Length of segment isolated between valves (ft):	220,862
5d. Is the pipeline configured to accommodate internal inspection tools?	Yes
- If No, Which physical features limit tool accommodation? (select all that apply)	
- Changes in line pipe diameter	
- Presence of unsuitable mainline valves	
- Tight or mitered pipe bends	
- Other passage restrictions (i.e. unbarred tee's, projecting instrumentation, etc.)	
- Extra thick pipe wall (applicable only for magnetic flux leakage internal inspection tools)	
- Other -	
- If Other, Describe:	
5e. For this pipeline, are there operational factors which significantly complicate the execution of an internal inspection tool run?	No
- If Yes, Which operational factors complicate execution? (select all that apply)	

- Excessive debris or scale, wax, or other wall buildup	
- Low operating pressure(s)	
- Low flow or absence of flow	
- Incompatible commodity	
- Other -	
- If Other, Describe:	
5f. Function of pipeline system:	=< 20% SMYS Regulated Trunkline/Transmission
6. Was a Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA)-based system in place on the pipeline or facility involved in the Accident?	Yes
If Yes -	
6a. Was it operating at the time of the Accident?	Yes
6b. Was it fully functional at the time of the Accident?	Yes
6c. Did SCADA-based information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the detection of the Accident?	Yes
6d. Did SCADA-based information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the confirmation of the Accident?	Yes
7. Was a CPM leak detection system in place on the pipeline or facility involved in the Accident?	Yes
- If Yes:	
7a. Was it operating at the time of the Accident?	Yes
7b. Was it fully functional at the time of the Accident?	Yes
7c. Did CPM leak detection system information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the detection of the Accident?	No
7d. Did CPM leak detection system information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the confirmation of the Accident?	Yes
8. How was the Accident initially identified for the Operator?	Controller
- If Other, Specify:	
8a. If "Controller", "Local Operating Personnel", including contractors", "Air Patrol", or "Guard Patrol by Operator or its contractor" is selected in Question 8, specify the following:	Operator employee
9. Was an investigation initiated into whether or not the controller(s) or control room issues were the cause of or a contributing factor to the Accident?	Yes, specify investigation result(s): (select all that apply)
- If No, the Operator did not find that an investigation of the controller(s) actions or control room issues was necessary due to: (provide an explanation for why the operator did not investigate)	
- If Yes, specify investigation result(s): (select all that apply)	
- Investigation reviewed work schedule rotations, continuous hours of service (while working for the Operator), and other factors associated with fatigue	Yes
- Investigation did NOT review work schedule rotations, continuous hours of service (while working for the Operator), and other factors associated with fatigue	
Provide an explanation for why not:	
- Investigation identified no control room issues	Yes
- Investigation identified no controller issues	Yes
- Investigation identified incorrect controller action or controller error	
- Investigation identified that fatigue may have affected the controller(s) involved or impacted the involved controller(s) response	
- Investigation identified incorrect procedures	
- Investigation identified incorrect control room equipment operation	
- Investigation identified maintenance activities that affected control room operations, procedures, and/or controller response	
- Investigation identified areas other than those above:	
Describe:	
<b>PART F - DRUG &amp; ALCOHOL TESTING INFORMATION</b>	
1. As a result of this Accident, were any Operator employees tested under the post-accident drug and alcohol testing requirements of DOT's Drug & Alcohol Testing regulations?	No
- If Yes:	
1a. Specify how many were tested:	
1b. Specify how many failed:	

2. As a result of this Accident, were any Operator contractor employees tested under the post-accident drug and alcohol testing requirements of DOT's Drug & Alcohol Testing regulations? - If Yes:	No
2a. Specify how many were tested:	
2b. Specify how many failed:	
<b>PART G – APPARENT CAUSE</b>	
<b>Select only one box from PART G in shaded column on left representing the APPARENT Cause of the Accident, and answer the questions on the right. Describe secondary, contributing or root causes of the Accident in the narrative (PART H).</b>	
<b>Apparent Cause:</b>	G5 - Material Failure of Pipe or Weld
<b>G1 - Corrosion Failure</b> - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-hand column	
<b>Corrosion Failure – Sub Cause:</b>	
<b>- If External Corrosion:</b>	
1. Results of visual examination: - If Other, Describe:	
2. Type of corrosion: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Galvanic	
- Atmospheric	
- Stray Current	
- Microbiological	
- Selective Seam	
- Other: - If Other, Describe:	
3. The type(s) of corrosion selected in Question 2 is based on the following: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Field examination	
- Determined by metallurgical analysis	
- Other: - If Other, Describe:	
4. Was the failed item buried under the ground? - If Yes :	
<input type="checkbox"/> 4a. Was failed item considered to be under cathodic protection at the time of the Accident? If Yes - Year protection started:	
4b. Was shielding, tenting, or disbonding of coating evident at the point of the Accident?	
4c. Has one or more Cathodic Protection Survey been conducted at the point of the Accident? - If Yes, CP Annual Survey: Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, Close Interval Survey: Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, Other CP Survey: Most recent year conducted:	
- If No:	
4d. Was the failed item externally coated or painted?	
5. Was there observable damage to the coating or paint in the vicinity of the corrosion? - If Internal Corrosion:	
6. Results of visual examination: - Other:	
7. Type of corrosion <i>(select all that apply)</i> :-	
- Corrosive Commodity	
- Water drop-out/Acid	
- Microbiological	
- Erosion	
- Other: - If Other, Describe:	
8. The cause(s) of corrosion selected in Question 7 is based on the following <i>(select all that apply)</i> :-	
- Field examination	
- Determined by metallurgical analysis	
- Other: - If Other, Describe:	
9. Location of corrosion <i>(select all that apply)</i> :-	
- Low point in pipe	
- Elbow	

- Other:	
- If Other, Describe:	
10. Was the commodity treated with corrosion inhibitors or biocides?	
11. Was the interior coated or lined with protective coating?	
12. Were cleaning/dewatering pigs (or other operations) routinely utilized?	
13. Were corrosion coupons routinely utilized?	
<b>Complete the following if any Corrosion Failure sub-cause is selected AND the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Tank/Vessel.</b>	
14. List the year of the most recent inspections:	
14a. API Std 653 Out-of-Service Inspection	
- No Out-of-Service Inspection completed	
14b. API Std 653 In-Service Inspection	
- No In-Service Inspection completed	
<b>Complete the following if any Corrosion Failure sub-cause is selected AND the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
15. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
15a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run: -	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage Tool	Most recent year:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year:
- Geometry	Most recent year:
- Caliper	Most recent year:
- Crack	Most recent year:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year:
- Other	Most recent year:
	Describe:
16. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
If Yes -	
	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure:
17. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on this segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident::	
	Most recent year conducted:
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	
	Most recent year conducted:
18. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
18a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
	Describe:
<b>G2 - Natural Force Damage - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-handed column</b>	
<b>Natural Force Damage -- Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Earth Movement, NOT due to Heavy Rains/Floods:</b>	

1. Specify:	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Heavy Rains/Floods:</b>	
2. Specify:	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Lightning:</b>	
3. Specify:	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Temperature:</b>	
4. Specify:	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Other Natural Force Damage:</b>	
5. Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Natural Force Damage sub-cause is selected.</b>	
6. Were the natural forces causing the Accident generated in conjunction with an extreme weather event?	
6a. If Yes, specify: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Hurricane	
- Tropical Storm	
- Tornado	
- Other	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>G3 - Excavation Damage - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Excavation Damage – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Previous Damage due to Excavation Activity:</b>	
<b>Complete Questions 1-5 ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
1. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
1a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run: -	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Most recent year conducted:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Geometry	Most recent year conducted:
- Caliper	Most recent year conducted:
- Crack	Most recent year conducted:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year conducted:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
	Describe:
2. Do you have reason to believe that the internal inspection was completed BEFORE the damage was sustained?	
3. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes:	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure (psig):
4. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident:	Most recent year conducted:
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	Most recent year conducted:
5. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
5a. If Yes, for each examination, conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:

- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:	
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:	
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:	
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:	
- Other	Most recent year conducted:	
	Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if Excavation Damage by Third Party is selected as the sub-cause.</b>		
6. Did the operator get prior notification of the excavation activity?		
6a. If Yes, Notification received from: <i>(select all that apply)</i> -		
- One-Call System		
- Excavator		
- Contractor		
- Landowner		
<b>Complete the following mandatory CGA-DIRT Program questions if any Excavation Damage sub-cause is selected.</b>		
7. Do you want PHMSA to upload the following information to CGA-DIRT ( <a href="http://www.cga-dirt.com">www.cga-dirt.com</a> )?		
8. Right-of-Way where event occurred: <i>(select all that apply)</i> -		
- Public	- If "Public", Specify:	
- Private	- If "Private", Specify:	
- Pipeline Property/Easement		
- Power/Transmission Line		
- Railroad		
- Dedicated Public Utility Easement		
- Federal Land		
- Data not collected		
- Unknown/Other		
9. Type of excavator:		
10. Type of excavation equipment:		
11. Type of work performed:		
12. Was the One-Call Center notified?		
12a. If Yes, specify ticket number:		
12b. If this is a State where more than a single One-Call Center exists, list the name of the One-Call Center notified:		
13. Type of Locator:		
14. Were facility locate marks visible in the area of excavation?		
15. Were facilities marked correctly?		
16. Did the damage cause an interruption in service?		
16a. If Yes, specify duration of the interruption (hours)		
17. Description of the CGA-DIRT Root Cause <i>(select only the one predominant first level CGA-DIRT Root Cause and then, where available as a choice, the one predominant second level CGA-DIRT Root Cause as well):</i>		
Root Cause:		
- If One-Call Notification Practices Not Sufficient, specify:		
- If Locating Practices Not Sufficient, specify:		
- If Excavation Practices Not Sufficient, specify:		
- If Other/None of the Above, explain:		
<b>G4 - Other Outside Force Damage - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>		
<b>Other Outside Force Damage – Sub-Cause:</b>		
<b>- If Damage by Car, Truck, or Other Motorized Vehicle/Equipment NOT Engaged in Excavation:</b>		
1. Vehicle/Equipment operated by:		
<b>- If Damage by Boats, Barges, Drilling Rigs, or Other Maritime Equipment or Vessels Set Adrift or Which Have Otherwise Lost Their Mooring:</b>		
2. Select one or more of the following IF an extreme weather event was a factor:		
- Hurricane		
- Tropical Storm		
- Tornado		
- Heavy Rains/Flood		
- Other		
	- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Previous Mechanical Damage NOT Related to Excavation:</b>		

Complete Questions 3-7 ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.	
3. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
3a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run:	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Most recent year conducted:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Geometry	Most recent year conducted:
- Caliper	Most recent year conducted:
- Crack	Most recent year conducted:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year conducted:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
4. Do you have reason to believe that the internal inspection was completed BEFORE the damage was sustained?	
5. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes:	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure (psig):
6. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident:	Most recent year conducted:
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	Most recent year conducted:
7. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
7a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
<b>- If Intentional Damage:</b>	
8. Specify:	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Other Outside Force Damage:</b>	
9. Describe:	
<b>G5 - Material Failure of Pipe or Weld</b> - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column	
<b>Use this section to report material failures ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is "Pipe" or "Weld."</b>	
<b>Material Failure of Pipe or Weld – Sub-Cause:</b>	Original Manufacturing-related (NOT girth weld or other welds formed in the field)
1. The sub-cause selected below is based on the following: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Field Examination	
- Determined by Metallurgical Analysis	
- Other Analysis	

- If "Other Analysis", Describe:	
- Sub-cause is Tentative or Suspected; Still Under Investigation (Supplemental Report required)	Yes
<b>- If Construction, Installation, or Fabrication-related:</b>	
2. List contributing factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Fatigue or Vibration-related	
Specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- Mechanical Stress:	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Original Manufacturing-related (NOT girth weld or other welds formed in the field):</b>	
2. List contributing factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Fatigue or Vibration-related:	Yes
Specify:	Pressure-related
- If Other, Describe:	
- Mechanical Stress:	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Environmental Cracking-related:</b>	
3. Specify:	
- Other - Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Material Failure of Pipe or Weld sub-cause is selected.</b>	
4. Additional factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i> :	
- Dent	
- Gouge	
- Pipe Bend	
- Arc Burn	
- Crack	
- Lack of Fusion	
- Lamination	
- Buckle	
- Wrinkle	
- Misalignment	
- Burnt Steel	
- Other:	Yes
- If Other, Describe:	Not Yet Identified
5. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	Yes
5a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run:	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Yes
Most recent year run:	2007
- Ultrasonic	
Most recent year run:	
- Geometry	
Most recent year run:	
- Caliper	Yes
Most recent year run:	2009
- Crack	Yes
Most recent year run:	2009
- Hard Spot	
Most recent year run:	
- Combination Tool	
Most recent year run:	
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	
Most recent year run:	
- Other	
Most recent year run:	
Describe:	
6. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	Yes
- If Yes:	
Most recent year tested:	1994
Test pressure (psig):	1,124.00
7. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	No
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident -	
Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site -	

Most recent year conducted:	
8. Has one or more non-destructive examination(s) been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	No
8a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted: -	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
<b>G6 – Equipment Failure - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Equipment Failure – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment:</b>	
1. Specify: <i>(select all that apply)</i> -	
- Control Valve	
- Instrumentation	
- SCADA	
- Communications	
- Block Valve	
- Check Valve	
- Relief Valve	
- Power Failure	
- Stopples/Control Fitting	
- ESD System Failure	
- Other	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- If Pump or Pump-related Equipment:</b>	
2. Specify:	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- If Threaded Connection/Coupling Failure:</b>	
3. Specify:	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- If Non-threaded Connection Failure:</b>	
4. Specify:	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- Other Equipment Failure:</b>	
5. Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Equipment Failure sub-cause is selected.</b>	
6. Additional factors that contributed to the equipment failure: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Excessive vibration	
- Overpressurization	
- No support or loss of support	
- Manufacturing defect	
- Loss of electricity	
- Improper installation	
- Mismatched items (different manufacturer for tubing and tubing fittings)	
- Dissimilar metals	
- Breakdown of soft goods due to compatibility issues with transported commodity	
- Valve vault or valve can contributed to the release	
- Alarm/status failure	
- Misalignment	
- Thermal stress	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	

<b>G7 - Incorrect Operation - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Incorrect Operation – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Tank, Vessel, or Sump/Separator Allowed or Caused to Overfill or Overflow:</b>	
1. Specify:	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Other Incorrect Operation:</b>	
2. Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Incorrect Operation sub-cause is selected.</b>	
3. Was this Accident related to (select all that apply): -	
- Inadequate procedure	
- No procedure established	
- Failure to follow procedure	
- Other:	
	- If Other, Describe:
4. What category type was the activity that caused the Accident?	
5. Was the task(s) that led to the Accident identified as a covered task in your Operator Qualification Program?	
5a. If Yes, were the individuals performing the task(s) qualified for the task(s)?	

<b>G8 - Other Accident Cause - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Other Accident Cause – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Miscellaneous:</b>	
1. Describe:	
<b>- If Unknown:</b>	
2. Specify:	

**PART H - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE ACCIDENT**

On January 8, 2010 at 23:38 local time, the Enbridge Control Centre noticed a sudden drop in pressure on line 2 and immediately shut the pipeline down. Enbridge Superior Region Operations and Central Region Operations (Canada) were notified and dispatched. Upon arrival, company personnel discovered a leak estimated at approximately 3,000 barrels contained primarily to the Company right-of-way. Additional Company resources were immediately dispatched to control and clean-up the released oil, investigate the cause of the release and to repair the pipeline for return to service. The National Response Center and North Dakota State Incident Reporting Hotlines were contacted.

The preliminary cause of the pipeline rupture was a failure in a section of the longitudinal seam of the pipe. The affected pipe segment was removed during the repair and has been sent to a third-party metallurgical lab for analysis. The pipeline was repaired and was restarted on January 13, 2010 at approximately 09:17 local time. Site dean-up (soil excavation) is currently still being completed; however no long term remediation activities are expected.

A PHMSA representative was onsite during the emergency response and repair activities and was involved with the return to service plan. Enbridge will be working with PHMSA during the investigation and will be sharing the results of the investigation/failure analysis.

**PART I - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE**

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 U.S. Department of Transportation Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration	<b>Report Date:</b>	05/17/2010
	<b>No.</b>	20100081 - 15097 ----- (DOT Use Only)

### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

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#### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions, you can obtain one from the PHMSA Pipeline Safety Community Web Page at <http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/pipeline>.

#### PART A - KEY REPORT INFORMATION

Report Type: (select all that apply)	Original:	Supplemental:	Final:
	Yes		
Report Status:	Submitted		
Create Date:	05/13/2010		
1. Operator's OPS-issued Operator Identification Number (OPID):	11169		
2. Name of Operator	ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP		
3. Address of Operator:			
3a. Street Address	1100 LOUISIANA, SUITE 3300		
3b. City	HOUSTON		
3c. State	Texas		
3d. Zip Code	77002		
4. Local time (24-hr clock) and date of the Accident:	04/17/2010 19:00		
5. Location of Accident:			
Latitude:	47.31006		
Longitude:	-93.73207		
6. National Response Center Report Number (if applicable):	937630		
7. Local time (24-hr clock) and date of initial telephonic report to the National Response Center (if applicable):	04/17/2010 19:48		
8. Commodity released: (select only one, based on predominant volume released)	Crude Oil		
- Specify Commodity Subtype:			
- If "Other" Subtype, Describe:			
- If Biofuel/Alternative Fuel and Commodity Subtype is Ethanol Blend, then % Ethanol Blend:	%		
- If Biofuel/Alternative Fuel and Commodity Subtype is Biodiesel, then Biodiesel Blend (e.g. B2, B20, B100):	B		
9. Estimated volume of commodity released unintentionally (Barrels):	5.00		
10. Estimated volume of intentional and/or controlled release/blowdown (Barrels):			
11. Estimated volume of commodity recovered (Barrels):	4.00		
12. Were there fatalities?	No		
- If Yes, specify the number in each category:			
12a. Operator employees			
12b. Contractor employees working for the Operator			
12c. Non-Operator emergency responders			
12d. Workers working on the right-of-way, but NOT associated with this Operator			
12e. General public			
12f. Total fatalities (sum of above)			
13. Were there injuries requiring inpatient hospitalization?	No		
- If Yes, specify the number in each category:			
13a. Operator employees			
13b. Contractor employees working for the Operator			

13c. Non-Operator emergency responders	
13d. Workers working on the right-of-way, but NOT associated with this Operator	
13e. General public	
13f. Total injuries (sum of above)	
14. Was the pipeline/facility shut down due to the Accident?	Yes
- If No, Explain:	
- If Yes, complete Questions 14a and 14b: (use local time, 24-hr clock)	
14a. Local time and date of shutdown:	04/17/2010 19:00
14b. Local time pipeline/facility restarted:	04/18/2010 19:10
- Still shut down? (* Supplemental Report Required)	
15. Did the commodity ignite?	No
16. Did the commodity explode?	No
17. Number of general public evacuated:	0
18. Time sequence (use local time, 24-hour clock):	
18a. Local time Operator identified Accident:	04/17/2010 19:00
18b. Local time Operator resources arrived on site:	04/17/2010 19:00

**PART B - ADDITIONAL LOCATION INFORMATION**

1. Was the origin of Accident onshore?	Yes
<i>If Yes, Complete Questions (2-12)</i>	
<i>If No, Complete Questions (13-15)</i>	
<b>- If Onshore:</b>	
2. State:	Minnesota
3. Zip Code:	56636
4. City:	Deer River
5. County or Parish:	Itasca
6. Operator-designated location:	Milepost/Valve Station
Specify:	997.79
7. Pipeline/Facility name:	Line 2
8. Segment name/ID:	Deer River to Floodwood Section
9. Was Accident on Federal land, other than the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS)?	No
10. Location of Accident:	Originated on Operator-controlled property, but then flowed or migrated off the property
11. Area of Accident (as found):	Underground
Specify:	Under soil
- If Other, Describe:	
Depth-of-Cover (in):	12
12. Did Accident occur in a crossing?	No
If Yes, specify below:	
- If Bridge crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased:	
- If Railroad crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased/ Bored/drilled	
- If Road crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased/ Bored/drilled	
- If Water crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased	
- Name of body of water, if commonly known:	
- Approx. water depth (ft) at the point of the Accident:	
- Select:	
<b>- If Offshore:</b>	
13. Approximate water depth (ft) at the point of the Accident:	
14. Origin of Accident:	
- In State waters - Specify:	
- State:	
- Area:	
- Block/Tract #:	
- Nearest County/Parish:	
- On the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) - Specify:	
- Area:	
- Block #:	
15. Area of Accident:	

**PART C - ADDITIONAL FACILITY INFORMATION**

1. Is the pipeline or facility:	Interstate
2. Part of system involved in Accident:	Onshore Pipeline, Including Valve Sites
- If Onshore Breakout Tank or Storage Vessel, Including Attached	

Appurtenances, specify:	
3. Item involved in Accident:	Pipe
- If Pipe, specify:	Pipe Seam
3a. Nominal diameter of pipe (in):	26
3b. Wall thickness (in):	.281
3c. SMYS (Specified Minimum Yield Strength) of pipe (psi):	52,000
3d. Pipe specification:	5L
3e. Pipe Seam, specify:	Flash Welded
- If Other, Describe:	
3f. Pipe manufacturer:	IPSCO
3g. Year of manufacture:	1956
3h. Pipeline coating type at point of Accident, specify:	Coal Tar
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Weld, including heat-affected zone, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Valve, specify:	
- If Mainline, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
3i. Manufactured by:	
3j. Year of manufacture:	
- If Tank/Vessel, specify:	
- If Other - Describe:	
- If Other, describe:	
4. Year item involved in Accident was installed:	1959
5. Material involved in Accident:	Carbon Steel
- If Material other than Carbon Steel, specify:	
6. Type of Accident Involved:	Leak
- If Mechanical Puncture - Specify Approx. size:	
in. (axial) by	
in. (circumferential)	
- If Leak - Select Type:	Crack
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Rupture - Select Orientation:	
- If Other, Describe:	
Approx. size: in. (widest opening) by	
in. (length circumferentially or axially)	
- If Other - Describe:	
<b>PART D - ADDITIONAL CONSEQUENCE INFORMATION</b>	
1. Wildlife impact:	Yes
1a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Fish/aquatic	
- Birds	Yes
- Terrestrial	
2. Soil contamination:	Yes
3. Long term impact assessment performed or planned:	No
4. Anticipated remediation:	Yes
4a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Surface water	Yes
- Groundwater	Yes
- Soil	Yes
- Vegetation	
- Wildlife	
5. Water contamination:	Yes
5a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Ocean/Seawater	
- Surface	Yes
- Groundwater	Yes
- Drinking water: (Select one or both)	
- Private Well	
- Public Water Intake	
5b. Estimated amount released in or reaching water (Barrels):	5.00
5c. Name of body of water, if commonly known:	unnamed creek/flowage
6. At the location of this Accident, had the pipeline segment or facility been identified as one that "could affect" a High Consequence Area (HCA) as determined in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	Yes
7. Did the released commodity reach or occur in one or more High Consequence Area (HCA)?	Yes
7a. If Yes, specify HCA type(s): (Select all that apply)	

- Commercially Navigable Waterway:	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- High Population Area:	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Other Populated Area	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Unusually Sensitive Area (USA) - Drinking Water	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Unusually Sensitive Area (USA) - Ecological	Yes
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	Yes
<b>8. Estimated cost to Operator :</b>	
8a. Estimated cost of public and non-Operator private property damage paid/reimbursed by the Operator	\$ 20,000
8b. Estimated cost of commodity lost	\$ 350
8c. Estimated cost of Operator's property damage & repairs	\$ 550,000
8d. Estimated cost of Operator's emergency response	\$ 180,000
8e. Estimated cost of Operator's environmental remediation	\$ 216,000
8f. Estimated other costs	\$
Describe:	
8g. Estimated total costs (sum of above)	\$ 966,350
<b>PART E - ADDITIONAL OPERATING INFORMATION</b>	
1. Estimated pressure at the point and time of the Accident (psig):	368.00
2. Maximum Operating Pressure (MOP) at the point and time of the Accident (psig):	593.00
3. Describe the pressure on the system or facility relating to the Accident (psig):	Pressure did not exceed MOP
4. Not including pressure reductions required by PHMSA regulations (such as for repairs and pipe movement), was the system or facility relating to the Accident operating under an established pressure restriction with pressure limits below those normally allowed by the MOP?	Yes
- If Yes, Complete 4.a and 4.b below:	
4a. Did the pressure exceed this established pressure restriction?	No
4b. Was this pressure restriction mandated by PHMSA or the State?	PHMSA
5. Was "Onshore Pipeline, Including Valve Sites" OR "Offshore Pipeline, Including Riser and Riser Bend" selected in PART C, Question 2?	Yes
- If Yes - (Complete 5a. - 5f. below)	
5a. Type of upstream valve used to initially isolate release source:	Remotely Controlled
5b. Type of downstream valve used to initially isolate release source:	Remotely Controlled
5c. Length of segment isolated between valves (ft):	49,061
5d. Is the pipeline configured to accommodate internal inspection tools?	Yes
- If No, Which physical features limit tool accommodation? (select all that apply)	
- Changes in line pipe diameter	
- Presence of unsuitable mainline valves	
- Tight or mitered pipe bends	
- Other passage restrictions (i.e. unbarred tee's, projecting instrumentation, etc.)	
- Extra thick pipe wall (applicable only for magnetic flux leakage internal inspection tools)	
- Other -	
- If Other, Describe:	
5e. For this pipeline, are there operational factors which significantly complicate the execution of an internal inspection tool run?	No

- If Yes, Which operational factors complicate execution? (select all that apply)	
- Excessive debris or scale, wax, or other wall buildup	
- Low operating pressure(s)	
- Low flow or absence of flow	
- Incompatible commodity	
- Other -	
- If Other, Describe:	
5f. Function of pipeline system:	> 20% SMYS Regulated Trunkline/Transmission
6. Was a Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA)-based system in place on the pipeline or facility involved in the Accident?	Yes
If Yes -	
6a. Was it operating at the time of the Accident?	Yes
6b. Was it fully functional at the time of the Accident?	Yes
6c. Did SCADA-based information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the detection of the Accident?	No
6d. Did SCADA-based information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the confirmation of the Accident?	No
7. Was a CPM leak detection system in place on the pipeline or facility involved in the Accident?	Yes
- If Yes:	
7a. Was it operating at the time of the Accident?	Yes
7b. Was it fully functional at the time of the Accident?	Yes
7c. Did CPM leak detection system information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the detection of the Accident?	No
7d. Did CPM leak detection system information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the confirmation of the Accident?	No
8. How was the Accident initially identified for the Operator?	Local Operating Personnel, including contractors
- If Other, Specify:	
8a. If "Controller", "Local Operating Personnel", including contractors", "Air Patrol", or "Guard Patrol by Operator or its contractor" is selected in Question 8, specify the following:	Operator employee
9. Was an investigation initiated into whether or not the controller(s) or control room issues were the cause of or a contributing factor to the Accident?	Yes, specify investigation result(s): (select all that apply)
- If No, the Operator did not find that an investigation of the controller(s) actions or control room issues was necessary due to: (provide an explanation for why the operator did not investigate)	
- If Yes, specify investigation result(s): (select all that apply)	
- Investigation reviewed work schedule rotations, continuous hours of service (while working for the Operator), and other factors associated with fatigue	
- Investigation did NOT review work schedule rotations, continuous hours of service (while working for the Operator), and other factors associated with fatigue	Yes
Provide an explanation for why not:	Investigation of incident revealed the CC Operator's actions were not the cause of the leak, nor was there any indication that a leak occurred prior to call to Control Centre reporting a suspected leak. Once the report was received, the Control Centre Operator and Shift Lead responded as per procedures. Scheduled rotations, continuous hours of service, and concerns of fatigue are continually monitored and were within the guidelines set by the CC Compliance and Mgmt.
- Investigation identified no control room issues	Yes
- Investigation identified no controller issues	Yes
- Investigation identified incorrect controller action or controller error	
- Investigation identified that fatigue may have affected the controller(s) involved or impacted the involved controller(s) response	
- Investigation identified incorrect procedures	
- Investigation identified incorrect control room equipment operation	
- Investigation identified maintenance activities that affected control room operations, procedures, and/or controller response	
- Investigation identified areas other than those above:	
Describe:	

**PART F - DRUG & ALCOHOL TESTING INFORMATION**

1. As a result of this Accident, were any Operator employees tested under the post-accident drug and alcohol testing requirements of DOT's Drug & Alcohol Testing regulations?	No
- If Yes:	
1a. Specify how many were tested:	
1b. Specify how many failed:	
2. As a result of this Accident, were any Operator contractor employees tested under the post-accident drug and alcohol testing requirements of DOT's Drug & Alcohol Testing regulations?	No
- If Yes:	
2a. Specify how many were tested:	
2b. Specify how many failed:	

**PART G – APPARENT CAUSE**

Select only one box from PART G in shaded column on left representing the APPARENT Cause of the Accident, and answer the questions on the right. Describe secondary, contributing or root causes of the Accident in the narrative (PART H).

<b>Apparent Cause:</b>	G5 - Material Failure of Pipe or Weld
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**G1 - Corrosion Failure** - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-hand column

**Corrosion Failure – Sub Cause:**

**- If External Corrosion:**

1. Results of visual examination:

- If Other, Describe:

2. Type of corrosion: (select all that apply)

- Galvanic
- Atmospheric
- Stray Current
- Microbiological
- Selective Seam
- Other:

- If Other, Describe:

3. The type(s) of corrosion selected in Question 2 is based on the following: (select all that apply)

- Field examination
- Determined by metallurgical analysis
- Other:

- If Other, Describe:

4. Was the failed item buried under the ground?

- If Yes :

4a. Was failed item considered to be under cathodic protection at the time of the Accident?

If Yes - Year protection started:

4b. Was shielding, tenting, or disbonding of coating evident at the point of the Accident?

4c. Has one or more Cathodic Protection Survey been conducted at the point of the Accident?

- If Yes, CP Annual Survey:

Most recent year conducted:

- If Yes, Close Interval Survey:

Most recent year conducted:

- If Yes, Other CP Survey:

Most recent year conducted:

- If No:

4d. Was the failed item externally coated or painted?

5. Was there observable damage to the coating or paint in the vicinity of the corrosion?

**- If Internal Corrosion:**

6. Results of visual examination:

- Other:

7. Type of corrosion (select all that apply): -

- Corrosive Commodity
- Water drop-out/Acid
- Microbiological
- Erosion
- Other:

- If Other, Describe:	
8. The cause(s) of corrosion selected in Question 7 is based on the following (select all that apply): -	
- Field examination	
- Determined by metallurgical analysis	
- Other:	
- If Other, Describe:	
9. Location of corrosion (select all that apply): -	
- Low point in pipe	
- Elbow	
- Other:	
- If Other, Describe:	
10. Was the commodity treated with corrosion inhibitors or biocides?	
11. Was the interior coated or lined with protective coating?	
12. Were cleaning/dewatering pigs (or other operations) routinely utilized?	
13. Were corrosion coupons routinely utilized?	
<b>Complete the following if any Corrosion Failure sub-cause is selected AND the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Tank/Vessel.</b>	
14. List the year of the most recent inspections:	
14a. API Std 653 Out-of-Service Inspection	
- No Out-of-Service Inspection completed	
14b. API Std 653 In-Service Inspection	
- No In-Service Inspection completed	
<b>Complete the following if any Corrosion Failure sub-cause is selected AND the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
15. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
15a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run: -	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage Tool	Most recent year:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year:
- Geometry	Most recent year:
- Caliper	Most recent year:
- Crack	Most recent year:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year:
- Other	Most recent year:
Describe:	
16. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
If Yes -	
Most recent year tested:	
Test pressure:	
17. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on this segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident::	
Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	
Most recent year conducted:	
18. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
18a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:

Most recent year conducted:	
- Other	
Most recent year conducted:	
Describe:	
<b>G2 - Natural Force Damage - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-handed column</b>	
<b>Natural Force Damage – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Earth Movement, NOT due to Heavy Rains/Floods:</b>	
1. Specify:	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Heavy Rains/Floods:</b>	
2. Specify:	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Lightning:</b>	
3. Specify:	
<b>- If Temperature:</b>	
4. Specify:	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Other Natural Force Damage:</b>	
5. Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Natural Force Damage sub-cause is selected.</b>	
6. Were the natural forces causing the Accident generated in conjunction with an extreme weather event?	
6a. If Yes, specify: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Hurricane	
- Tropical Storm	
- Tornado	
- Other	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>G3 - Excavation Damage - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Excavation Damage – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Previous Damage due to Excavation Activity:</b>	
<b>Complete Questions 1-5 ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
1. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
1a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run: -	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Most recent year conducted:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Geometry	Most recent year conducted:
- Caliper	Most recent year conducted:
- Crack	Most recent year conducted:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year conducted:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
	Describe:
2. Do you have reason to believe that the internal inspection was completed BEFORE the damage was sustained?	
3. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes:	
	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure (psig):
4. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident:	

Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	
Most recent year conducted:	
5. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
5a. If Yes, for each examination, conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
	Describe:
<b>Complete the following if Excavation Damage by Third Party is selected as the sub-cause.</b>	
6. Did the operator get prior notification of the excavation activity?	
6a. If Yes, Notification received from: <i>(select all that apply)</i> -	
- One-Call System	
- Excavator	
- Contractor	
- Landowner	
<b>Complete the following mandatory CGA-DIRT Program questions if any Excavation Damage sub-cause is selected.</b>	
7. Do you want PHMSA to upload the following information to CGA-DIRT (www.cga-dirt.com)?	
8. Right-of-Way where event occurred: <i>(select all that apply)</i> -	
- Public	- If "Public", Specify:
- Private	- If "Private", Specify:
- Pipeline Property/Easement	
- Power/Transmission Line	
- Railroad	
- Dedicated Public Utility Easement	
- Federal Land	
- Data not collected	
- Unknown/Other	
9. Type of excavator:	
10. Type of excavation equipment:	
11. Type of work performed:	
12. Was the One-Call Center notified?	
12a. If Yes, specify ticket number:	
12b. If this is a State where more than a single One-Call Center exists, list the name of the One-Call Center notified:	
13. Type of Locator:	
14. Were facility locate marks visible in the area of excavation?	
15. Were facilities marked correctly?	
16. Did the damage cause an interruption in service?	
16a. If Yes, specify duration of the interruption (hours)	
17. Description of the CGA-DIRT Root Cause <i>(select only the one predominant first level CGA-DIRT Root Cause and then, where available as a choice, the one predominant second level CGA-DIRT Root Cause as well):</i>	
Root Cause:	
- If One-Call Notification Practices Not Sufficient, specify:	
- If Locating Practices Not Sufficient, specify:	
- If Excavation Practices Not Sufficient, specify:	
- If Other/None of the Above, explain:	
<b>G4 - Other Outside Force Damage - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Other Outside Force Damage - Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Damage by Car, Truck, or Other Motorized Vehicle/Equipment NOT Engaged in Excavation:</b>	
1. Vehicle/Equipment operated by:	
<b>- If Damage by Boats, Barges, Drilling Rigs, or Other Maritime Equipment or Vessels Set Adrift or Which Have Otherwise Lost</b>	

<b>Their Mooring:</b>	
2. Select one or more of the following IF an extreme weather event was a factor:	
- Hurricane	
- Tropical Storm	
- Tornado	
- Heavy Rains/Flood	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Previous Mechanical Damage NOT Related to Excavation:</b>	
<b>Complete Questions 3-7 ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
3. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
3a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run:	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Most recent year conducted:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Geometry	Most recent year conducted:
- Caliper	Most recent year conducted:
- Crack	Most recent year conducted:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year conducted:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
4. Do you have reason to believe that the internal inspection was completed BEFORE the damage was sustained?	
5. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes:	
	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure (psig):
6. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident:	
	Most recent year conducted:
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	
	Most recent year conducted:
7. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
7a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
<b>- If Intentional Damage:</b>	
8. Specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Other Outside Force Damage:</b>	
9. Describe:	
<b>G5 - Material Failure of Pipe or Weld - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	

Use this section to report material failures ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is "Pipe" or "Weld."	
<b>Material Failure of Pipe or Weld – Sub-Cause:</b>	Original Manufacturing-related (NOT girth weld or other welds formed in the field)
1. The sub-cause selected below is based on the following: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Field Examination	Yes
- Determined by Metallurgical Analysis	
- Other Analysis	Yes
- If "Other Analysis", Describe:	Field NDE (UT and Mag Particle) Inspect
- Sub-cause is Tentative or Suspected; Still Under Investigation (Supplemental Report required)	Yes
<b>- If Construction, Installation, or Fabrication-related:</b>	
2. List contributing factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Fatigue or Vibration-related	
Specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- Mechanical Stress:	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Original Manufacturing-related (NOT girth weld or other welds formed in the field):</b>	
2. List contributing factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Fatigue or Vibration-related:	Yes
Specify:	Other
- If Other, Describe:	Under Investigation
- Mechanical Stress:	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Environmental Cracking-related:</b>	
3. Specify:	
- Other - Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Material Failure of Pipe or Weld sub-cause is selected.</b>	
4. Additional factors: <i>(select all that apply):</i>	
- Dent	
- Gouge	
- Pipe Bend	
- Arc Burn	
- Crack	Yes
- Lack of Fusion	
- Lamination	
- Buckle	
- Wrinkle	
- Misalignment	
- Burnt Steel	
- Other:	
- If Other, Describe:	
5. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	Yes
5a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run:	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Yes
Most recent year run:	2008
- Ultrasonic	
Most recent year run:	
- Geometry	
Most recent year run:	
- Caliper	Yes
Most recent year run:	2008
- Crack	Yes
Most recent year run:	2009
- Hard Spot	
Most recent year run:	
- Combination Tool	
Most recent year run:	
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	
Most recent year run:	
- Other	Yes
Most recent year run:	2009
Describe:	Line Proving Run
6. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	Yes

- If Yes:	
Most recent year tested:	1975
Test pressure (psig):	952.00
7. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	No
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident -	
Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site -	
Most recent year conducted:	
8. Has one or more non-destructive examination(s) been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	No
8a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted: -	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
	Describe:
<b>G6 – Equipment Failure - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Equipment Failure – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment:</b>	
1. Specify: (select all that apply) -	
- Control Valve	
- Instrumentation	
- SCADA	
- Communications	
- Block Valve	
- Check Valve	
- Relief Valve	
- Power Failure	
- Stopple/Control Fitting	
- ESD System Failure	
- Other	
	- If Other – Describe:
<b>- If Pump or Pump-related Equipment:</b>	
2. Specify:	
	- If Other – Describe:
<b>- If Threaded Connection/Coupling Failure:</b>	
3. Specify:	
	- If Other – Describe:
<b>- If Non-threaded Connection Failure:</b>	
4. Specify:	
	- If Other – Describe:
<b>- Other Equipment Failure:</b>	
5. Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Equipment Failure sub-cause is selected.</b>	
6. Additional factors that contributed to the equipment failure: (select all that apply)	
- Excessive vibration	
- Overpressurization	
- No support or loss of support	
- Manufacturing defect	
- Loss of electricity	
- Improper installation	
- Mismatched items (different manufacturer for tubing and tubing fittings)	
- Dissimilar metals	
- Breakdown of soft goods due to compatibility issues with	

transported commodity	
- Valve vault or valve can contributed to the release	
- Alarm/status failure	
- Misalignment	
- Thermal stress	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	

**G7 - Incorrect Operation - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column**

**Incorrect Operation – Sub-Cause:**

**- If Tank, Vessel, or Sump/Separator Allowed or Caused to Overfill or Overflow:**

1. Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 - If Other, Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**- If Other Incorrect Operation:**

2. Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete the following if any Incorrect Operation sub-cause is selected.**

3. Was this Accident related to (select all that apply): -  
 - Inadequate procedure  
 - No procedure established  
 - Failure to follow procedure  
 - Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 - If Other, Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

4. What category type was the activity that caused the Accident? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Was the task(s) that led to the Accident identified as a covered task in your Operator Qualification Program?

5a. If Yes, were the individuals performing the task(s) qualified for the task(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

**G8 - Other Accident Cause - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column**

**Other Accident Cause – Sub-Cause:**

**- If Miscellaneous:**

1. Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**- If Unknown:**

2. Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART H - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE ACCIDENT**

On April 17, 2010 at approximately 11:30 am local time, while performing investigative follow-up work after a brush fire crossed Lines 1 and 2, Enbridge Environmental representative discovered and reported what appeared to be a small amount of oil on the right of way at MP 997.79. Lines 1 and 2 were shut down as a precaution and Enbridge Pipeline Maintenance personnel were dispatched to investigate. After hand-excavating the impacted area, a small crack was discovered and confirmed on the longitudinal seam of Line 2 at approximately 7:00 pm local time. The defect was located in a marshy area and the site access and investigation progress was hampered by poor site access and ground conditions. External notifications to the National Response Center and Minnesota State Duty Officer were made upon confirmation of the leak. Notifications were also made directly to the Minnesota Office of Pipeline Safety, PHMSA, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency and the Minnesota Interagency Fire Center.

Once the pipe was excavated the entire long seam of the joint of pipe in question was field assessed by NDE (both UT and magnetic particle inspection). No other defects were identified. An integrity assessment was completed by Enbridge's Pipeline Integrity Group and the pipeline was repaired using a PLIDCO Split Sleeve. The return to service plan was reviewed with PHMSA and MNOPS and Line 2 was restarted on April 18 at approximately 7:10 pm.

The integrity assessment of this line segment is ongoing and the section of pipe in question will be cut out for further metallurgical analysis when conditions allow. Enbridge Environment Group is managing site cleanup and restoration in conjunction with a number of agencies (both local and state).

**PART I - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE**

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U.S. Department of Transportation  
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

Report Date:

07/27/2010

No.

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### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

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#### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions, you can obtain one from the PHMSA Pipeline Safety Community Web Page at <http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/pipeline>.

#### PART A - KEY REPORT INFORMATION

Report Type: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	<b>Original:</b>	<b>Supplemental:</b>	<b>Final:</b>
	<b>Yes</b>		<b>Yes</b>
Report Status:	Submitted		
Create Date:	07/27/2010		
1. Operator's OPS-issued Operator Identification Number (OPID):	11169		
2. Name of Operator	ENBRIDGE ENERGY, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP		
3. Address of Operator:			
3a. Street Address	1100 LOUISIANA, SUITE 3300		
3b. City	HOUSTON		
3c. State	Texas		
3d. Zip Code	77002		
4. Local time (24-hr clock) and date of the Accident:	07/02/2010 10:15		
5. Location of Accident:			
Latitude:	47.32444		
Longitude:	-93.76306		
6. National Response Center Report Number (if applicable):	946374		
7. Local time (24-hr clock) and date of initial telephonic report to the National Response Center (if applicable):	07/02/2010 14:22		
8. Commodity released: <i>(select only one, based on predominant volume released)</i>	Crude Oil		
- Specify Commodity Subtype:			
- If "Other" Subtype, Describe:			
- If Biofuel/Alternative Fuel and Commodity Subtype is Ethanol Blend, then % Ethanol Blend:	%		
- If Biofuel/Alternative Fuel and Commodity Subtype is Biodiesel, then Biodiesel Blend (e.g. B2, B20, B100):	B		
9. Estimated volume of commodity released unintentionally (Barrels):	10.00		
10. Estimated volume of intentional and/or controlled release/blowdown (Barrels):			
11. Estimated volume of commodity recovered (Barrels):	10.00		
12. Were there fatalities?	No		
- If Yes, specify the number in each category:			
12a. Operator employees			
12b. Contractor employees working for the Operator			
12c. Non-Operator emergency responders			
12d. Workers working on the right-of-way, but NOT associated with this Operator			
12e. General public			
12f. Total fatalities (sum of above)			
13. Were there injuries requiring inpatient hospitalization?	No		
- If Yes, specify the number in each category:			
13a. Operator employees			
13b. Contractor employees working for the Operator			

13c. Non-Operator emergency responders	
13d. Workers working on the right-of-way, but NOT associated with this Operator	
13e. General public	
13f. Total injuries (sum of above)	
14. Was the pipeline/facility shut down due to the Accident?	No
- If No, Explain:	
- If Yes, complete Questions 14a and 14b: (use local time, 24-hr clock)	
14a. Local time and date of shutdown:	
14b. Local time pipeline/facility restarted:	
- Still shut down? (* Supplemental Report Required)	
15. Did the commodity ignite?	No
16. Did the commodity explode?	No
17. Number of general public evacuated:	0
18. Time sequence (use local time, 24-hour clock):	
18a. Local time Operator identified Accident:	07/02/2010 10:15
18b. Local time Operator resources arrived on site:	07/02/2010 10:15

### PART B - ADDITIONAL LOCATION INFORMATION

1. Was the origin of Accident onshore?	Yes
<i>If Yes, Complete Questions (2-12)</i>	
<i>If No, Complete Questions (13-15)</i>	
<b>- If Onshore:</b>	
2. State:	Minnesota
3. Zip Code:	56636
4. City:	Deer River
5. County or Parish:	Itasca
6. Operator-designated location:	Milepost/Valve Station
Specify:	995.9077
7. Pipeline/Facility name:	Line 4 - 36"
8. Segment name/ID:	Deer River Sending Trap
9. Was Accident on Federal land, other than the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS)?	No
10. Location of Accident:	Totally contained on Operator-controlled property
11. Area of Accident (as found):	Aboveground
Specify:	Typical aboveground facility piping or appurtenance
- If Other, Describe:	
Depth-of-Cover (in):	
12. Did Accident occur in a crossing?	No
If Yes, specify below:	
- If Bridge crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased:	
- If Railroad crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased/ Bored/drilled	
- If Road crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased/ Bored/drilled	
- If Water crossing –	
Cased/ Uncased	
- Name of body of water, if commonly known:	
- Approx. water depth (ft) at the point of the Accident:	
- Select:	
<b>- If Offshore:</b>	
13. Approximate water depth (ft) at the point of the Accident:	
14. Origin of Accident:	
- In State waters - Specify:	
- State:	
- Area:	
- Block/Tract #:	
- Nearest County/Parish:	
- On the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) - Specify:	
- Area:	
- Block #:	
15. Area of Accident:	

### PART C - ADDITIONAL FACILITY INFORMATION

1. Is the pipeline or facility:	Interstate
2. Part of system involved in Accident:	Onshore Pump/Meter Station Equipment and Piping
- If Onshore Breakout Tank or Storage Vessel, Including Attached Appurtenances, specify:	

3. Item involved in Accident:	Scraper/Pig Trap
- If Pipe, specify:	
3a. Nominal diameter of pipe (in):	
3b. Wall thickness (in):	
3c. SMYS (Specified Minimum Yield Strength) of pipe (psi):	
3d. Pipe specification:	
3e. Pipe Seam, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
3f. Pipe manufacturer:	
3g. Year of manufacture:	
3h. Pipeline coating type at point of Accident, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Weld, including heat-affected zone, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Valve, specify:	
- If Mainline, specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
3i. Manufactured by:	
3j. Year of manufacture:	
- If Tank/Vessel, specify:	
- If Other - Describe:	
- If Other, describe:	
4. Year item involved in Accident was installed:	2002
5. Material involved in Accident:	Material other than Carbon Steel
- If Material other than Carbon Steel, specify:	Trap Door Seal, Buna N O-Ring
6. Type of Accident Involved:	Leak
- If Mechanical Puncture – Specify Approx. size:	
in. (axial) by	
in. (circumferential)	
- If Leak - Select Type:	Seal or Packing
- If Other, Describe:	
- If Rupture - Select Orientation:	
- If Other, Describe:	
Approx. size: in. (widest opening) by	
in. (length circumferentially or axially)	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>PART D - ADDITIONAL CONSEQUENCE INFORMATION</b>	
1. Wildlife impact:	No
1a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Fish/aquatic	
- Birds	
- Terrestrial	
2. Soil contamination:	Yes
3. Long term impact assessment performed or planned:	No
4. Anticipated remediation:	No
4a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Surface water	
- Groundwater	
- Soil	
- Vegetation	
- Wildlife	
5. Water contamination:	No
5a. If Yes, specify all that apply:	
- Ocean/Seawater	
- Surface	
- Groundwater	
- Drinking water: (Select one or both)	
- Private Well	
- Public Water Intake	
5b. Estimated amount released in or reaching water (Barrels):	
5c. Name of body of water, if commonly known:	
6. At the location of this Accident, had the pipeline segment or facility been identified as one that "could affect" a High Consequence Area (HCA) as determined in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	Yes
7. Did the released commodity reach or occur in one or more High Consequence Area (HCA)?	Yes
7a. If Yes, specify HCA type(s): (Select all that apply)	
- Commercially Navigable Waterway:	

Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- High Population Area:	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Other Populated Area	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Unusually Sensitive Area (USA) - Drinking Water	
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	
- Unusually Sensitive Area (USA) - Ecological	Yes
Was this HCA identified in the "could affect" determination for this Accident site in the Operator's Integrity Management Program?	Yes
<b>8. Estimated cost to Operator :</b>	
8a. Estimated cost of public and non-Operator private property damage paid/reimbursed by the Operator	\$
8b. Estimated cost of commodity lost	\$
8c. Estimated cost of Operator's property damage & repairs	\$ 14,000
8d. Estimated cost of Operator's emergency response	\$ 45,000
8e. Estimated cost of Operator's environmental remediation	\$ 78,000
8f. Estimated other costs	\$
Describe:	
8g. Estimated total costs (sum of above)	\$ 137,000
<b>PART E - ADDITIONAL OPERATING INFORMATION</b>	
1. Estimated pressure at the point and time of the Accident (psig):	519.00
2. Maximum Operating Pressure (MOP) at the point and time of the Accident (psig):	1,050.00
3. Describe the pressure on the system or facility relating to the Accident (psig):	Pressure did not exceed MOP
4. Not including pressure reductions required by PHMSA regulations (such as for repairs and pipe movement), was the system or facility relating to the Accident operating under an established pressure restriction with pressure limits below those normally allowed by the MOP?	No
- If Yes, Complete 4.a and 4.b below:	
4a. Did the pressure exceed this established pressure restriction?	
4b. Was this pressure restriction mandated by PHMSA or the State?	
5. Was "Onshore Pipeline, Including Valve Sites" OR "Offshore Pipeline, Including Riser and Riser Bend" selected in PART C, Question 2?	No
- If Yes - (Complete 5a. - 5f. below)	
5a. Type of upstream valve used to initially isolate release source:	
5b. Type of downstream valve used to initially isolate release source:	
5c. Length of segment isolated between valves (ft):	
5d. Is the pipeline configured to accommodate internal inspection tools?	
- If No, Which physical features limit tool accommodation? (select all that apply)	
- Changes in line pipe diameter	
- Presence of unsuitable mainline valves	
- Tight or mitered pipe bends	
- Other passage restrictions (i.e. unbarred tee's, projecting instrumentation, etc.)	
- Extra thick pipe wall (applicable only for magnetic flux leakage internal inspection tools)	
- Other -	
- If Other, Describe:	
5e. For this pipeline, are there operational factors which significantly complicate the execution of an internal inspection tool run?	
- If Yes, Which operational factors complicate execution? (select all that apply)	

- Excessive debris or scale, wax, or other wall buildup	
- Low operating pressure(s)	
- Low flow or absence of flow	
- Incompatible commodity	
- Other -	
- If Other, Describe:	
5f. Function of pipeline system:	
6. Was a Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA)-based system in place on the pipeline or facility involved in the Accident?	Yes
If Yes -	
6a. Was it operating at the time of the Accident?	Yes
6b. Was it fully functional at the time of the Accident?	Yes
6c. Did SCADA-based information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the detection of the Accident?	No
6d. Did SCADA-based information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the confirmation of the Accident?	No
7. Was a CPM leak detection system in place on the pipeline or facility involved in the Accident?	Yes
- If Yes:	
7a. Was it operating at the time of the Accident?	Yes
7b. Was it fully functional at the time of the Accident?	Yes
7c. Did CPM leak detection system information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the detection of the Accident?	No
7d. Did CPM leak detection system information (such as alarm(s), alert(s), event(s), and/or volume calculations) assist with the confirmation of the Accident?	No
8. How was the Accident initially identified for the Operator?	Local Operating Personnel, including contractors
- If Other, Specify:	
8a. If "Controller", "Local Operating Personnel", including contractors, "Air Patrol", or "Guard Patrol by Operator or its contractor" is selected in Question 8, specify the following:	Operator employee
9. Was an investigation initiated into whether or not the controller(s) or control room issues were the cause of or a contributing factor to the Accident?	No, the Operator did not find that an investigation of the controller(s) actions or control room issues was necessary due to: (provide an explanation for why the Operator did not investigate)
- If No, the Operator did not find that an investigation of the controller(s) actions or control room issues was necessary due to: (provide an explanation for why the operator did not investigate)	Root cause was Trap Door O-Ring Failure
- If Yes, specify investigation result(s): (select all that apply)	
- Investigation reviewed work schedule rotations, continuous hours of service (while working for the Operator), and other factors associated with fatigue	
- Investigation did NOT review work schedule rotations, continuous hours of service (while working for the Operator), and other factors associated with fatigue	
Provide an explanation for why not:	
- Investigation identified no control room issues	
- Investigation identified no controller issues	
- Investigation identified incorrect controller action or controller error	
- Investigation identified that fatigue may have affected the controller(s) involved or impacted the involved controller(s) response	
- Investigation identified incorrect procedures	
- Investigation identified incorrect control room equipment operation	
- Investigation identified maintenance activities that affected control room operations, procedures, and/or controller response	
- Investigation identified areas other than those above:	
Describe:	
<b>PART F - DRUG &amp; ALCOHOL TESTING INFORMATION</b>	
1. As a result of this Accident, were any Operator employees tested under the post-accident drug and alcohol testing requirements of DOT's Drug & Alcohol Testing regulations?	No
- If Yes:	
1a. Specify how many were tested:	

1b. Specify how many failed:	
2. As a result of this Accident, were any Operator contractor employees tested under the post-accident drug and alcohol testing requirements of DOT's Drug & Alcohol Testing regulations? - If Yes:	No
2a. Specify how many were tested:	
2b. Specify how many failed:	
<b>PART G – APPARENT CAUSE</b>	
<i>Select only one box from PART G in shaded column on left representing the APPARENT Cause of the Accident, and answer the questions on the right. Describe secondary, contributing or root causes of the Accident in the narrative (PART H).</i>	
Apparent Cause:	G6 - Equipment Failure
<b>G1 - Corrosion Failure</b> - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-hand column	
<b>Corrosion Failure – Sub Cause:</b>	
<b>- If External Corrosion:</b>	
1. Results of visual examination:	
	- If Other, Describe:
2. Type of corrosion: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Galvanic	
- Atmospheric	
- Stray Current	
- Microbiological	
- Selective Seam	
- Other:	
	- If Other, Describe:
3. The type(s) of corrosion selected in Question 2 is based on the following: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Field examination	
- Determined by metallurgical analysis	
- Other:	
	- If Other, Describe:
4. Was the failed item buried under the ground?	
- If Yes :	
<input type="checkbox"/> 4a. Was failed item considered to be under cathodic protection at the time of the Accident?	
If Yes - Year protection started:	
4b. Was shielding, tenting, or disbonding of coating evident at the point of the Accident?	
4c. Has one or more Cathodic Protection Survey been conducted at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes, CP Annual Survey:	
Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, Close Interval Survey:	
Most recent year conducted:	
- If Yes, Other CP Survey:	
Most recent year conducted:	
- If No:	
4d. Was the failed item externally coated or painted?	
5. Was there observable damage to the coating or paint in the vicinity of the corrosion?	
<b>- If Internal Corrosion:</b>	
6. Results of visual examination:	
- Other:	
7. Type of corrosion <i>(select all that apply)</i> : -	
- Corrosive Commodity	
- Water drop-out/Acid	
- Microbiological	
- Erosion	
- Other:	
	- If Other, Describe:
8. The cause(s) of corrosion selected in Question 7 is based on the following <i>(select all that apply)</i> : -	
- Field examination	
- Determined by metallurgical analysis	
- Other:	
	- If Other, Describe:
9. Location of corrosion <i>(select all that apply)</i> : -	
- Low point in pipe	

- Elbow	
- Other:	
- If Other, Describe:	
10. Was the commodity treated with corrosion inhibitors or biocides?	
11. Was the interior coated or lined with protective coating?	
12. Were cleaning/dewatering pigs (or other operations) routinely utilized?	
13. Were corrosion coupons routinely utilized?	
<b>Complete the following if any Corrosion Failure sub-cause is selected AND the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Tank/Vessel.</b>	
14. List the year of the most recent inspections:	
14a. API Std 653 Out-of-Service Inspection	
- No Out-of-Service Inspection completed	
14b. API Std 653 In-Service Inspection	
- No In-Service Inspection completed	
<b>Complete the following if any Corrosion Failure sub-cause is selected AND the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
15. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
15a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run: -	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage Tool	Most recent year:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year:
- Geometry	Most recent year:
- Caliper	Most recent year:
- Crack	Most recent year:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year:
- Other	Most recent year:
	Describe:
16. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
If Yes -	
	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure:
17. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on this segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident::	
	Most recent year conducted:
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	
	Most recent year conducted:
18. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
18a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
	Describe:
<b>G2 - Natural Force Damage - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-handed column</b>	
<b>Natural Force Damage - Sub-Cause:</b>	

<b>- If Earth Movement, NOT due to Heavy Rains/Floods:</b>	
1. Specify:	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Heavy Rains/Floods:</b>	
2. Specify:	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Lightning:</b>	
3. Specify:	
<b>- If Temperature:</b>	
4. Specify:	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Other Natural Force Damage:</b>	
5. Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Natural Force Damage sub-cause is selected.</b>	
6. Were the natural forces causing the Accident generated in conjunction with an extreme weather event?	
6a. If Yes, specify: (select all that apply)	
- Hurricane	
- Tropical Storm	
- Tornado	
- Other	
	- If Other, Describe:
<b>G3 - Excavation Damage - only one sub-cause can be picked from shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Excavation Damage – Sub-Cause:</b>	
<b>- If Previous Damage due to Excavation Activity:</b>	
<b>Complete Questions 1-5 ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
1. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
1a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run: -	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Most recent year conducted:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Geometry	Most recent year conducted:
- Caliper	Most recent year conducted:
- Crack	Most recent year conducted:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year conducted:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
	Describe:
2. Do you have reason to believe that the internal inspection was completed BEFORE the damage was sustained?	
3. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes:	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure (psig):
4. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident:	Most recent year conducted:
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	Most recent year conducted:
5. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
5a. If Yes, for each examination, conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	

	Most recent year conducted:	
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic		
	Most recent year conducted:	
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool		
	Most recent year conducted:	
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test		
	Most recent year conducted:	
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test		
	Most recent year conducted:	
- Other		
	Most recent year conducted:	
	Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if Excavation Damage by Third Party is selected as the sub-cause.</b>		
6. Did the operator get prior notification of the excavation activity?		
6a. If Yes, Notification received from: (select all that apply) -		
- One-Call System		
- Excavator		
- Contractor		
- Landowner		
<b>Complete the following mandatory CGA-DIRT Program questions if any Excavation Damage sub-cause is selected.</b>		
7. Do you want PHMSA to upload the following information to CGA-DIRT (www.cga-dirt.com)?		
8. Right-of-Way where event occurred: (select all that apply) -		
- Public		
	- If "Public", Specify:	
- Private		
	- If "Private", Specify:	
- Pipeline Property/Easement		
- Power/Transmission Line		
- Railroad		
- Dedicated Public Utility Easement		
- Federal Land		
- Data not collected		
- Unknown/Other		
9. Type of excavator:		
10. Type of excavation equipment:		
11. Type of work performed:		
12. Was the One-Call Center notified?		
12a. If Yes, specify ticket number:		
12b. If this is a State where more than a single One-Call Center exists, list the name of the One-Call Center notified:		
13. Type of Locator:		
14. Were facility locate marks visible in the area of excavation?		
15. Were facilities marked correctly?		
16. Did the damage cause an interruption in service?		
16a. If Yes, specify duration of the interruption (hours)		
17. Description of the CGA-DIRT Root Cause (select only the one predominant first level CGA-DIRT Root Cause and then, where available as a choice, the one predominant second level CGA-DIRT Root Cause as well):		
Root Cause:		
- If One-Call Notification Practices Not Sufficient, specify:		
- If Locating Practices Not Sufficient, specify:		
- If Excavation Practices Not Sufficient, specify:		
- If Other/None of the Above, explain:		
<b>G4 - Other Outside Force Damage - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>		
<b>Other Outside Force Damage – Sub-Cause:</b>		
<b>- If Damage by Car, Truck, or Other Motorized Vehicle/Equipment NOT Engaged in Excavation:</b>		
1. Vehicle/Equipment operated by:		
<b>- If Damage by Boats, Barges, Drilling Rigs, or Other Maritime Equipment or Vessels Set Adrift or Which Have Otherwise Lost Their Mooring:</b>		
2. Select one or more of the following IF an extreme weather event was a factor:		
- Hurricane		
- Tropical Storm		
- Tornado		
- Heavy Rains/Flood		
- Other		
	- If Other, Describe:	

<b>- If Previous Mechanical Damage NOT Related to Excavation:</b>	
<b>Complete Questions 3-7 ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is Pipe or Weld.</b>	
3. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
3a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run:	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Most recent year conducted:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Geometry	Most recent year conducted:
- Caliper	Most recent year conducted:
- Crack	Most recent year conducted:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year conducted:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
4. Do you have reason to believe that the internal inspection was completed BEFORE the damage was sustained?	
5. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes:	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure (psig):
6. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident:	Most recent year conducted:
- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site:	Most recent year conducted:
7. Has one or more non-destructive examination been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
7a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted:	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
<b>- If Intentional Damage:</b>	
8. Specify:	- If Other, Describe:
<b>- If Other Outside Force Damage:</b>	
9. Describe:	
<b>G5 - Material Failure of Pipe or Weld - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Use this section to report material failures ONLY IF the "Item Involved in Accident" (from PART C, Question 3) is "Pipe" or "Weld."</b>	
<b>Material Failure of Pipe or Weld – Sub-Cause:</b>	
1. The sub-cause selected below is based on the following: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Field Examination	
- Determined by Metallurgical Analysis	

- Other Analysis	
- If "Other Analysis", Describe:	
- Sub-cause is Tentative or Suspected; Still Under Investigation (Supplemental Report required)	
<b>- If Construction, Installation, or Fabrication-related:</b>	
2. List contributing factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Fatigue or Vibration-related	
Specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- Mechanical Stress:	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Original Manufacturing-related (NOT girth weld or other welds formed in the field):</b>	
2. List contributing factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i>	
- Fatigue or Vibration-related:	
Specify:	
- If Other, Describe:	
- Mechanical Stress:	
- Other	
- If Other, Describe:	
<b>- If Environmental Cracking-related:</b>	
3. Specify:	
- Other - Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Material Failure of Pipe or Weld sub-cause is selected.</b>	
4. Additional factors: <i>(select all that apply)</i> :	
- Dent	
- Gouge	
- Pipe Bend	
- Arc Burn	
- Crack	
- Lack of Fusion	
- Lamination	
- Buckle	
- Wrinkle	
- Misalignment	
- Burnt Steel	
- Other:	
- If Other, Describe:	
5. Has one or more internal inspection tool collected data at the point of the Accident?	
5a. If Yes, for each tool used, select type of internal inspection tool and indicate most recent year run:	
- Magnetic Flux Leakage	Most recent year run:
- Ultrasonic	Most recent year run:
- Geometry	Most recent year run:
- Caliper	Most recent year run:
- Crack	Most recent year run:
- Hard Spot	Most recent year run:
- Combination Tool	Most recent year run:
- Transverse Field/Triaxial	Most recent year run:
- Other	Most recent year run:
	Describe:
6. Has one or more hydrotest or other pressure test been conducted since original construction at the point of the Accident?	
- If Yes:	Most recent year tested:
	Test pressure (psig):
7. Has one or more Direct Assessment been conducted on the pipeline segment?	
- If Yes, and an investigative dig was conducted at the point of the Accident -	Most recent year conducted:

- If Yes, but the point of the Accident was not identified as a dig site -	
Most recent year conducted:	
8. Has one or more non-destructive examination(s) been conducted at the point of the Accident since January 1, 2002?	
8a. If Yes, for each examination conducted since January 1, 2002, select type of non-destructive examination and indicate most recent year the examination was conducted: -	
- Radiography	Most recent year conducted:
- Guided Wave Ultrasonic	Most recent year conducted:
- Handheld Ultrasonic Tool	Most recent year conducted:
- Wet Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Dry Magnetic Particle Test	Most recent year conducted:
- Other	Most recent year conducted:
Describe:	
<b>G6 – Equipment Failure - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>	
<b>Equipment Failure – Sub-Cause:</b>	<b>Non-threaded Connection Failure</b>
<b>- If Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment:</b>	
1. Specify: (select all that apply) -	
- Control Valve	
- Instrumentation	
- SCADA	
- Communications	
- Block Valve	
- Check Valve	
- Relief Valve	
- Power Failure	
- Stopple/Control Fitting	
- ESD System Failure	
- Other	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- If Pump or Pump-related Equipment:</b>	
2. Specify:	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- If Threaded Connection/Coupling Failure:</b>	
3. Specify:	
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- If Non-threaded Connection Failure:</b>	
4. Specify:	O-Ring
- If Other – Describe:	
<b>- Other Equipment Failure:</b>	
5. Describe:	
<b>Complete the following if any Equipment Failure sub-cause is selected.</b>	
6. Additional factors that contributed to the equipment failure: (select all that apply)	
- Excessive vibration	
- Overpressurization	
- No support or loss of support	
- Manufacturing defect	
- Loss of electricity	
- Improper installation	
- Mismatched items (different manufacturer for tubing and tubing fittings)	
- Dissimilar metals	
- Breakdown of soft goods due to compatibility issues with transported commodity	
- Valve vault or valve can contributed to the release	
- Alarm/status failure	
- Misalignment	
- Thermal stress	
- Other	Yes

- If Other, Describe:		O-Ring parted at connecting point
<b>G7 - Incorrect Operation - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>		
<b>Incorrect Operation – Sub-Cause:</b>		
<b>- If Tank, Vessel, or Sump/Separator Allowed or Caused to Overfill or Overflow:</b>		
1. Specify:		
- If Other, Describe:		
<b>- If Other Incorrect Operation:</b>		
2. Describe:		
<b>Complete the following if any Incorrect Operation sub-cause is selected.</b>		
3. Was this Accident related to (select all that apply): -		
- Inadequate procedure		
- No procedure established		
- Failure to follow procedure		
- Other:		
- If Other, Describe:		
4. What category type was the activity that caused the Accident?		
5. Was the task(s) that led to the Accident identified as a covered task in your Operator Qualification Program?		
5a. If Yes, were the individuals performing the task(s) qualified for the task(s)?		
<b>G8 - Other Accident Cause - only one sub-cause can be selected from the shaded left-hand column</b>		
<b>Other Accident Cause – Sub-Cause:</b>		
<b>- If Miscellaneous:</b>		
1. Describe:		
<b>- If Unknown:</b>		
2. Specify:		
<b>PART H - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE ACCIDENT</b>		
<p>On July 2, 2010 at approximately 10:15 AM local time, while performing routine site inspection at the Deer River Station, the Enbridge site technician observed oil spraying from the Line 4 36" sending trap door. The technician immediately bypassed and isolated the trap and contacted the area PLM and Management. The free product was collected and the sending trap was drained. After inspecting the trap door, it was discovered that the O-Ring in the trap door had failed. The O-Ring was immediately replaced and the trap was returned to normal operation.</p> <p>Contaminated soil from the impacted area was removed and will be disposed at an approved facility.</p>		
<b>PART I - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE</b>		
Preparer's Name	Theresa Picton	
Preparer's Title	Compliance Analyst	
Preparer's Telephone Number	(715) 394-1468	
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Preparer's Facsimile Number	(832)325-5477	
Authorized Signature's Name	David Hoffman	
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Authorized Signature Email	david.hoffman@enbridge.com	
Date	07/27/2010	



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date OCT 26, 2005

No. 20050310 -- 3600  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 15774 /  
 b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (NORTH DAKOTA) LLC  
 d. Operator street address 2625 RAILWAY AVE  
 e. Operator address MINOT WARD ND 58703-5002  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §95.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
755 / 09 / 27 / 2005 /  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
*(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)*
- a. Latitude: Longitude:  
*(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)*
- b. BENSON  
City and County or Parish
- c. ND  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
*(whichever gives more accurate location)*  
77.5
4. Telephone report  
773998 / 09 / 27 / 2005 /  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
- Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**
- |                                   |                  |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| Public/private property damage    | \$ <u>10,000</u> |
| Cost of emergency response phase  | \$ <u>0</u>      |
| Cost of environmental remediation | \$ <u>0</u>      |
| Other Costs                       | \$ <u>0</u>      |
| <small>(describe)</small>         |                  |
- Operator Losses:**
- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Value of product lost                                 | \$ <u>1,800</u>          |
| Value of operator property damage                     | \$ <u>0</u>              |
| Other Costs   | \$ <u>338,200</u>        |
| <small>(describe) <b>CLEANUP/REPAIR COSTS</b></small> |                          |
| <b>Total Costs:</b>                                   | <b>\$ <u>350,000</u></b> |

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
*(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)*
- a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 350  
 Recovered: 320

**CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):** (For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

VALERIE LAVIK <small>(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title</small>	(701) 857-0852 <small>Area Code and Telephone Number</small>
VALERIE.LAVIK@ENBRIDGE.COM <small>Preparer's E-mail Address</small>	(701) 857-0809 <small>Area Code and Facsimile Number</small>
_____ <small>Authorized Signature</small>	_____ <small>Date</small>
_____ <small>(type or print) Name and Title</small>	_____ <small>Area Cod and Telephone Number</small>

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or IDLINE 81  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Off shore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Year the component that failed was installed: / 1962 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 628 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 913 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) 3  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 129,241 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 129,241 ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 2004  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: 2005  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 16 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .25 / in.  
 3. Specification 5L X52 SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type ERW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by LONE STAR in year / 1962 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 36 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Contractor employees working for operator:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
General public:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Totals:</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 23 hours 0 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. / \_\_\_\_\_ / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 4.457  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPMSCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours 3

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- |   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Pipe Coating           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Bare</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Coated</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>b. Visual Examination           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Localized Pitting</li> <li><input type="radio"/> General Corrosion</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>c. Cause of Corrosion           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Galvanic <input type="radio"/> Atmospheric</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Stray Current <input type="radio"/> Microbiological</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Cathodic Protection Disrupted</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Stress Corrosion Cracking</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Selective Seam Corrosion</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
|---|--|---|
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?
    - No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?
    - No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: \_\_\_\_/ years \_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received: /08/ mo. /02/ day /2005/ yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

THE RELEASE WAS REPORTED TO ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (NORTH DAKOTA) ON THE NPS 16 PIPELINE FROM MINOT TO CLEARBROOK BETWEEN MP 77 AND 78, AT 7:55 A.M., TUESDAY, SEPT. 27, 2005. APPROXIMATELY 350 BARRELS OF SWT WAS RELEASED, CONTAMINATING AN AREA APPROXIMATELY 2700 SQUARE YARDS. THE LINE WAS SHUT IN AND ALL FREE PRODUCT WAS HAULED BACK TO MINOT STATION. THE LINE WAS BACK IN SERVICE WITH A PERMANENT REPAIR EARLY WEDNESDAY (09/28/05) MORNING. THE RELEASE WAS REPORTED TO THE NRC (REPORT #769975) AND THE NORTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (REPORT #05-120).

THE LINE WAS STRUCK BY HEAVY EQUIPMENT DURING HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION ON U.S. HIGHWAY 2. ENBRIDGE HAD PROVIDED THE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTOR WITH THE APPROXIMATE HORIZONTAL LOCATION OF THE PIPELINE IN RESPONSE TO THE CONTRACTOR'S ONE-CALL NOTIFICATION ON AUGUST 2, 2005. THE CONTRACTOR INFORMED ENBRIDGE THAT EXCAVATION ACTIVITIES WOULD NOT OCCUR IN THE VICINITY OF THE PIPELINE. THE EXCAVATION ACTIVITIES CONTINUED UNTIL THE STRIKE OCCURRED ON SEPTEMBER 27 WITHOUT FURTHER ONE-CALL NOTIFICATIONS BY THE CONTRACTOR. MOST OF THE OIL WAS CONTAINED WITHIN THE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION BORROW PIT ESTABLISHED BY THE CONTRACTOR.

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

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**PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION** check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 15774 /  
 2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (NORTH DAKOTA) LLC  
 d. Operator street address 2625 RAILWAY AVE  
 e. Operator address MINOT WARD ND 58703  
 City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
250 / 11 / 24 / 2007  
 hr. month day year

3. Location of accident  
 (If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)

a. Latitude: Longitude:  
 (If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)

b. MAXBASS BOTTINEAU  
 City and County or Parish

c. ND 58760  
 State and Zip Code

d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
 (whichever gives more accurate location)

4. Telephone report  
855355 / 11 / 24 / 2007  
 NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe)	

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>10,300</u>
(describe) <u>CLEAN UP COST</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>10,300</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
 (If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)

a. Name of commodity spilled U.S. HIGH SWEET - CLEARBROOK

b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:

Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:  
 Spilled: 84  
 Recovered: 84

**CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):** (For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

**PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE**

VALERIE LAVIK (701) 857-0852  
 (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

VALERIE.LAVIK@ENBRIDGE.COM (701) 857-0809  
 Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID#5 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

- Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1960 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	0	0

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / \_\_\_\_\_ / hr. / \_\_\_\_\_ / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 8  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours 1

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic
  - Stray Current
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Atmospheric
  - Microbiological
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public
    - Government
    - Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work
    - Pipeline
    - Water
    - Electric
    - Sewer
    - Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related
    - Farming
    - Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:
    - Open Trench
    - Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/day /\_\_\_\_\_/yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: \_\_\_\_\_ / yr. \_\_\_\_\_ / mo. \_\_\_\_\_ / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: \_\_\_\_\_ / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / 0 / alcohol test / 0 /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

STATION SUMP OVER FILLED AND RELEASED 84 BARRELS OF CRUDE ONTO THE GROUND. HUMAN ERROR LED TO A 2" VALVE TO THE SUMP BEING LEFT OPEN. ALL CRUDE WAS CONTAINED WITHIN THE STATION HEADER CONTAINMENT BERM ON THE LAND OWNED BY ENBRIDGE. ALL FREE PRODUCT WAS PICKED UP AND RE-INJECTED INTO THE LINE. CONTAMINATED SOIL WAS PICKED UP AND HAULED TO A REGISTERED FACILITY.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
Research and Special Programs  
Administration

## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date FEB 21, 2007

No. 20070043 - 5589  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 15774 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (NORTH DAKOTA) LLC
- d. Operator street address 2505 16TH ST SW, SUITE 200
- e. Operator address MINOT WARD ND 58701  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1545 / 01 / 25 / 2007  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 48-17-10 Longitude: 102-25-30  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. STANLEY MOUNTRAIL  
City and County or Parish
  - c. ND 58784  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)
4. Telephone report  
824671 / 01 / 25 / 2007  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>62,000</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>6,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe)	

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$ <u>750</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>7,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe)	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>75,750</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:

Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:

Spilled: 215

Recovered: 200

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

VALERIE K. LAVIK (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	(701) 857-0852 Area Code and Telephone Number
VALERIE.LAVIK@ENBRIDGE.COM Preparer's E-mail Address	(701) 857-0809 Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **STANLEY STATION**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State    /    / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA **US OPA**

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: /    1983    /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident:    1,700    PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident:    980    PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) /    10    / in.  
 2. Wall thickness    .12    / in.  
 3. Specification    API X42    SMYS /    42000    /  
 4. Seam type    ERW  
 5. valve type    N/A  
 6. Manufactured by    UNKNOWN    in year /    /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees:    0    0  
 Contractor employees working for operator:    0    0  
 General public:    0    0  
**Totals:**    0    0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long?    0    days    6    hours    0    minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) /    / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
   / hr.    / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards:    296     
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion  
(Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| a. Pipe Coating <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Bare</li><li><input type="radio"/> Coated</li></ul> | b. Visual Examination <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Localized Pitting</li><li><input type="radio"/> General Corrosion</li><li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li></ul> | c. Cause of Corrosion <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Galvanic <input type="radio"/> Atmospheric</li><li><input type="radio"/> Stray Current <input type="radio"/> Microbiological</li><li><input type="radio"/> Cathodic Protection Disrupted</li><li><input type="radio"/> Stress Corrosion Cracking</li><li><input type="radio"/> Selective Seam Corrosion</li><li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li></ul> |
|---|---|---|
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /.../
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /.../ mo. /.../ day /.../ yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

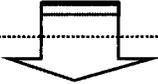
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / 0 / alcohol test / 0 /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

STANLEY STATION CONTAINS PIPING FROM A DIESEL UNIT THAT WAS REMOVED IN 2004. THIS PIPING WAS USED FOR EXISTING PISTON PUMPS THAT INJECT PRODUCT FROM THE STANLEY TANKS UNTIL NOVEMBER OF 2006. IN NOVEMBER OF 2006, DISCHARGE PIPING FROM THE INJECTION PUMPS WAS MODIFIED. THIS MODIFICATION LEFT APPROXIMATELY 80 FEET OF 10; PIPE IDLED SUBJECT TO DISCHARGE PRESSURE. OF THIS 80 FEET OF PIPE, 20 FEET WAS ISOLATED WITH A CHECK VALVE. JANUARY 25TH WAS THE WARMEST DAY OF THE YEAR WITH LOCAL TEMPERATURES REACHING 43 DEGREES F. THIS 20 FEET OF PIPING ISOLATED FROM THE REST WAS EXPOSED TO THERMAL EXPANSION. THIS CREATED A PRESSURE LARGE ENOUGH TO RUPTURE THE PIPE ON THE DOWNSTREAM SIDE OF THE CHECK VALVE. THE CHECK THEN ALLOWED OIL TO FLOW FROM THE MAINLINE THROUGH THE DISCHARGE PIPING, THROUGH THE CHECK AND OUT OF THE RUPTURED STATION PIPE. PRESSURE WAS ESTIMATED USING CALCULATIONS BASED ON OBSERVED TEMPERATURE RISE. THE RELEASE WAS ISOLATED, CONTAINED AND IMMEDIATELY CLEANED UP. THE FLAPPER WAS REMOVED FROM THE CHECK VALVE TO ELIMINATE THE CAUSE OF THE INCIDENT.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAR 27, 2003

No. 20030109 - 11652  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31448 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (TOLEDO) INC.
- d. Operator street address 21 W SUPERIOR ST
- e. Operator address DULUTH ST LOUIS MN 55802-2067  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1904 / 02 / 27 / 2003  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 41° 48' 24" Longitude: -83° 36' 00"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. SAMARIA MONROE  
City and County or Parish
  - c. MI  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
71.60 III MARATHON TANK FARM
4. Telephone report  
638043 / 02 / 27 / 2003  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)	
<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>95,000</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>30,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>130,000</u>
(describe) <u>ENBRIDGE LABOR COSTS</u>	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe)	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>255,000</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:  
Spilled: 130  
Recovered: 125

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ Date
_____ (type or print) Name and Title	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID17 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1998 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 150 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 864 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 12 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .5 / in.  
 3. Specification API5L SMYS / 35000 /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / 1998 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 3 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
**Totals:** 0 0

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe: / / hr. / / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 160  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 1

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

A 1-INCH DIAMETER DRAIN VALVE WAS ATTACHED HORIZONTALLY (WITH AN L-PIPE EXTENSION) TO THE BOTTOM OF THE PROVER PIPE SYSTEM AT SAMARIA, MI. THIS L-PIPE ARRANGEMENT CREATED AN AREA FOR WATER TO COLLECT AND DID NOT ALLOW FOR THE EXPANSION OF ICE. THE VALVE RUPTURED AS A RESULT OF WATER THAT HAD SETTLED OUT FROM THE CRUDE AND FROZE. THE CAUSE OF THIS INCIDENT WAS DETERMINED TO BE NATURAL FORCES; SPECIFICALLY, TEMPERATURE WITH SUBCAUSE BEING FROZEN COMPONENT.

THE L-PIPE HAS BEEN REMOVED AND THE 1-INCH VALVE HAS BEEN PLACED IN THE VERTICAL POSITION ALLOWING ANY FUTURE ICE EXPANSION TO ESCAPE INTO THE LARGER 12-INCH PROVER PIPE RUN. ALL SIMILAR VALVE INSTALLATIONS AT SAMARIA, MI AND OREGON, OH HAVE BEEN UPGRADED TO PREVENT A SIMILAR OCCURRENCE.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date DEC 08, 2003

No. 20040008 -- 1842  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31884 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (LOUISIANA LIQUIDS) LLC
- d. Operator street address 1100 LOUISIANA SUITE 3300
- e. Operator address HOUSTON HARRIS TX 77002  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1910 / 10 / 19 / (2003)  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 29.6307297 Longitude: -89.9521332  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. PLAQUEMINES  
City and County or Parish
  - c. LA 70037  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
MP 32
4. Telephone report  
703360 / 10 / 22 / 2003 /  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>25</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>400,000</u>
(describe)		<u>REPAIR</u>

**Total Costs:** \$ 400,025

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled PROPYLENE
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 17  
Recovered: \_\_\_\_\_

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |  |                                      |   |  |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                                | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>KEN MOORE</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	(713) <u>821-2000</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>KENNETH.MOORE@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	(713) <u>353-1769</u> Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ (type or print) Name and Title	_____ Date
_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or IDPP LINE \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Off shore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1959 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 600 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 1,000 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other **CRACK IN PIPE - SOURCE UNDER INVESTIGATION**

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 59.748 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 59.748 ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 16 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .31 / in.  
 3. Specification API 5L X52 SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type DSAW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by REPUBLIC STEEL in year / 1959 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
 Totals: 0 0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 20 days 5 hours 45 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 0 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 9 hours 1

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion  
(Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. Pipe Coating<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Bare</li><li><input type="radio"/> Coated</li></ul></li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>b. Visual Examination<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Localized Pitting</li><li><input type="radio"/> General Corrosion</li><li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li></ul></li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>c. Cause of Corrosion<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><input type="radio"/> Galvanic <input type="radio"/> Atmospheric</li><li><input type="radio"/> Stray Current <input type="radio"/> Microbiological</li><li><input type="radio"/> Cathodic Protection Disrupted</li><li><input type="radio"/> Stress Corrosion Cracking</li><li><input type="radio"/> Selective Seam Corrosion</li><li><input type="radio"/> Other _____</li></ul></li></ul> |
|--|--|--|
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started:    /    /
  - e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:    /    /    years    /    /    months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact    /    /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received:    /    /    mo.    /    /    day    /    /    yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

### H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES

#### Material

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Weld

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / 2002 / yr. / 5 / mo. / 24 / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 8 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 1284 PSIG

### H6 - EQUIPMENT

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION

23.  Incorrect Operation

a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

### H8 - OTHER

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

### PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

LEAK RESULTED FROM A 2" (+/-) CRACK, WHICH LIKELY BEGAN IN THE GIRTH WELD AND PROPAGATED INTO THE PARENT PIPE. HOWEVER, THE CAUSE OF THE CRACK IS STILL BEING EVALUATED.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
Research and Special Programs  
Administration

## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date APR 27, 2004

No. 20040103 - 2123  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31884 /  
 b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (LOUISIANA LIQUIDS) LLC  
 d. Operator street address 1100 LOUISIANA SUITE 3300  
 e. Operator address HOUSTON HARRIS TX 77002  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1840 / 10 / 22 / 2003  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
*(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)*
- a. Latitude: 29 43 25.83N Longitude: 90 00 44.02W  
*(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)*
- b. BELLE CHASSE PLAQUEMINES  
City and County or Parish
- c. LA 70037  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
*(whichever gives more accurate location)*  
1808+21
4. Telephone report  
703360 / 10 / 22 / 2003  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
<small>(describe)</small>	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>425,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
<small>(describe)</small>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>425,000</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
*(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)*
- a. Name of commodity spilled PROPYLENE
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 17  
 Recovered: \_\_\_\_\_

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

KENNETH MOORE, MANAGER TRANSMISSION (713) 821-2287  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

KENNETH.MOORE@ENBRIDGE.COM (713) 353-5620  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **16" PROPYLENE LINE**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1959 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 600 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 1,022 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 595.056 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 595.056 ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 16 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .31 / in.  
 3. Specification **API 5L GRADE X** SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type **ERW**  
 5. valve type **NA**  
 6. Manufactured by **REPUBLIC STEEL** in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
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	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Contractor employees working for operator:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
General public:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Totals:</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 27 days 0 hours 0 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 0 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion  
 (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  
 General Corrosion  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  
 Stray Current  Microbiological  
 Cathodic Protection Disrupted  
 Stress Corrosion Cracking  
 Selective Seam Corrosion  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

### H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES

#### Material

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

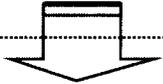
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Weld

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / 2002 / yr. / 5 / mo. / 25 / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / 8 / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: 1278 PSIG

### H6 - EQUIPMENT

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

### H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION

23.  Incorrect Operation

a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

### H8 - OTHER

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

### PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

MANUFACTURING DEFECT IN THE SEAM WELD CAUSED EVENT.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
Research and Special Programs  
Administration

## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAY 19, 2006

No. 20060138 - 11653  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31448 /  
 b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (TOLEDO) INC.  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1820 / 04 / 20 / 2006  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
 (If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
- a. Latitude: 42° 3' 39" Longitude: -83° 49' 54"  
 (If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
- b. BRITTON LENAWEE  
City and County or Parish
- c. MI 49229  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
 (whichever gives more accurate location)  
49.3
4. Telephone report  
796108 / 05 / 04 / 2006  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
- Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**
- |                                   |    |          |
|-----------------------------------|----|----------|
| Public/private property damage    | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Cost of emergency response phase  | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Cost of environmental remediation | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Other Costs                       | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| (describe)                        |    |          |
- Operator Losses:**
- |                                      |    |                |
|--------------------------------------|----|----------------|
| Value of product lost                | \$ | <u>0</u>       |
| Value of operator property damage    | \$ | <u>10,000</u>  |
| Other Costs                          | \$ | <u>105,000</u> |
| (describe) <u>REPAIR AND CLEANUP</u> |    |                |
| <b>Total Costs:</b>                  | \$ | <u>115,000</u> |

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
 (If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
- a. Name of commodity spilled WESTERN CANADIAN SELECT
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 25  
 Recovered: 25

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID17 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No  
 Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)

- Operator's Property
- Pipeline Right of Way
- High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
Describe HCA HPA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident

- Above Ground Storage Tank
- Cavern or other below ground storage facility
- Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps
- Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore pipeline, including valve sites

Offshore pipeline, including platforms

if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on

- Body of Pipe
- Pump
- Component
- Repair Sleeve
- Girth Weld
- Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- Pipe Seam
- Sump
- Valve
- Welded Fitting
- Scraper Trap
- Joint
- Metering Facility
- Bolted Fitting

Year the component that failed was installed: / 2004 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)

- a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident:  
1,160 PSIG
- b. MOP at time of accident:  
1,480 PSIG
- c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture

- Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_
- Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_
- N/A
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:

- Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve
- Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft

d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No

f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know

Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)

- High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_
- Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_
- UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_
- Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_
- Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_
- Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)

a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
 Totals: 0 0

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 5 hours 0 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact

- a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No
- b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 210
- c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No
- d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No

If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPMSCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 5

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started:    /    /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident:    /    /    years    /    /    months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact    /    /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received:    /    /    mo.    /    /    day    /    /    yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

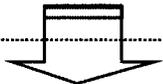
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

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A WOMAN OF THE PUBLIC CALLED THE CONTROL CENTRE INFORMING THEM OF A LEAK AT OUR BRITTON PUMP STATION. NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES WERE FOLLOWED, AND A LOCAL TECHNICIAN TRAVELED TO THE SITE. APPROXIMATELY 25 BBLs. OF OIL HAD LEAKED FROM NEARBY THE PUMP (WHICH IS NOT LOCATED INSIDE A BUILDING) AND WAS POOLED IN A COUPLE LOCATIONS AT THE STATION, AND HAD SPRAYED OVER THE PUMP AND OTHER PARTS OF THE STATION AND NEARBY PUBLIC ROAD. THE LINE HAD BEEN SHUT DOWN UPON RECEIVING THE CALL FROM THE WOMAN. UPON FURTHER EXAMINATION, IT WAS FOUND THAT A NIPPLE ON A PRESSURE TRANSMITTER NEAR THE PUMP HAD CRACKED. THE NIPPLE WAS ISOLATED WITH A 2" VALVE, THE STATION SUCTION AND DISCHARGE VALVES WERE CONFIRMED CLOSED, AND THE AUTHORITY WAS GIVEN TO START THE LINE ON STATION BYPASS. CREWS WERE MOBILIZED TO CLEAN THE SPILL AND REPAIR THE CRACKED NIPPLE. THE ROAD AND THE DITCH WERE ONLY IMPACTED BY A MIST OF OIL. THERE WAS NO FREE OIL IN THESE AREAS, AND THE ROAD WAS NOT SLIPPERY.

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**PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION** check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31947 /  
 b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (OZARK) L.L.C.  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
 City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
405 / 09 / 16 / 2004  
 hr. month day year

3. Location of accident  
 (If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)

a. Latitude: 35° 57' 08" Longitude: -96° 45' 01"  
 (If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)

b. CUSHING PAYNE  
 City and County or Parish

c. OK 74023  
 State and Zip Code

d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
 (whichever gives more accurate location)  
0

4. Telephone report  
735227 / 09 / 16 / 2004  
 NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>230,000</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>7,100</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>2,100,000</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>2,337,100</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
 (If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)

a. Name of commodity spilled  
 b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:

Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:  
 Spilled: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Recovered: \_\_\_\_\_

**CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):** (For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

**PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE**

EMILY JURGENS \_\_\_\_\_ (715) 394-1547 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM \_\_\_\_\_  
 Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **TANK 17**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scrapper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / / in.  
 2. Wall thickness / / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other **TANK**  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	0	0

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT** (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

TANK 17 WAS STRUCK BY LIGHTNING AT APPROXIMATELY 04:05 MST, WHICH IGNITED A SEAL FIRE. THE CUSHING FIRE DEPARTMENT RESPONDED AND ATTEMPTED TO EXTINGUISH THE FIRE, BUT WAS UNSUCCESSFUL. ADDITIONAL FOAM, EQUIPMENT AND EXPERTISE WAS BROUGHT IN AND THE FIRE WAS EXTINGUISHED AT APPROXIMATELY 18:20 MST. NO OIL WAS RELEASED TO THE GROUND. THERE WAS NO THREAT TO THE PUBLIC.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date OCT 26, 2004

No. 20040298 - 11657  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31947 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (OZARK) L.L.C.
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
900 / 09 / 27 / 2004  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 35° 56' 26" Longitude: -96° 44' 26"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. CUSHING LINCOLN  
City and County or Parish
  - c. OK 74023  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
0
4. Telephone report  
736556 / 09 / 27 / 2004  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe) _____		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>5</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>100,000</u>
(describe) <u>TANK REPAIR</u>		

**Total Costs:** \$ 100,005

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 1  
Recovered: 1

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Corrosion          | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ Date
_____ (type or print) Name and Title	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **CENTRAL TERM. TANK 3357**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) **TANK FLOOR**

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1947 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

- a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

- c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

- e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

- g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other **STORAGE TANK**  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>Injuries</b>
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

- c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 0 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 1  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

- e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPMSCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
  - 2.  Internal Corrosion
- (Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating
  - Bare
  - Coated
- b. Visual Examination
  - Localized Pitting
  - General Corrosion
  - Other **INSIDE TANK** \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion
  - Galvanic  Atmospheric
  - Stray Current  Microbiological
  - Cathodic Protection Disrupted
  - Stress Corrosion Cracking
  - Selective Seam Corrosion
  - Other **NOT YET INSPECTED** \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / 1947 /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / \_\_\_ / years / \_\_\_ / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / \_\_\_ /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / \_\_\_ / mo. / \_\_\_ / day / \_\_\_ / yr.  No  
Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

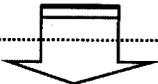
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

DURING A ROUTINE MONTHLY TANK INSPECTION, A VERY SMALL AREA OF OILY SOIL WAS NOTICED AT THE BASE OF TANK 3357. UPON FURTHER INVESTIGATION, THERE APPEARED TO BE A LEAK IN THE FLOOR OF THE TANK. IT HAS BEEN TAKEN OUT OF SERVICE AND LOCKED OUT. CONTRACTORS HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED TO GAS-FREE AND CLEAN THE TANK. ONCE THIS HAS BEEN COMPLETED, REPAIR ASSESSMENTS WILL BE MADE.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date NOV 12, 2004

No. 20040325 - 11658  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31947 / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (OZARK) L.L.C.  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
609 / 10 / 14 / 2004  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
 (If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
- a. Latitude: 35° 57' 08" Longitude: -96° 45' 01"  
 (If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
- b. CUSHING PAYNE  
City and County or Parish
- c. OK 74023  
State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
0
4. Telephone report  
738416 / 10 / 14 / 2004  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ _____ 0
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ _____ 0
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ _____ 0
Other Costs	\$ _____ 0
<small>(describe) _____</small>	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ _____ 0
Value of operator property damage	\$ _____ 30,000
Other Costs	\$ _____ 8,000
<small>(describe) <u>REPAIR COST</u></small>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ _____ 38,000</b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
 (If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
- a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 90  
 Recovered: 90

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or IDCUSHING TERMINAL \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore pipeline, including valve sites  
 Offshore pipeline, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1949 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 35 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 40 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 24 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .38 / in.  
 3. Specification 5L SMYS / 24000 /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 48 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 120  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 60 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPW/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion  
 (Complete items a - e where applicable.)
- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  
 General Corrosion  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  
 Stray Current  Microbiological  
 Cathodic Protection Disrupted  
 Stress Corrosion Cracking  
 Selective Seam Corrosion  
 Other **SLUDGE ON BOTTOM OF STRAINER**
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / 1949 /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / \_\_\_ / years / \_\_\_ / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / \_\_\_ /
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / \_\_\_ / mo. / \_\_\_ / day / \_\_\_ / yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

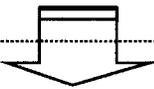
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

A PARTIALLY BURIED STRAINER, ON THE SUCTION SIDE OF A CUSHING TERMINAL BOOSTER PUMP, DEVELOPED A LEAK BELOW GRADE. OIL SATURATED THE GRAVELLED AREA, RAN TO CATCH BASIN AND DOWN DRAINAGE DITCH TOWARD AN ON-SITE POND. ABSORBENT BOOM WAS STRUNG ACROSS WATER TO PREVENT FURTHER MIGRATION OF OIL. ALL PRODUCT WAS CONTAINED ON SITE AND VACUUM TRUCKS RECOVERED FREE PRODUCT. CONTAMINATED SOIL WAS EXCAVATED AND STOCKPILED. THE STRAINER WAS REMOVED AND STRAIGHT SPOOL WAS INSTALLED.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date NOV 16, 2005

No. 20050336 - 11663  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31947 /
- b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (OZARK) LLC
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
618 / 10 / 21 / 2005  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 37° 48' 11" Longitude: -96° 55' 14"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. EL DORADO BUTLER  
City and County or Parish
  - c. KS 67042  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
0
4. Telephone report  
776984 / 10 / 21 / 2005  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

<b>Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:</b>	
Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>650</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>24,326</u>
(describe) <u>CLEANUP</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>24,976</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:

Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

Amounts:  
Spilled: 2,350  
Recovered: 2,340

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
(type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID TANK 4152  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / \_\_\_\_ / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scrapper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) **PIVOT PIN ON A MIXER**

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1956 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 0 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification 0 SMYS / 0 /  
 4. Seam type 0  
 5. valve type 0  
 6. Manufactured by 0 in year / 1956 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
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	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Contractor employees working for operator:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
General public:	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Totals:</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 200  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other MIXER \_\_\_\_\_

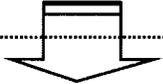
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT** (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

EL DORADO FIELD STAFF ARRIVED ON SITE OCTOBER 21, 2005 AND DISCOVERED TANK 4152 HAD A LEAK ON THE MIXER. ALTHOUGH THE RELEASE WAS INITIALLY ESTIMATED AT 200 BARRELS, ACTUAL VOLUME OUT WAS DETERMINED TO BE 2350 BARRELS, ALL CONTAINED IN THE DIKE AREA. THIS TANK IS LEASED TO NCRA AND THEY WERE PULLING OUT OF IT AT THE TIME OF THE RELEASE. JAYHAWK PIPELINE INCREASED THEIR RATE TO MAXIMUM IN AN EFFORT TO PULL DOWN THE LEVEL AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. NCRA APPROVED THE GRAVITY FEED AS WELL TO THEIR LEASED TANK 4151. NCRA STAFF WERE ON SITE AND TWO VACUUM TRUCKS CLEANED UP THE FREE-STANDING OIL. FIRE AND POLICE WERE CONTACTED.

THE PIVOT PINS THAT HOLD THE MIXER TO THE TANK SHELL HAVE A POORLY DESIGNED KEEPER RING THAT ALLOWED THE KEEPER RING TO FALL OFF AND THE PIN TO VIBRATE OUT. WE HAVE SINCE BEEN MADE AWARE THAT THE MIXER MANUFACTURER HAS A RETROFIT TO PREVENT THE KEEPER RING FROM FALLING OFF THE PIN, AND WE HAVE ORDERED THE RETROFIT AND WILL BE INSTALLING IT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date SEP 08, 2006

No. 20060255 - 11664  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31947 /  
 b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /  
 c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (OZARK) LLC  
 d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E  
 e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
 City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
730 / 08 / 13 / 2006  
 hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
 (If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
- a. Latitude: 37° 48' 10" Longitude: -96° 54' 56"  
 (If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
- b. EL DORADO BUTLER  
 City and County or Parish
- c. KS 67042  
 State and Zip Code
- d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
 (whichever gives more accurate location)  
EL DORADO TERMINAL
4. Telephone report  
807670 / 08 / 13 / 2006  
 NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
- Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**
- |                                   |    |          |
|-----------------------------------|----|----------|
| Public/private property damage    | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Cost of emergency response phase  | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Cost of environmental remediation | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| Other Costs                       | \$ | <u>0</u> |
| (describe)                        |    |          |
- Operator Losses:**
- |                                       |    |               |
|---------------------------------------|----|---------------|
| Value of product lost                 | \$ | <u>140</u>    |
| Value of operator property damage     | \$ | <u>0</u>      |
| Other Costs                           | \$ | <u>90,000</u> |
| (describe) <u>REPAIRS AND CLEANUP</u> |    |               |
| <b>Total Costs:</b>                   | \$ | <u>90,140</u> |

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
 (If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
- a. Name of commodity spilled WEST TEXAS SOUR
- b. Classification of commodity spilled:  
 HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions  
 CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditons  
 Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions  
 Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
- Barrels  
 Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)
- Amounts:  
 Spilled: 140  
 Recovered: 138

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion  Natural Forces  Excavation Damage  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures  Equipment  Incorrect Operation  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
 (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
 Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or **IDEL DORADO TERMINAL**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Off shore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1950 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 35 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: 285 PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft

e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 16 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / 25000 /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: 36 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? 0 days 2 hours 30 minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No  
 d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 15 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 300  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 115 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 2

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

- a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated
- b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other **MICROBIOLOGICAL** \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / 1975 /
- e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / \_\_\_ / years / \_\_\_ / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / \_\_\_ /
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / \_\_\_ / mo. / \_\_\_ / day / \_\_\_ / yr.  No  
 Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

**ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

A RELEASE OF APPROXIMATELY 140 BARRELS OF CRUDE OIL WAS DISCOVERED AS A TECHNICIAN ARRIVED AT THE EL DORADO TERMINAL ON 8/13/06. THE SOURCE OF THE LEAK WAS BURIED TERMINAL PIPING NEAR TANK 4160. THE PRODUCT MIGRATED DOWN THE SITE DRAINAGE DITCH AND INTO A POND. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THE OIL ON THE POND COVERED AN AREA 150' X 60'. ALL PRODUCT WAS CONTAINED WITHIN THE TERMINAL PROPERTY. THE PIPING WAS ISOLATED AND THERE WAS NO OPERATIONAL IMPACT TO THE INTERCONNECTING PIPELINES OR REFINERY. THE NRC AND KDHE WERE NOTIFIED. VACUUM TRUCKS PICKED UP FREE PRODUCT AND CONTRACTORS WERE DISPATCHED TO EXCAVATE AND REPAIR THE PIPING.



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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date SEP 27, 2006

No. 20060280 - 11665  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31947 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (OZARK) L.L.C.
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
1333 / 08 / 29 / 2006  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 35° 56' 26" Longitude: -96° 45' 01"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. CUSHING LINCOLN  
City and County or Parish
  - c. OK 74023  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)
4. Telephone report  
809614 / 08 / 29 / 2006  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$ <u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>0</u>
(describe) _____	
<b>Operator Losses:</b>	
Value of product lost	\$ <u>35</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$ <u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$ <u>150,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR</u>	
<b>Total Costs:</b>	<b>\$ <u>150,035</u></b>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled WTI DOMESTIC SWEET TYPE CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 1  
Recovered: 1

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion   
  Natural Forces   
  Excavation Damage   
  Other Outside Force Damage  
 Material and/or Weld Failures   
  Equipment   
  Incorrect Operation   
  Other

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

EMILY JURGENS (715) 394-1547  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Code and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **TANK 3010**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)?  
 Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) **TANK FLOOR**  
 Year the component that failed was installed: / 1978 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 2. Wall thickness \_\_\_\_\_ / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / \_\_\_\_\_ /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / \_\_\_\_\_ /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. 

	Fatalities	Injuries
Number of operator employees:	0	0
Contractor employees working for operator:	0	0
General public:	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 0 / hr. / 10 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

- 1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
- 2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):
  - CPMSCADA-based system with leak detection
  - Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test
  - Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment
  - Remote operating personnel, including controllers
  - Air patrol or ground surveillance
  - A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Estimated leak duration days 2 hours 0

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

- 1.  External Corrosion
- 2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

a. Pipe Coating

- Bare
- Coated

b. Visual Examination

- Localized Pitting
- General Corrosion
- Other **TOPSIDE CORROSION** \_\_\_\_\_

c. Cause of Corrosion

- Galvanic  Atmospheric
- Stray Current  Microbiological
- Cathodic Protection Disrupted
- Stress Corrosion Cracking
- Selective Seam Corrosion
- Other **GENERAL CORROSION DUE TO SUBMERGED SURFACE** \_\_\_\_\_

d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / 1978 /

e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / \_\_\_ / years / \_\_\_ / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

- 3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.  Lightning
- 5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

- 8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
- 9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
  - a. Excavator group
    - General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
  - b. Type:
    - Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable
    - Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad
    - Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor
    - Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
  - d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / \_\_\_ /
  - e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?
    - Yes; Date received: / \_\_\_ / mo. / \_\_\_ / day / \_\_\_ / yr.  No
    - Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
  - f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
    - i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
    - ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
    - iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
    - iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

- 10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
- 11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
- 12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
- 13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

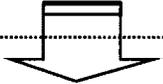
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

DURING ROUTINE MONTHLY TANK INSPECTION, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT TANK 3010 HAD A PINHOLE LEAK IN THE FLOOR. APPROXIMATELY ONE HALF GALLON OF SLUDGE WAS RECOVERED. 235,000 BBLs WERE TRANSFERRED OUT OF TANK 3010 AND IT WAS TAKEN OUT OF SERVICE. AN API 653 INSPECTION WILL BE PERFORMED AND APPROPRIATE REPAIRS MADE. IT IS ESTIMATED THIS TANK WILL BE OUT OF SERVICE FOR 4 TO 6 MONTHS.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
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### ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date MAX 05,2008

No. 20080148 - 11510  
(DOT Use Only)

#### INSTRUCTIONS

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#### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 31947 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator ENBRIDGE PIPELINES (OZARK) L.L.C.
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
740 / 04 / 06 / 2008  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 37° 48' 10" Longitude: -96° 54' 50"  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. EL DORADO BUTLER  
City and County or Parish
  - c. KS 67042  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
TANK 4151
4. Telephone report  
867137 / 04 / 06 / 2008  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>150,000</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>326,127</u>
(describe) <u>CLEAN UP COSTS</u>		
<b>Total Costs:</b>	\$	<u>476,127</u>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled MARS
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 550  
Recovered: 550

#### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- Corrosion
- Natural Forces
- Excavation Damage
- Other Outside Force Damage
- Material and/or Weld Failures
- Equipment
- Incorrect Operation
- Other

#### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

THERESA PICTON (715) 394-1468  
(type or print) Preparer's Name and Title Area Code and Telephone Number

THERESA.PICTON@ENBRIDGE.COM (832) 325-5477  
Preparer's E-mail Address Area Code and Facsimile Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature (type or print) Name and Title Date Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID **TANK 4151**  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Offshore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)? Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
 if failure occurred on **pipeline**, complete items a - g:

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Other (specify) **TANK FLOOR**

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1948 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: **20** PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: **20** PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) \_\_\_\_\_  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 d. Distance between valves \_\_\_\_\_ ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system

g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / / in.  
 2. Wall thickness / in.  
 3. Specification \_\_\_\_\_ SMYS / /  
 4. Seam type \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by \_\_\_\_\_ in year / /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. Depth of cover: \_\_\_\_\_ inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: **0** **0**  
 Contractor employees working for operator: **0** **0**  
 General public: **0** **0**  
**Totals:** **0** **0**  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / / hr. / 30 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: **2,000**  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water \_\_\_\_\_ barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No
2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
3. Estimated leak duration days 1 hours \_\_\_\_\_

**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion
2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

a. Pipe Coating

- Bare  
 Coated

b. Visual Examination

- Localized Pitting  
 General Corrosion  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

c. Cause of Corrosion

- Galvanic  Atmospheric  
 Stray Current  Microbiological  
 Cathodic Protection Disrupted  
 Stress Corrosion Cracking  
 Selective Seam Corrosion  
 Other **WATER AND SEDIMENTS** \_\_\_\_\_

d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: / 2003 /

e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: / \_\_\_ / years / \_\_\_ / months Unknown

**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4.  Lightning
5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_
6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_
7.  High Winds

**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)
9.  Third Party (complete a-f)
- a. Excavator group  
 General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor
- b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)
- d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact / \_\_\_ /
- e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: / \_\_\_ / mo. / \_\_\_ / day / \_\_\_ / yr.  No
- Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner
- f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)
- i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint
- ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No
- iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate
- iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural
11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe
12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe
13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent     Gouge     Bend     Arc Burn     Other \_\_\_\_\_
15.  Component =>  Valve     Fitting     Vessel     Extruded Outlet     Other \_\_\_\_\_
16.  Joint    =>  Gasket     O-Ring     Threads     Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt    =>  Pipe     Fabrication     Other \_\_\_\_\_
18.  Fillet    =>  Branch     Hot Tap     Fitting     Repair Sleeve     Other \_\_\_\_\_
19.  Pipe Seam    =>  LF ERW     DSAW     Seamless     Flash Weld  
 HF ERW     SAW     Spiral     Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

- a. Type of failure:  
 Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship     Procedure not followed     Poor Construction Procedures  
 Material Defect
- b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes     No
- c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g     No
- d. Date of test:    /    / yr.    /    / mo.    /    / day
- e. Test medium:  Water     Inert Gas     Other \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Time held at test pressure: /    / hr.
- g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment    =>  Control valve     Instrumentation     SCADA     Communications  
 Block valve     Relief valve     Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling    =>  Nipples     Valve Threads     Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
22.  Seal Failure    =>  Gasket     O-Ring     Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation
- a. Type     Inadequate Procedures     Inadequate Safety Practices     Failure to Follow Procedures  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: /    /    alcohol test /    /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_
25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete     Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT**

(Attach additional sheets as necessary)

THE TANK APPEARED TO HAVE A SMALL HOLE IN THE FLOOR. THE TANK WAS PUMPED DOWN, CLEANED OUT AND PREPARED FOR A 653 INTERNAL REPORT. OIL RELEASED FROM THE TANK WAS COLLECTED AND IMPACTED SOILS WERE REMOVED AND TREATED APPROPRIATELY. AN API-653 INSPECTION WAS COMPLETED, A NEW TANK FLOOR INSTALLED, AND THE TANK WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE. AFTER COMPLETION OF THE API 653 ON TANK 4151, IT WAS CONFIRMED THAT INTERNAL CORROSION WAS THE CAUSE OF THE LEAK ON TANK 4151. VISUAL EXAMINATION SHOWED LOCALIZED PITTING AND THE CAUSE OF CORROSION WAS AQUEOUS CORROSIVE ATTACK OF CARBON STEEL.



U.S. Department of Transportation  
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## ACCIDENT REPORT - HAZARDOUS LIQUID PIPELINE SYSTEMS

Report Date SEP 22, 2005

No. 20050271 -- 11675  
(DOT Use Only)

### INSTRUCTIONS

**Important:** Please read the separate instructions for completing this form before you begin. They clarify the information requested and provide specific examples. If you do not have a copy of the instructions you can obtain one from the Office Of Pipeline Safety Web Page at <http://ops.dot.gov>

### PART A - GENERAL REPORT INFORMATION

check:  Original Report  Supplemental Report  Final Report

1. a. Operator's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) 32080 /
2. b. If Operator does not own the pipeline, enter Owner's OPS 5-digit Identification Number (if know) /
- c. Name of Operator CCPS TRANSPORTATION, LLC
- d. Operator street address 119 N 25TH STREET E
- e. Operator address SUPERIOR DOUGLAS WI 54880  
City, County, State and ZIP Code

**IMPORTANT: IF THE SPILL IS SMALL, THAT IS, THE AMOUNT IS AT LEAST 5 GALLONS BUT IS LESS THAN 5 BARRELS, COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY, UNLESS THE SPILL IS TO WATER AS DESCRIBED IN 49 CFR §195.52(A)(4) OR IS OTHERWISE REPORTABLE UNDER §195.50 AS REVISED IN CY 2001.**

2. Time and date of the accident  
845 / 08 / 24 / 2005  
hr. month day year
3. Location of accident  
(If offshore, do not complete a through d See Part C.1)
  - a. Latitude: 40° 12' 36 Longitude: -90° 27' 36  
(If not available, see instructions for how to provide specific location)
  - b. RUSHVILLE SCHUYLER  
City and County or Parish
  - c. IL 62681  
State and Zip Code
  - d. Mile post/valve station  or Survey Station no.   
(whichever gives more accurate location)  
QE51.1
4. Telephone report  
770240 / 08 / 24 / 2005  
NRC Report Number month day year

5. Losses (Estimated)
 

**Public/Community Losses reimbursed by operator:**

Public/private property damage	\$	<u>6,000</u>
Cost of emergency response phase	\$	<u>0</u>
Cost of environmental remediation	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>0</u>
(describe)		

**Operator Losses:**

Value of product lost	\$	<u>0</u>
Value of operator property damage	\$	<u>0</u>
Other Costs	\$	<u>1,194,000</u>
(describe) <u>REPAIR AND CLEANUP</u>		
<b>Total Costs:</b>	\$	<u>1,200,000</u>

6. Commodity Spilled  Yes  No  
(If Yes, complete Parts a through c where applicable)
  - a. Name of commodity spilled CRUDE OIL
  - b. Classification of commodity spilled:
    - HVLs/other flammable or toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - CO<sub>2</sub> or other non-flammable, non-toxic fluid which is a gas at ambient conditions
    - Gasoline, diesel, fuel oil or other petroleum product which is a liquid at ambient conditions
    - Crude oil

- c. Estimated amount of commodity involved:
  - Barrels
  - Gallons (check only if spill is less than one barrel)

**Amounts:**  
Spilled: 107  
Recovered: 71

### CAUSES FOR SMALL SPILLS ONLY (5 gallons to under 5 barrels):

(For large spills [5 barrels or greater] see Part H)

- |   |                                      |   |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Corrosion                     | <input type="radio"/> Natural Forces | <input type="radio"/> Excavation Damage   | <input type="radio"/> Other Outside Force Damage |
| <input type="radio"/> Material and/or Weld Failures | <input type="radio"/> Equipment      | <input type="radio"/> Incorrect Operation | <input type="radio"/> Other                      |

### PART B - PREPARER AND AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

<u>EMILY JURGENS</u> (type or print) Preparer's Name and Title	<u>(715) 394-1547</u> Area Code and Telephone Number
<u>EMILY.JURGENS@ENBRIDGE.COM</u> Preparer's E-mail Address	Area Code and Facsimile Number
_____ Authorized Signature	_____ (type or print) Name and Title
_____ Date	_____ Area Cod and Telephone Number

**PART C - ORIGIN OF THE ACCIDENT (Check all that apply)**

1. Additional location information  
 a. Line segment name or ID55 \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. Accident on Federal land other than Outer Continental Shelf  Yes  No  
 c. Is pipeline interstate?  Yes  No

Off shore:  Yes  No (complete if offshore)  
 d. Area \_\_\_\_\_ Block # \_\_\_\_\_  
 State / / or Outer Continental Shelf

2. Location of system involved (check all that apply)  
 Operator's Property  
 Pipeline Right of Way  
 High Consequence Area (HCA)? Describe HCA \_\_\_\_\_

3. Part of system involved in accident  
 Above Ground Storage Tank  
 Cavern or other below ground storage facility  
 Pump/meter station; terminal/tank farm piping and equipment, including sumps  
 Other Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onshore **pipeline**, including valve sites  
 Offshore **pipeline**, including platforms  
*if failure occurred on pipeline, complete items a - g:*

4. Failure occurred on  
 Body of Pipe  Pipe Seam  Scraper Trap  
 Pump  Sump  Joint  
 Component  Valve  Metering Facility  
 Repair Sleeve  Welded Fitting  Bolted Fitting  
 Girth Weld  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Year the component that failed was installed: / 1952 /

5. Maximum operating pressure (MOP)  
 a. Estimated pressure at point and time of accident: 1,250 PSIG  
 b. MOP at time of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG  
 c. Did an overpressurization occur relating to the accident?  
 Yes  No

a. Type of leak or rupture  
 Leak:  Pinhole  Connection Failure (complete sec. H5)  
 Puncture, diameter (inches) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rupture:  Circumferential - Separation  
 Longitudinal - Tear/Crack, length (inches) 4  
 Propagation Length, total, both sides (feet) 6  
 N/A  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Type of block valve used for isolation of immediate section:  
 Upstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve  
 Downstream:  Manual  Automatic  Remote Control  
 Check Valve

c. Length of segment isolated 9 ft  
 d. Distance between valves 9 ft  
 e. Is segment configured for internal inspection tools?  Yes  No  
 f. Had there been an in-line inspection device run at the point of failure?  
 Yes  No  Don't Know  
 Not Possible due to physical constraints in the system  
 g. If Yes, type of device run (check all that apply)  
 High Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: 2002  
 Low Resolution Magnetic Flux tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 UT tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geometry tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Caliper tool Year run: 2002  
 Crack tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hard Spot tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other tool Year run: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART D - MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

1. Nominal pipe size (NPS) / 22 / in.  
 2. Wall thickness .28 / in.  
 3. Specification 5L SMYS / 52000 /  
 4. Seam type DSAW  
 5. valve type \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. Manufactured by KAISER in year / 1952 /

**PART E - ENVIRONMENT**

1. Area of accident  In open ditch  
 Under pavement  Above ground  
 Underground  Under water  
 Inside/under building  Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. Depth of cover: 60 inches

**PART F - CONSEQUENCES**

1. Consequences (check and complete all that apply)  
 a. Fatalities Injuries  
 Number of operator employees: 0 0  
 Contractor employees working for operator: 0 0  
 General public: 0 0  
 Totals: 0 0  
 b. Was pipeline/segment shutdown due to leak?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, how long? \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_ hours \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

c. Product ignited  Yes  No d. Explosion  Yes  No  
 e.  Evacuation (general public only) / \_\_\_\_\_ / people  
 Reason for Evacuation:  
 Precautionary by company  
 Evacuation required or initiated by public official  
 f. Elapsed time until area was made safe:  
 / 3 / hr. / 0 / min.

2. Environmental Impact  
 a. Wildlife Impact: Fish/aquatic  Yes  No  
 Bird  Yes  No  
 Terrestrial  Yes  No  
 b. Soil Contamination  Yes  No  
 If Yes, estimated number of cubic yards: 100  
 c. Long term impact assessment performed:  Yes  No  
 d. Anticipated remediation  Yes  No  
 If Yes, Check all that apply:  Surface water  Groundwater  Soil  Vegetation  Wildlife

e. Water Contamination:  Yes  No (If Yes, provide the following)  
 Amount in water 107 barrels  
 Ocean/Seawater  No  Yes  
 Surface  No  Yes  
 Groundwater  No  Yes  
 Drinking water  No  Yes (If Yes, check below.)  
 Private well  Public water intake

**PART G - LEAK DETECTION INFORMATION**

1. Computer based leak detection capability in place?  Yes  No

2. Was the release initially detected by? (check one):  CPM/SCADA-based system with leak detection  
 Static shut-in test or other pressure or leak test  
 Local operating personnel, procedures or equipment  
 Remote operating personnel, including controllers  
 Air patrol or ground surveillance  
 A third party  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Estimated leak duration days 0 hours 12

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**PART H - APPARENT CAUSE**

**Important:** There are 25 numbered causes in this Part H. Check the box corresponding to the primary cause of the accident. Check one circle in each of the supplemental categories corresponding to the cause you indicate. See the instructions for guidance.

**H1 - CORROSION**

1.  External Corrosion

2.  Internal Corrosion

(Complete items a - e where applicable.)

a. Pipe Coating  Bare  Coated

b. Visual Examination  Localized Pitting  General Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_

c. Cause of Corrosion  Galvanic  Atmospheric  Stray Current  Microbiological  Cathodic Protection Disrupted  Stress Corrosion Cracking  Selective Seam Corrosion  Other \_\_\_\_\_

d. Was corroded part of pipeline considered to be under cathodic protection prior to discovering accident?  
 No  Yes, Year Protection Started: /\_\_\_\_\_/

e. Was pipe previously damaged in the area of corrosion?  
 No  Yes => Estimated time prior to accident: /\_\_\_\_\_/ years /\_\_\_\_\_/ months Unknown

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**H2 - NATURAL FORCES**

3.  Earth Movement =>  Earthquake  Subsidence  Landslide  Other \_\_\_\_\_

4.  Lightning

5.  Heavy Rains/Floods =>  Washouts  Flotation  Mudslide  Scouring  Other \_\_\_\_\_

6.  Temperature =>  Thermal stress  Frost heave  Frozen components  Other \_\_\_\_\_

7.  High Winds

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**H3 - EXCAVATION DAMAGE**

8.  Operator Excavation Damage (including their contractors/Not Third Party)

9.  Third Party (complete a-f)

a. Excavator group  General Public  Government  Excavator other than Operator/subcontractor

b. Type:  Road Work  Pipeline  Water  Electric  Sewer  Phone/Cable  
 Landowner-not farming related  Farming  Railroad  
 Other liquid or gas transmission pipeline-operator or their contractor  
 Nautical Operations  Other \_\_\_\_\_

c. Excavation was:  Open Trench  Sub-strata (boring, directional drilling, etc...)

d. Excavation was an ongoing activity (Month or longer)  Yes  No If Yes, Date of last contact /\_\_\_\_\_/

e. Did operator get prior notification of excavation activity?  
 Yes; Date received: /\_\_\_\_\_/ mo. /\_\_\_\_\_/ day /\_\_\_\_\_/ yr.  No

Notification received from:  One Call System  Excavator  Contractor  Landowner

f. Was pipeline marked as result of location request for excavation?  No  Yes (If Yes, check applicable items i - iv)

i. Temporary markings:  Flags  Stakes  Paint

ii. Permanent markings:  Yes  No

iii. Marks were (check one):  Accurate  Not Accurate

iv. Were marks made within required time?  Yes  No

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**H4 - OTHER OUTSIDE FORCE DAMAGE**

10.  Fire/Explosion as primary cause of failure => Fire/Explosion cause:  Man Made  Natural

11.  Car, truck or other vehicle not relating to excavation activity damaging pipe

12.  Rupture of Previously Damaged Pipe

13.  Vandalism

**H5 - MATERIAL AND/OR WELD FAILURES**

**Material**

14.  Body of Pipe =>  Dent  Gouge  Bend  Arc Burn  Other \_\_\_\_\_

15.  Component =>  Valve  Fitting  Vessel  Extruded Outlet  Other \_\_\_\_\_

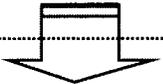
16.  Joint =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Threads  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Weld**

17.  Butt =>  Pipe  Fabrication  Other \_\_\_\_\_

18.  Fillet =>  Branch  Hot Tap  Fitting  Repair Sleeve  Other \_\_\_\_\_

19.  Pipe Seam =>  LF ERW  DSAW  Seamless  Flash Weld  
 HF ERW  SAW  Spiral  Other \_\_\_\_\_



Complete a-g if you indicate any cause in part H5.

a. Type of failure:

- Construction Defect =>  Poor Workmanship  Procedure not followed  Poor Construction Procedures
- Material Defect

b. Was failure due to pipe damage sustained in transportation to the construction or fabrication site?  Yes  No

c. Was part which leaked pressure tested before accident occurred?  Yes, complete d-g  No

d. Date of test: / / yr. / / mo. / / day

e. Test medium:  Water  Inert Gas  Other \_\_\_\_\_

f. Time held at test pressure: / / hr.

g. Estimated test pressure at point of accident: \_\_\_\_\_ PSIG

**H6 - EQUIPMENT**

20.  Malfunction of Control/Relief Equipment =>  Control valve  Instrumentation  SCADA  Communications  
 Block valve  Relief valve  Power failure  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

21.  Threads Stripped Broken Pipe Coupling =>  Nipples  Valve Threads  Dresser Couplings  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

22.  Seal Failure =>  Gasket  O-Ring  Seal/Pump Packing  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**H7 - INCORRECT OPERATION**

23.  Incorrect Operation

- a. Type  Inadequate Procedures  Inadequate Safety Practices  Failure to Follow Procedures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Number of employees involved who failed a post-accident test: drug test: / / alcohol test: / /

**H8 - OTHER**

24.  Miscellaneous, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

25.  Unknown  
 Investigation Complete  Still Under Investigation (Submit a supplemental report when investigation is complete)

**PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT** (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

Refer to ATTACHMENT PART I - NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO THE EVENT

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**DURING A HYDROSTATIC TEST OF THE CCPS TRANSPORTATION, LLC (SPEARHEAD) PIPELINE SYSTEM, A RUPTURE OCCURED IN A CORN FIELD APPROXIMATELY 7 MILES NORTHEAST OF RUSH STATION NEAR RUSHVILLE, ILLINOIS. AN ESTIMATED 1500 BBLs OF TEST WATER WAS OUT WITH THE AMOUNT OF CRUDE OIL ENTRAINED IN THE WATER ESTIMATED TO BE 107 BARRELS. WATER MADE ITS WAY TO A DRAIN TILE AND ENTERED NEARBY SUGAR CREEK WHICH WAS REPORTED TO BE STAGNANT AT THE TIME OF THE RELEASE. ABSORBANT BOOM WAS PLACED DOWNSTREAM OF THE AREA. THE WATER COMING FROM THE TILE APPEARED TO BE CLEAN. SWAMP MATS WERE PLACED IN THE FIELD TO ENABLE CREWS TO GET TO THE SITE. ALL NECESSARY RESOURCES RESPONDED TO THE SITE TO ASSIST WITH CLEANUP AND REPAIR. REPAIR CONSISTED OF REPLACING 44.7 FEET OF PIPE ON AUGUST 25, 2005. TOM MCMASTER OF THE CENTRAL REGION OPS WAS ON SITE THE DAY OF THE RELEASE.**