

Company Name

Method Statement

REMOVAL OF CONTENTS FROM DAMAGED CONTAINERS

Review Date –

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Waste Hierarchy: Prevention - Preparing for Re Use – Recycling – Recovery - Disposal

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Procedure - Removal of oil from damaged containers

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Location -

Introduction:

This is a site-specific method statement undertaken prior to the activity commencing.

Objective:

Removal of oil from damaged containers

Control:

To maintain a safe working environment the following must be adhered to:

- ✓ Method Statement
- ✓ Risk Assessment
- ✓ Personal Protective Equipment
- ✓ Reporting of all accidents/ incidents or near misses.

Please Note:

Any waste generated must be prepared in accordance with:

“The Carriage of Dangerous Goods and use of Pressure Equipment road regulations 2009 (CDG Regs)” and the “European Agreement (ADR)”.

Personnel Requirements:

- ✓ Technically Competent

Documentation:

- ✓ Method Statements
- ✓ Risk Assessments
- ✓ Inventory

Equipment:

Personal Protective Equipment:

- ✓ Safety foot wear
- ✓ Protective gloves
- ✓ Face Shield / Eye protection
- ✓ Hi visibility clothing
- ✓ Hard hat
- ✓ Waterproof workwear
- ✓ Ear plugs

Equipment:

- ✓ Vacuum Tanker
- ✓ Funnel
- ✓ Battery Drill / Accessories
- ✓ Absorbent Pads
- ✓ Bags
- ✓ Battery Reciprocating Saw
- ✓ Drum Key

Classification & Labelling:

Packaging Group(s)	UN ID Number(s)	Proper Shipping Name(s)	UN Class(es)	Transport Classification
N/a	N/a	Oil		N/a

Removal of oil from damaged containers:

There must be No Smoking or Mobile Phones on site.

- ✓ Adhere to site speed restriction & park in contractor designated area(s)
- ✓ Report to site, sign in.
- ✓ Adhere to site Health & Safety rules at all time
- ✓ Ensure the site representative is familiar with the operation.
- ✓ Obtain permit to work if required.
- ✓ First aid facility on site would be utilised in the event of a accident/ incident.
- ✓ In the event of an emergency follow site evacuation procedure.
- ✓ Change into PPE
- ✓ Ensure non-work related personnel are excluded from the working area.
- ✓ Only utilised equipment brought on site as listed above under "Equipment"
- ✓ The vacuum tanker will be positioned safely with regards to traffic, ensure handbrake is applied.
- ✓ Suction hoses to be laid out safely from the tanker to the IBC's.
- ✓ The operator will engage the pumping equipment on board the tanker in order to build up the vacuum.
- ✓ The valves will be opened on the tanker; this will draw in any residual liquid content from the IBC, into the tanker.
- ✓ Operator to visually inspect the hoses for any leakages throughout the pumping operation.
- ✓ IBC must be checked visually for integrity, preventing leaks or spills.
- ✓ Identify damaged IBC's requiring pressure to be released.
- ✓ Drill 4 x Holes at the highest point above contents level on the IBC.
- ✓ Using the reciprocating saw, saw between each drill hole to create a opening large enough for suction tanker hoses.
- ✓ Insert & Proceed to vacuum out contents, leaving as minimal content as possible; utilising the dog leg if required.
- ✓ Erase all labelling on IBC with paint & replace with identifying conveyance labels
- ✓ On completion, remove all equipment.
- ✓ Prior to leaving ensure area is clean & tidy
- ✓ Change out of PPE
- ✓ Sign off site proceed to notify all relevant personnel

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