



M-1980-244 Neutral Process Water Spill

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Hi Elliot,

Thanks for your time on our call earlier this afternoon. As discussed, this is the formal notification of the spill. On December 8 at approximately 10:30am, routine maintenance on process water pumps resulted in a spill of neutral process water at the High Grade Mill. Approximately 500 gallons of solution was spilled out of containment, and all solution remained on liner. All impacted material was over-excavated and placed on the mill feed pile.

In accordance with Rule 8, a five-day follow up notification will be provided to the Division.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you, Katie



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