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Organization of the response

Bilateral or multilateral agreements

A Marine Pollution Action Group (MPAG) will assist the Lead Agency in the event of a spill and comprises representatives of Departments within the Government and the Oil Industry. The Deputy Governor of Anguilla will chair the MPAG.

The On-Scene Commander (OSC) has been appointed from the Department of Fisheries and Marine Resources and will operate under the overall control and direction of NDPO/MPAG.

The Emergency Operation Centre (EOC) has been established at Police Headquarters, the Valley.

The Governing Body shall be the Air and Sea Ports Authority. It shall be represented by its Manager who shall act as the On-Scene Coordinator (OSC).

National Contingency Plan

Status (<i>draft, approved, date of approval...</i>)	Draft
Name	National Oil Spills Contingency Plan - Contingency Plan for Combating Oil Pollution in Anguilla
Last Update	Several drafts were developed but never adopted
Copy at the REMPEITC?	YES (draft for comments, old version)
Is the NCP confidential?	
Authority in charge	Department of Environment
Are HNS (Hazardous Noxious Substances) spills included in the NCP?	
Future development	During a REMPEITC workshop held in Feb 2012, it was decided that the NCP needed to be updated. This will be done by the Department of Environment. The NCP will have to fit into the existing National Disaster Management Plan. Therefore, the Department of Environment has to work closely with the Department of Disaster Management.
Additional comments	

Response Policy

Monitoring and evaluation	
Dispersant	The use of dispersant needs the approval of the MPAG. There are no local stockpiles of dispersant or application equipment.
Containment and Recovery	Part of the response
Shoreline Protection and Cleanup	Manual cleanup part of the response
In situ burning	
NEBA	
Waste management	Disposal of small quantities of oily beach material could be landfilled at the Anguilla public refuse tip, but larger volumes and bulk wastes have to be exported for final treatment and disposal.
Claims	
Wildlife recovery and care	
Volunteers management	
Additional comments	

Risk assessment

Risk assessment strategy	
Last oil spill assessment	
Previous Spills <i>Date, location, type of oil, quantity</i> <i>Is a list of spills maintained (who, where...)?</i>	No
ESI (Environmental Sensitivity Index) Maps: <i>Do they exist? Areas covered?</i> <i>Date and last update?</i> <i>Version (paper/informatic/GIS)?</i> <i>Who built them? Who maintain them?</i>	Yes, last updated 1996 (format ?)
ESI Maps availability <i>Where to find them?</i> <i>Are they in Annex of the NCP?</i>	Annex of the NCP
Additional comments	

Equipment

Equipment List <i>Is a list maintained?</i> <i>Which format? Where to find it?</i> <i>Does the REMPEITC has a copy of it?</i>	Anguilla does not have any equipment
Equipment agreements for support?	The oil companies (Delta Petroleum, SOL) do have equipment for Tier 1 spills at their facilities. SOL is a member of CCA (Clean Caribbean and Americas).
Mechanism for the entrance of equipment through Customs	
Additional comments	<p>There is no government owned recovery equipment in stock for off shore counter measures.</p> <p>The Airport of Wallblake could only handle light type aircraft and helicopters for aerial surveillance purposes and passengers handling. Heavy counter pollution equipment from CCA and or OSRC has to be shipped via St. Maarten.</p> <p>Salvage, heavy powered Tugboats are available at St. Eustatius or the USVI.</p> <p>Small vessels and tugs, normally employed by the tourist industry may be able to assist with at sea response. Helicopters for air surveillance are available from Puerto Rico, St. Croix and St. Thomas in the USVI, and from nearby St. Maarten. Fixed wing charter aircraft are available from local firms at Wallblake Airport.</p>

Exercises and Training

Agency in charge of personnel training	
National training capabilities: <i>Does a national training center exist?</i> <i>Is a list of trained personnel maintained?</i> <i>Etc.</i>	There is no national training center
Last national exercises <i>Dates</i> <i>Extent of the exercise (national, regional, local...)</i> <i>Lead organizer, participants, etc.</i>	The National Oil Spill Contingency Plan of Anguilla was exercised in 1997 - table top and operational response exercise.
Additional comments	

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