

Appendix 49

Meadowbank and Whale Tail procedure NU-PRO-ENV- Invasive species inspection prior loading onto shipping vessel

DOCUMENT ID: NU-PRO- ENV- Invasive Species Inspection Prior Loading onto Shipping Vessel

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| People concerned: Agnico Eagle employees and contractors | Effective Date: |
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This procedure corresponds to the required minimum standard. Each and everyone also have to comply with the rules and regulations of the Nunavut Government in terms of health and safety at work.

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Objective:

- Using industry standards and best practices, equipment and bulk supplies must arrive to Project site free of soil or plant debris to minimize the risk of invasive plant introduction

Definitions (If applicable):

- Invasive Species:** An invasive species is a species that is not native to a specific location, and that has a tendency to spread to a degree believed to cause damage to the environment, human economy or human health.

Specific Training Requirements

- N/A

The invasive plant monitoring component outlines the means by which Agnico Eagle plans to reduce Project-related effects to plant populations and communities, primarily through the mitigation and management of invasive species. Invasive plant inspection surveys will be completed on cargo in Becancour, prior to being loaded onto shipping vessel(s).

Inspection

- Inspection of all equipment and supplies brought to the project sites are clean and free of soils that could contain plant seeds or organic matter not naturally occurring in the area.
- Vehicle tires and treads are inspected prior to initial use in project areas

Specific Cleaning Measures

- Equipment and bulk supplies will be cleaned using brooms, brushes, shovels, water, or compressed air. Areas of particular concern include tires, tracks, skids, buckets, scoops, and packing materials.
- Accumulated soil, plant material or crop debris from openings, tracks, skids, wheels, buckets, scoops, and packing materials using a hand scraper, shovel, broom, or other methods.
- Additional focus should be made to areas where soil or plant debris can accumulate (i.e., tires or undercarriage).

Documentation

- All c-cans and heavy equipment brought to the project site must be inspected and documented
- The Invasive Species Inspection Check List must be completed and send to martin.theriault@agnicoeagle.com and marie-pier.marcil@agnicoeagle.com

Related Documentation (If applicable):

- Project Certificate No.008, Condition 25
- Project Certificate No.006, Condition 37
- TEMP
- Invasive Species check list



References (If applicable):

- N/A

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