## **Pollution Response SWP**







Safe Work Procedure: Pollution Response			Date of Revision: Version 1.0 January 05, 2024	
<b>Purpose:</b> To minimize the amount of pollutant spilled, prevent pollutants from entering the water, or if it gets into the water contain it so it doesn't spread.			Responsibility:  Spotter – to take action to limit the amount of pollutant spilled and to clean it up  Master – to alert the authorities to get help and specialized equipment, if required to file pollution reports to MCTS and Company	
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In the case of an emergency remain calm, follow the procedure, and mark the steps completed as the procedure is followed to ensure no steps are missed, and a record of actions is provided.				
1.		☐ Respond to pollutant spillage immediately and isolate overflow to prevent further spillage		
2.		☐ Advise Master		
3.		☐ Use available materials — pollution kit to contain spillage and to prevent the spill from entering the water		
4.	☐ Liaise with proper authorities			
5.	☐ Report incident to nearest MCTS (Marine Communications and Traffic Services Centre)			
6.	□ Advise Employer			
Emergency response procedures should be reviewed and drilled annually.  Any amendments to the procedure should result in a change to the version number of the document.				