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NEWS RELEASE

Port Safety Officers Respond Oil Spill

Piti, Guam, April 7, 2022: Port Authority of Guam General Manager Rory J. Respicio was notified that an oil spill occurred yesterday at the Cargo Storage Facility lot within the container yard.

As the equipment operator was conducting his routine pre-operations safety check on a top loader, the main hydraulic hose of the spreader busted, spewing oil in the area. The Port Authority's response team from Safety Division, Transportation and Stevedoring conducted initial mitigation measures by deploying absorbent materials to contain the oil spill.

The US Coast Guard was notified of the incident and Unitek Environmental was activated to thoroughly and completely clean up the spill.

Meanwhile, mechanics from the Maintenance Division assessed the damage to the equipment and are making necessary repairs.

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