

VERO ENERGY INC.

Section 3 – Emergency Response Planning



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Vero Energy Inc.'s Corporate Emergency Response Plan has been developed to facilitate an effective response by operations, management and support personnel to an emergency occurrence affecting the company. To ensure a state of emergency preparedness company-wide, Vero Energy Inc. has developed these emergency procedures to protect the public, employees, contract employees, property and the environment.

Where a site-specific Emergency Response Plan is required to address a hydrogen sulphide (H_2S) hazard, the Corporate Emergency Response Plan will serve to support the site-specific emergency response process.

Roles and responsibilities of Vero Energy Inc.'s Emergency Response Team members are outlined in Vero Energy Inc.'s Corporate Emergency Response Plan and Manual. It is imperative that all company and contract personnel involved in Vero Energy Inc. operations review this plan to ensure a complete understanding of their role in response to an emergency.

With development of the Corporate Emergency Response Plan, the company is prepared to:

- ❖ Ensure immediate, competent responses to, and effective handling of, an emergency occurrence;
- ❖ Minimize danger to the public, employees, contractors and the environment;
- ❖ Establish and maintain effective communications with all parties in an emergency; and
- ❖ Make maximum use of the combined resources of Vero Energy Inc., government agencies and other non-company services.

All personnel directly involved with Vero Energy Inc. operations, including both company and contract personnel, shall receive training in how to use the Emergency Response Plan.