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To: Tom Funcheon
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From: Mark Stafford
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Re: BP Horizon accident

As a leading full service environmental, emergency services and response company, DRC Emergency Services, LLC has great concern for the environmental health of the Gulf South resulting from the deepwater Horizon accident. As such, we have responded and continue to respond to the requests of many of our Clients by providing significant manpower, resources, vessels, and equipment to provide protection and restoration of vulnerable areas. DRC is prepared to continue assisting you with the following services:

Overall Response Strategy

DRC will provide an efficient and effective strategy for assessing both preventative and oil impacts to the Jurisdiction's beaches and shoreline, responding to threats posed by this oil, and ultimately restoring these areas to their pre-disaster, pristine condition. The Plan will be to establish procedures which will help to limit public exposure, environmental and ecological damage to sensitive areas, as well as minimizing loss or damage to water and shoreline areas and property in the Jurisdiction.

Shoreline Assessment

DRC can immediately deploy teams of shoreline assessment personnel to monitor oil movement, deploy preventative measures and mitigate the potential impacts to the jurisdiction that are identified as "at risk" areas. The result of the shoreline assessment will also be used to support decision making regarding any potential shoreline protection and/or recovery strategy.

Imminent Shoreline Impact Response

DRC is prepared to respond with a triage approach to impact prevention and decontamination through the following actions:

1. Containment and Absorbent boom
2. Skimmers
3. Absorbent padding
4. Containment boxes
5. Barges or tankers to pump oil collected by skimmers or other means
6. Jack Up Barges for platforms of command and control
7. Response vessels, barges, tugboats, and supply vessels
8. Hazwopper Certified Personnel for marine and shore protection and restoration operations

DRC has ready access to dispersants, absorbent pads, booms, absorbent booms, skimmers, tankers, barges, large and small recovery vessels, and other materials, supplies, and equipment to protect your sensitive coastal areas from the spread of the oil and to recover oil that is skimmed from the water, and transport it to approved on shore staging areas for recycling or final disposal..

Management

As with other clients, DRC has available the management, administration and financial wherewithal to assist you with managing, monitoring, certifying, verifying, paying and financing your recovery operations. By hiring your local fishermen and oystermen, you can mitigate the damages to their financial livelihood and perhaps save them financially. However, when you begin to hire hundreds to thousands of individuals, vessels, and equipment, you can easily get behind in the basic payment and documentation of the work. DRC can assist with the execution of contracts for vessel and personnel, manage the recordation process, ensure compliance with insurance and IRS rules and regulations, and ensure that all response and recovery equipment are actually paid weekly and the records are maintained and submitted for reimbursement by British Petroleum.