NRC International Background

NRC is the world leader in the field of response, containment, and remediation of oil spills.

As the largest commercial oil spill response organization in the world, we are committed to providing the highest quality of service across the spectrum of response services with an uncompromising commitment to safety and environmental protection.

In our 25-year history (worldwide), NRC has contained and remedied more than 1,000 spills. Our diverse clients in the industry have more than 15,000 ships, 2,000 barges and 700 varied exploration and production facilities, refineries, and pipelines throughout the world.

The NRC emergency response network includes a staff of more than 1,250 people currently operating in more than 50 offices in 13 countries around the world, including the UK, Medi- terranean, Caspian and Black Sea regions. Middle East and the Americas. Our operation in the USA also leads the industry with the highest levels of oil spill contractor classification awarded by the US Coast Guard (USCG) and the highest level of spill response certifications in the states of California, Oregon and Washington.

All NRC facilities are prepared to respond at any time guided by experienced and highly trained personnel, aware of best practice operations, and equipped with the best responseteam in the industry.

In all cases, strategic and profitable planning sets the tone. All business and company units ofNRC International operate under ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and OSHAS 18001.

NRC Mexico Profile

National Response Corporation Mexico NRC, S. de R. L. de C.V. is a company legally incorporated in Mexico since October 2016, which has the support of the international structureof NRC.

Because of the energy reform, several operating companies have come to the country to explore in the waters of the Gulf of Mexico, these companies were established in the probe of Campeche and north side of the Gulf of Mexico.

NRC Mexico has a Tier II base located in Paraíso Tabasco, which has provided oil spill response services to most of these companies.

As for the northern zone of the Gulf of Mexico, the exploration phase started in September inthe deep-water area (Campo Trion) with BHP and NRC provided them the oil spill response service therefore NRC settled a Tier II base in Altamira.

Operational Process

The oil spill response could be:

1. Offshore
2. Protection of sensitive areas

3. Containment and collection on the shoreline
4. Shoreline Clean-up
5. Port Operations
6. Use of Dispersants

The activation of NRC services is carried out by means of a notification to the NRC International Operations Center (IOC), which is responsible for collecting the information and addressing it to the Operations Manager, who activates the NRC Emergency Response Plan to initiate the oil spill response.

If the oil spill can be contained offshore it will be necessary to load the specialized equipment aboard vessels and send it to the affected area, where the boom will be deployed with the support of a second vessel.

If there is any threaten to sensitive areas, such as coast or port facilities, these areas must be protected to prevent the damage to the environment and the accumulation of waste from in- creasing, since upon arrival at the coast the waste increases in 80%

It is vitally important to coordinate the response to the emergency with the Mexican authorities to comply with the three primary objectives of any operation, safeguard the life and physical integrity of the people, protect the environment from any damage and avoid damage greater to assets.