

Reporting Anhydrous Ammonia (NH₃) Spills/Releases South Dakota

Reporting Thresholds	Who Must Report	Where to Report	When to Report
<p>100 pounds*</p> <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> <p>ANY quantity that poses an immediate danger to human health or safety or harms or threatens wildlife or aquatic life</p>	The owner or operator or any person in charge of the vessel or facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local First Responders including the Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) and Local Emergency Manager - Call: 911 Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR)/State Emergency Response Commission (SERC) - (605) 773-3296 (business hours) (605) 773-3231 (after hours) If your Ammonia is a fertilizer product, ALSO report to Department of Agriculture (DOA) - (605) 773-4432 (business hours) 	Immediately
100 pounds*	The owner or operator or any person in charge of the vessel or facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Response Center (NRC) – 800-424-8802 	Immediately
ANY quantity meeting Risk Management Plan (RMP) reporting criteria**	Risk Management Plan (RMP) Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update 5-year accident history portion of Risk Management Plan 	Within 6 months

* To determine weight per gallon, find the specific gravity (GS) on your Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) and multiply by 8.34 (SG x 8.34 = pounds per gallon).

**See 40 CFR 68.42(a) - (releases from covered processes resulting in death, injury, evacuation, sheltering in place, property, or environmental damage)

References:

State of South Dakota-

- [South Dakota Codified Law \(SDCL\)](#)
- [Administrative Rules of South Dakota \(ARSD\)](#)
- [Department of Environment and Natural Resources \(DENR\) Spill Reporting](#)
- [Department of Agriculture \(DOA\)](#)

Federal-

- [Risk Management Plan \(RMP\) – 40 CFR part 68](#)
- [Clean Air Act \(CAA\)](#)
- [Comprehensive Environmental, Response, Compensation, and Liability Act \(CERCLA\)](#)
- [Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act \(EPCRA\) or Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act \(SARA\) Title III](#)