## Florida Department of

## Memorandum

## **Environmental Protection**

To:

file

Through:

James Dregne, Environmental Manager

From:

Elizabeth Knauss

Date:

4/28/08

Subject:

Freehold Cartage

**Polk County** 

Barry Olson (732/489-3229) called from Bartow to follow up and discuss further reporting requirements subsequent to a highway accident 4/26/08 near Gainesville.

A truck crossed the median and collided with a Freehold truck transporting a load of mixed flammable hazardous waste from Bartow to M&M Chemical in Alabama. Jack Boozer, the Freehold driver was killed and the entire load consumed in the resulting fire.

Freehold filed a notification with the National Response Center, and Chris Gilbert responded from the NE district Emergency Response Section. Olson called to determine if any further reporting was required to the SW District. The generators have all been notified of the fire.

The SW district will place this information in the Freehold file, and follow up with Gilbert as needed. Separate written reports are not required.

