ENDANGERED SPECIES OBSERVER PROGRAM

Dredge: BAYPORT

Project: CAPE HENRY CHANNEL / CHESAPEAKE BAY

Date: 04 / 24 / 02

Load # 718 Start 0712 End 1114 Dump 1217 - 1227

Location (lat/long, stations) 36°59'N / 76°00'W (STATIONS 46+00 TO 96+00) Tide Stage 3.7 FLOOD

Weather (wind dir, beaufort, sea state, temp, etc.) CLEAR SKIES; WINDS EAST 5 KNOTS; SEAS N/NE 2FT; AIR 58°-64° F Water Temp., Surface 57°F Below Mid-Depth 56°F

Are there incidents involving endangered or protected species? **YES** **NO**

Note biological samples:

Port Draghead Ø Deflector OK

Stbd Draghead Ø Deflector OK

Port Inflow, Fore Ø NOT IN USE Mid /

Port Inflow, Aft Cc / ROCK, WOOD, TRASH, ASSORTED CRABS, SHELL, SEASTARS, CORALS, SKATES / A FEW FLOUNDER

Stbd Inflow, Fore " " Mid /

Stbd Inflow, Aft " "

FORE ~~Port~~ Overflow, Primary Ø Secondary /

AFT ~~Stbd~~ Overflow, Primary Ø Secondary /

Comments (material being dredged, effectiveness of screening, additional info on by-catch, incidents, etc.):

Caretta caretta (LOGGERHEAD SEA TURTLE) FOUND AT END OF LOAD # 718 IN PORT-AFT INFLOW SCREENING @ APPROXIMATELY 1115 HRS. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS INSPECTOR KIRK BIGELOW ON BOARD. USACE, CHRIS SLAY AND MARY COLLIGAN (NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE) ALL NOTIFIED.

FAX DAILY, INCIDENT, DIAGRAM TO: MARY COLLIGAN NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE 978 281 9394

Bridge Watch Summary

Species	# of Animals	Time / Location / Comments
NO SIGHTINGS		

Observer(s) on duty BRETT JOHNSON