



# SAFETY VIOLATION REPORT

## 1-888-DOT-SAFT

U.S. Department  
of Transportation  
Federal Motor Carrier Safety  
Administration

<b>DATE OF REPORT:</b>	Thursday, April 01, 2004	<b>TRACKING NUMBER:</b>	01-HC-143
<b>NAME OF FILING PARTY:</b>	(b)(3); (b)(7)(D)		
<b>STREET ADDRESS:</b>	(b)(6)		
<b>CITY:</b>	(b)(6)	<b>STATE/PROVINCE:</b>	(b)(6)
<b>TELEPHONE NUMBER:</b>	(b)(6)	<b>TELEPHONE EXTENSION:</b>	
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<b>NAME OF VIOLATING MOTOR CARRIER:</b>	Martin Transportation		
<b>CITY:</b>	Mondovi	<b>STATE/PROVINCE:</b>	WC
<b>USDOT/MC NUMBER:</b>			
<b>TRANSPORTS HAZMAT?</b>	Yes	<b>TRANSPORTS PASSENGERS?</b>	No
<b>VEHICLE TYPE (if applicable):</b>	Trailer		
<b>VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION (if applicable):</b>	#3329		
<b>VIOLATED REGULATION(S) [including date(s) and description(s) of violation(s)]:</b>			
<p>"Diesel spill." (b)(3); (b)(7)(D) alleges that he received a call from (b)(3); (b)(7)(D) alleging that on last evening 4/3/01 at about 1:30 pm a tractor stopped at a Truck Stop called Ride with Pride which is located at exit 8, North of Mobile, AL on I 65. (b)(3); (b)(7)(D) alleges that (b)(3); (b)(7)(D) stated that when the driver pulled away from the pump he punctured his saddle tank causing a spill of diesel, in which he was carrying 35 gallons of diesel.</p>			
<b>ANY VIOLATION(S) WITHIN PREVIOUS 60 DAYS?</b> Yes			
<b>ANY ACTION TAKEN TO STOP THE VIOLATIONS?</b> No			
<b>OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION:</b>			
(b)(3); (b)(7)(D) is at (b)(6) (b)(3); (b)(7)(D) can be reached at (b)(6)			
<b>REPORT WRITTEN BY:</b>	Nadine McNeil	<b>TIME:</b>	9:14 PM



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# Memorandum

Subject: **ACTION:** Hotline Complaint  
Control Number 01-HC-143

Date: MAY 2 2001

From: Director, Office of Enforcement  
and Compliance

Reply to  
Attn. of: MC-ECE

To: State Director, VICKERY

Please review the attached safety violation report received from the hotline on  
MARIN TRANSPORTATION.

This complaint should be handled according to the guidance and procedures set forth in the Field Operations Training Manual. Please submit a concise summary by e-mail to Nikki Fields of how the complaint was handled **no later than 90 days** from the date of this memo. Respond to the complainant in writing as required by the Manual.

You are not expected to forward any copies of any compliance reviews, reports, or correspondence generated as a result of handling this complaint to Headquarters, unless it is specifically requested.

Please direct any questions to Nikki Fields of my staff by e-mail (NFIELDSD) or by telephone at (202) 366-0831.



Charles Horan

Attachment



U.S. Department  
of Transportation  
Federal Motor Carrier  
Safety Administration

Wisconsin Division

567 D'Onofrio Drive, Suite 101  
Madison, Wisconsin 53719-2814  
608-829-7530 fax 608-829-7540

May 4, 2001

MC-EFM-WI

(b)(3); (b)(7)(D)

(b) (6)

Dear (b)(3); (b)(7)(D)

This is in reference to your April 1, 2001 call to our Safety Hotline concerning the safety compliance of Marten Transport Inc. We have contacted the company and the incident outlined during your telephone call has been investigated.

The matter has received careful attention; however, our investigation failed to disclose violations of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations. Spills of fuel from saddlemount tanks are generally within the jurisdiction of local or State environmental agencies.

If you have further questions or concerns regarding this matter please feel free to contact us at the above listed phone number. We appreciate your concern for motor carrier safety. We are providing the company address should you desire to contact the company directly regarding your concerns.

Marten Transport Ltd  
Attn: Joseph Simon, Safety Director  
129 Marten Street  
Mondovi, WI 54755-1733

Sincerely yours,

For William G. Vickery  
State Director



CORPORATE OFFICE  
 129 MARTEN STREET  
 MONDOVI, WISCONSIN 54755  
 Telephone (715) 926-4216  
 (800) 395-3000  
 Fax (715) 926-4530

SEND FAX TO: 608.829.7540

TO: Bill Vickery

COMPANY: DOT FHWA

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SPECIAL REMARKS: Any questions, please  
call Dan Peterson thx.

ROBIN SMITH  
 COMPLIANCE SPECIALIST

PLEASE CALL IMMEDIATELY IF THERE ARE ANY PROBLEMS

RECEIVING THIS TRANSMISSION. THANKS.

SAFETY DEPT. PHONE # 1-800-295-8735

SAFETY DEPT. FAX # 1-800-395-2026



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May 4, 2001

Bill Vickery  
US DOT FHWA  
567 D'Onofrio Drive, Ste 101  
Madison, WI 53719-2814

Dear Mr. Vickery,

This letter is in response to an alleged fuel spill on April 3, 2001, in the state of Alabama.

Our driver of tractor # 3329, (b) (6) was at the Ride with Pride Truck Stop in Prichard, Alabama, late in the evening of April 3, 2001. (b) (6) (b) (6) unhooked from a trailer and the dolly legs collapsed. In the early morning hours of April 4, 2001, (b) (6) notified Marten Transport, LTD., of the collapse and a fuel spill of an estimated five gallons.

The owner of the truck stop, Todd Davidson, stated that the fuel was contained and our driver was supplied with floor dry to clean up the spill. A follow up with Mr. Davidson revealed that the fuel had been cleaned up and handled to his satisfaction.

Sincerely Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Joseph Simons", written over a horizontal line.

Joseph Simons  
Director of Safety/Recruiting