ENDANGERED SPECIES OBSERVER PROGRAM

Dredge: M/V Bayport

Project: York Spit, VA

Date: 10 / 16 / 02

Load # 419 Start 1745 End 1945 Dump 2034

Location (lat/long, stations) STATIONS 328-374 (EOD) Tide Stage 3.5 FLOOD

Weather (wind dir, beaufort, sea state, temp, etc.) N 15+K, BSS2, SEAS 1-2' W/ CHOP, OVERCAST RAIN, THUNDER CLOUDS, 64°F Water Temp., Surface 69°F Below Mid-Depth

Are there incidents involving endangered or protected species? (YES) NO

Note biological samples:

Port Draghead clear Deflector GOOD

Stbd Draghead clear Deflector GOOD

Port Inflow, Fore skate, whelks, rocks, Mid N/A

Port Inflow, Aft ** PLASTERON (Cc) / STBD INFLOW

Stbd Inflow, Fore clear Mid N/A

Stbd Inflow, Aft clear

~~Port~~ Fore Overflow, Primary clear Secondary N/A

~~Stbd~~ Aft Overflow, Primary Intestines, (4) horse, 2 flatfish Secondary N/A

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

* TRAINER "BABY BOY" TRAINING 1200 – 0000.

* DURING TURN INSTINES SPOTTED IN GRATING. NO SHELL OR PARTS DURING VISUAL INSPECTION THAT WOULD INDICATE A KILL @ 1926

* 1958 COMPLETE PLASTERON SECTION EXTRACTED FROM STBD INFLOW

– Material is same MUD/SAND/silt.

CAPT JIM, BOB RICHARDSON, & STAY INFORMED.

Bridge Watch Summary

Species	# of Animals	Time / Location / Comments
None		

Observer(s) on duty Carrie L Singer