ENDANGERED SPECIES OBSERVER PROGRAM

DAILY REPORT

Date: 05/13/07

ROJECT NAME: Corpus Christi Ship Channel **USACE DISTRICT:** Galveston

DREDGE NAME: *M/V Columbia* **Dredge Firm:** B+B Dredging

Contract# W912HY-07-C-0009 **Maintenance** X / **New Work** ____

Load #s: 567 - 577 **Areas worked (stations, etc):** 84+00 - 120+00

Location, Lat/Long: N 27 ° 49 . 570 x W 97 ° 01 . 430

Beaufort Sea State: 0 (1) 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

AIR TEMP: 25-26.5 °C/°F **Wind Direction and Speed** S ~ 5-10 KTS

WATER TEMP: Surface 26.1 °C/°F **Column (mid-depth)** — °C/°F **Bottom** — °C/°F

Condition of deflector: GOOD **Condition of screening:** GOOD

Were there incidents involving endangered or protected species? YES ✓ NO ____

Which species? (complete incident form(s)) C. MYDAS

Comments (type of material, biological specimens, unusual circumstances, etc):

- C. MYDAS TAKEN ON LOAD # 571. THE TURTLE WAS FOUND ALIVE AND IN GOOD CONDITION IN THE INFLOW SCREENING, AND TRANSFERRED INTO THE CARE OF THE ANIMAL REHABILITATION KEEP (A.R.K.) FOR OBSERVATION. FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE ATTACHED INCIDENT REPORT.

- THE MATERIAL BEING DREDGED WAS SAND & SILT.

- BIOLOGICAL SPECIMENS OBSERVED IN SCREENING INCLUDED A REDFISH, A CATFISH, A GOBY, BLUE CRABS, AN EEL, WHELK, COCKLE SHELLS, OYSTER SHELLS, SEA WHIPS, AND SEA GRASS.

BRIDGE WATCH SUMMARY

Time	Species	# Sightings/# Animals	Location/Comments
ALL DAY	T. TRUNCATUS	MULTIPLE / 6-10	IN & AROUND CHANNEL.
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