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## BAKER OFFSHORE PLATFORM FIRE CONTAINED

Nikiski, Alaska – Responders to the Baker platform fire have reported full containment. Firefighting capability and monitoring will be maintained through the night and the Unified Command will remain active until the platform is fully secured. Safety of the responders and the environment remain a priority as this is considered an ongoing response.

Primary firefighting efforts came from Ocean Marine Services vessel, Discovery. The Discovery along with Cook Inlet Spill Response vessel, Endeavor, will remain on scene until released by the Unified Command.

Multiple fly overs were done throughout the day by US Coast Guard, Nikiski Fire Department and Hilcorp personnel to monitor the situation. It has been confirmed that the fire started and remained in the living quarters area of the platform. The exact cause of the fire has not yet been determined. This was not a gas production related incident and there has been no release of hydrocarbons to Cook Inlet.

A full investigation to determine the cause of the fire is underway. On scene investigation will begin once the Baker platform has been fully secured.

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