

Alberta Businesses Facing Increased Pollution Risks Amid Drought, Experts Highlight Need for Coverage

The ongoing drought across Alberta is creating bigger risks for businesses. With water resources stretched thin, pollution incidents are a growing concern.

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/EINPresswire.com/ -- The ongoing drought conditions across Alberta are creating heightened risks for businesses, particularly those in the agricultural and oil

sectors. With water resources stretched thin, the potential for accidental pollution incidents is a growing concern.



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What Does Pollution Liability Insurance Cover?

Remediation Costs: Covers expenses involved in cleaning up pollution, such as soil decontamination or water

treatment.

Third-Party Claims: Protects against lawsuits from individuals or businesses affected by released pollutants.

Legal Defence: Covers legal fees associated with pollution-related litigation.

Business Interruption: Can help cover lost income if a pollution incident forces a business to temporarily shut down.

Why Do Businesses Need [Pollution Insurance Now?](#)

The current water shortage increases the risk of:

Accidental spills or leaks of hazardous materials during transport or handling.

Contamination of water sources due to agricultural runoff or oil operations.
Increased potential for environmental fines or penalties due to non-compliance with regulations.

"Don't wait until a disaster happens to discover gaps in your coverage," urges Jean-Ryan "Pollution liability insurance offers peace of mind and essential financial protection in an increasingly uncertain environment."

UW Insure Brokers is committed to helping Alberta businesses assess their environmental risks and find the right pollution insurance solutions. Contact us today for a free consultation.

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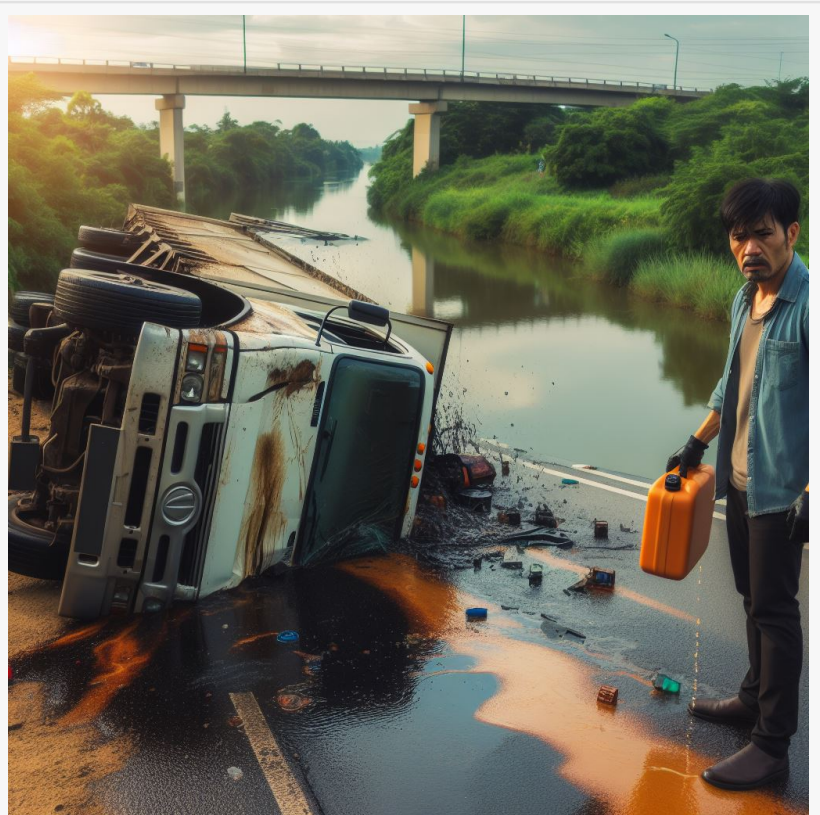
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