

This zone will be clearly delineated from the exclusion zone and support zone using the means noted above. Care will be taken to prevent the spread of contamination from this area. Drums will be filled with spent decontamination fluids and used protective clothing on a daily basis. The drums, after labeling, will be moved to central storage location(s) on site pending disposal.

B.5.3 Support Zone

A support zone will be established outside the contamination reduction area to stage clean equipment, don protective clothing, take rest breaks, etc. This zone will be clearly delineated from the contaminant reduction zone using the means noted above.

B.6 MINIMIZATION OF CONTAMINATION

To make the work zone procedure function effectively, the amount of equipment and number of personnel allowed in contaminated areas must be minimized. In addition, the amounts of soil, water, or other media collected should not exceed what is needed for laboratory analysis and record samples. Do not kneel on contaminated ground, stir up unnecessary dust, or perform any practice that increases the probability of hand-to-mouth transfer of contaminated materials. Use plastic drop cloths and equipment covers where appropriate. Eating, drinking, chewing gum, smoking, or using smokeless tobacco are forbidden in the exclusion zone.

B.7 DECONTAMINATION

Decontamination is necessary to limit the migration of contaminants from the work zone(s) onto the site or from the site into the surrounding environment. Figure B-2 presents a layout for conducting decontamination within the sites zones discussed previously. Equipment and personnel decontamination are discussed in the following sections, and the following types of equipment will be available to perform these activities:

- Boot and Glove Wash Bucket and Rinse Bucket
- Scrub Brushes - Long Handled
- Spray Rinse Applicator
- Plastic Garbage Bags
- 5-Gallon Container Alkaline Decon Solution