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- Officials issued a 5-mile evacuation zone in Jackson Township, Pennsylvania, November 8 – November 9 after a construction crew struck a 36-inch propane gas line, prompting the response of HAZMAT crews. – *WTAJ 10 Altoona* (See item [1](#))
- Authorities are searching for a man dubbed the “Harry Potter Bandit” who is suspected of robbing two Portland, Oregon-area banks November 8, and is reportedly connected to at least five previous robberies in the Seattle area. – *Portland Oregonian* (See item [5](#))
- A Portland, Oregon resident pleaded guilty November 8 to conspiring with others to prepare and file over 227 fraudulent income tax returns to claim refunds in excess of \$1 million in 2010. – *U.S. Department of Justice* (See item [6](#))
- Health officials Kern County, California, reported November 7 that thousands of people may have been exposed to Salmonella after consuming fresh Prime Time International cucumbers served at several Bakersfield-area schools, hospitals, and restaurants. – *Food Safety News* (See item [13](#))

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Energy Sector

1. *November 9, WTAJ 10 Altoona* – (Pennsylvania) **Propane gas leak forces evacuation.** Officials issued a 5-mile evacuation zone in Jackson Township, Pennsylvania, November 8 – November 9 after a construction crew struck a 36-inch propane gas line, prompting the response of emergency and HAZMAT crews.
Source: <http://www.wearecentralpa.com/news/propane-gas-leak-forces-evacuation>

Chemical Industry Sector

2. *November 9, U.S. Department of Labor* – (New Jersey) **OSHA finds New Jersey cleaning products manufacturer exposed workers to chemical, other safety and health hazards.** The Occupational Safety and Health Administration cited Santec Inc. with 11 serious and 1 other-than-serious violation November 4 after Federal inspectors received information about chemical hazards associated with the insufficient labeling of chemicals manufactured at the Linden, New Jersey facility, prompting a May 2016 inspection which revealed that the company failed to appropriately label hazardous chemicals, exposed personnel to electrical hazards, and failed to address confined space exposure, among other violations. Proposed penalties total \$83,375.
Source: https://www.osha.gov/pls/oshaweb/owadisp.show_document?p_table=NEWS_RELEASES&p_id=33393
3. *November 8, Toledo Blade* – (Ohio) **Hundreds of gallons of ammonia spill at Toledo warehouse.** Roughly 10 employees were evacuated from a Chemtrade Logistics, Inc. warehouse in Toledo, Ohio, November 8 after about 300 gallons of ammonia spilled when a container fell from a forklift. A HAZMAT team opened a water valve to prevent future issues with the firm's large mixing tank.
Source: <http://www.toledoblade.com/Police-Fire/2016/11/08/Hundreds-of-gallons-of-ammonia-spill-at-Toledo-warehouse.html>

Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector

Nothing to report

Critical Manufacturing Sector

4. *November 9, WKBW 7 Buffalo* – (New York) **Massive fire burning at Steelworks Industrial Park in Lackawanna.** Officials are investigating the cause of a two-alarm fire at the Industrial Steelworks Park in Lackawanna, New York, November 9 that prompted officials to evacuate several local schools, shut down area roads, and issue a shelter-in-place for all local residents.
Source: <http://www.wkbw.com/news/massive-fire-burning-at-republic-steel-in-lackawanna>

Defense Industrial Base Sector

Nothing to report

Financial Services Sector

5. *November 8, Portland Oregonian* – (Oregon; Washington) '**Harry Potter Bandit' apparently paints self orange, robs banks in Gresham and Aloha.** Authorities are searching for a man dubbed the “Harry Potter Bandit” who is suspected of robbing a KeyBank branch in Gresham, Oregon, and a U.S. Bank branch in Aloha, Oregon, November 8. The individual is reportedly connected to a string of at least five previous robberies in the Seattle area.
Source: http://www.oregonlive.com/pacific-northwest-news/index.ssf/2016/11/harry_potter_bandit_robs_aloha.html
6. *November 8, U.S. Department of Justice* – (Oregon) **Oregon woman pleads guilty to a tax fraud conspiracy.** A Portland, Oregon resident pleaded guilty November 8 to conspiring with others to prepare and file over 227 fraudulent income tax returns to claim refunds in excess of \$1 million in 2010, assisting her daughter and other co-defendants to prepare and file fictitious income tax returns, and sharing refunds and identities listed on tax forms with her associates. As part of the plea, the defendant also agreed to pay \$429,269 in restitution to the U.S. Internal Revenue Service.
Source: <https://www.justice.gov/opa/pr/oregon-woman-pleads-guilty-tax-fraud-conspiracy>

Transportation Systems Sector

7. *November 8, Kitsap Sun* – (Washington) **Car kills pedestrian Tuesday on Highway 303.** Highway 303 in Bremerton, Washington, was blocked for several hours November 8 after a pedestrian stepped into a northbound lane and was struck by an oncoming vehicle. The pedestrian was killed and the incident remains under investigation.
Source: <http://www.kitsapsun.com/news/local/collision-blocking-northbound-lanes-of-highway-303-40d5ed69-f4a3-40cb-e053-0100007ff24e-400479931.html>
8. *November 8, Kansas City Star* – (Missouri) **Man dies in fiery wreck on I-435 at Bannister Road.** Three northbound lanes of Interstate 435 at Bannister Road in Kansas City, Missouri, were closed for several hours November 8 after a two-vehicle collision caused one of the vehicle's to ignite. One person was killed.
Source: <http://www.kansascity.com/latest-news/article113303603.html>
9. *November 8, Bradenton Herald* – (Florida) **Fatal interstate crashes in Tampa, St. Petersburg.** The northbound lanes of Interstate 75 in Tampa, Florida, reopened after being closed for roughly 5 hours November 8 while authorities investigated a head-on collision that killed one person and injured another.
Source: <http://www.bradenton.com/news/local/article113408933.html>

For additional stories, see items [4](#) and [18](#)

Food and Agriculture Sector

10. *November 9, U.S. Department of Agriculture* – (Iowa; Michigan; Wisconsin) **Klement's Sausage Company, Inc. recalls beef and sausage products due to possible foreign matter contamination.** Klement's Sausage Company, Inc. issued a recall November 8 for roughly 1,689 pounds of its "Klement's Original Snack Sticks Naturally Hardwood Smoked No MSG Added Gluten Free" products sold in 1-ounce packages after a consumer complaint alerted Federal inspectors to the presence of extraneous materials in the products. One injury has been reported in connection with the recall and the products were shipped to vending distributors in Iowa, Michigan, and Wisconsin.
Source: <http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/recalls-and-public-health-alerts/recall-case-archive/archive/2016/recall-104-2016-release>
11. *November 9, U.S. Department of Agriculture* – (Massachusetts) **Water Lilies Food Inc. recalls egg roll product due to misbranding and undeclared allergens.** Water Lilies Food Inc. issued a recall November 8 for approximately 1,710 pounds of its "World Menu Egg Rolls Pork" products sold in 15-ounce boxes due to misbranding and undeclared shrimp after a consumer complaint revealed that the packages contained shrimp egg roll products. No adverse reactions have been reported and the products were shipped to a distribution center in Westfield, Massachusetts.
Source: <http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/recalls-and-public-health-alerts/recall-case-archive/archive/2016/recall-105-2016-release>
12. *November 8, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **Love My Tru Body issues voluntary nationwide recall of Skinny Bee Diet due to presence of undeclared sibutramine, desmethylsibutramine and/phenolphthalein.** Love My Tru Body issued a voluntary recall November 8 for its Skinny Bee Diet 500-milligram products after laboratory testing by Federal personnel revealed that the products contained undeclared sibutramine, desmethylsibutramine, and phenolphthalein. No adverse reactions have been reported and the products were distributed nationwide to consumers via the company's Website.
Source: <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm528429.htm>
13. *November 8, Food Safety News* – (California) **Schools, hospitals received cucumbers recalled for Salmonella.** Officials from the Kern County Department of Public Health in California reported November 7 that fresh Prime Time International cucumbers served at several Bakersfield establishments, including the University of California and 26 schools in the Bakersfield City School District and Greenfield Union School District, as well as 3 hospitals and 2 restaurants may have exposed thousands of people to Salmonella. No illnesses have been reported and officials advised anyone who has consumed fresh cucumbers and developed symptoms of Salmonella to seek medical attention.
Source: <http://www.foodsafetynews.com/2016/11/schools-hospitals-received-cucumbers-recalled-for-salmonella/#.WCMijy0rKUK>

Water and Wastewater Systems Sector

14. *November 8, Ada News* – (Oklahoma) **Some schools closed Wednesday due to Ada precautionary boil water advisory.** Schools in Ada, Latta, and Byng, Oklahoma, were closed November 8 after Ada officials issued a precautionary boil water advisory for the water system due to high levels of sediment in the main water storage facility at Ada’s water treatment plant, which created the potential for contamination. Officials state that the advisory will remain in effect until further notice.
Source: http://www.theadanews.com/news/some-schools-closed-wednesday-due-to-ada-precautionary-boil-water/article_6f412066-a626-11e6-9cb9-ffcd128e05f2.html

Healthcare and Public Health Sector

See item [13](#)

Government Facilities Sector

15. *November 8, Bloomington Pantagraph* – (Illinois) **Gibson city middle school threat under investigation.** Gibson City-Melvin-Sibley Number 5 Middle School in Gibson City, Illinois, was evacuated for about 2 hours November 8 after a written threat was found at the school. The incident remains under investigation.
Source: http://www.pantagraph.com/news/local/gibson-city-middle-school-students-evacuated-after-threat/article_f3b9893b-9709-582f-89c5-132fdae400f0.html
16. *November 8, KKTV 11 Colorado Springs* – (Colorado) **Bus driver evacuates students before bus goes up in flames.** Ten students were evacuated from a Fountain Valley School of Colorado bus on Interstate 25 in Fountain November 8 before the bus caught fire. No injuries were reported.
Source: <http://www.kktv.com/content/news/Bus-driver-evacuates-students-before-bus-goes-up-in-flames-400483471.html>
17. *November 8, WKBW 7 Buffalo* – (New York) **Power outage closes Chautauqua Lake Central School District Wednesday.** Chautauqua Lake Central School District schools in Mayville, New York, were closed November 9 due to a power outage.
Source: <http://www.wkbw.com/news/power-outage-closes-chautauqua-lake-central-school-district-wednesday>
18. *November 6, Mitchell Daily Republic* – (South Dakota) **Fire burns 780 acres, forces highway closure.** More than 50 firefighters worked November 5 to contain a roughly 784-acre wildfire burning near Reliance, South Dakota, which forced the closure a portion of South Dakota Highway 47 for 5 hours.
Source: <http://www.mitchellrepublic.com/news/local/4153476-fire-burns-780-acres-forces-highway-closure>

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Emergency Services Sector

19. *November 8, Associated Press* – (Massachusetts) **Mass. prison officials search for escaped minimum security inmate.** Massachusetts authorities are searching for an inmate that escaped from the minimum security Lawrence Correctional Alternative Center November 8.
Source: <http://wwlp.com/2016/11/08/mass-prison-officials-search-for-escaped-minimum-security-inmate/>

Information Technology Sector

20. *November 9, IDG News Service* – (International) **Microsoft patches 68 vulnerabilities, two actively exploited ones.** Microsoft released 14 security bulletins resolving a total of 68 vulnerabilities in Windows, Office, Edge, Internet Explorer, and SQL Server. Two of the vulnerabilities have been exploited in the wild, including a zero-day that is being leveraged by a group of attackers dubbed Fancy Bear, APT28 or Strontium, and a second flaw that could allow for remote code execution and enable an attacker to take full control of affected systems.
Source: http://www.computerworld.com/article/3139969/security/microsoft-patches-68-vulnerabilities-two-actively-exploited-ones.html#tk.rss_security
21. *November 8, SecurityWeek* – (International) **Adobe patches 9 Flash Player flaws reported via ZDI.** Adobe released patches addressing nine arbitrary code execution flaws in Flash Player and one security flaw in Connect for Microsoft Windows that could be exploited for cross-site scripting (XSS) attacks after researchers from Trend Micro's Zero Day Initiative (ZDI) reported the flaws to Adobe.
Source: <http://www.securityweek.com/adobe-patches-9-flash-player-flaws-reported-zdi>

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Communications Sector

Nothing to report

Commercial Facilities Sector

22. *November 8, KPRC 2 Houston* – (Texas) **Apartment building catches fire in Museum District.** A 2-alarm fire sent 1 person to the hospital and damaged 45 units at the Hampstead apartment complex in Houston November 8. Authorities reported that a ground-level car fire caused the blaze at the complex.
Source: <http://www.click2houston.com/news/thick-smoke-seen-rising-from-museum-district-in-houston>

23. *November 8, Brockton Enterprise* – (Massachusetts) **Smoke prompts evacuation of Brockton office building.** Around 150 employees were evacuated and sent home early from an office building in Brockton, Massachusetts, November 8 after an electrical issue caused smoke to fill the second floor. No injuries were reported and the cause of the issue remains under investigation.

Source: <http://www.enterpriseneews.com/news/20161108/smoke-prompts-evacuation-of-brockton-office-building>

Dams Sector

Nothing to report



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