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Salvage teams assess damage to Royal Dutch Shell's Kulluk drill barge in January after the rig ran aground near Kodiak Island in Alaska. Photo by AFP/Greenpeace/Robert ...

In 2006, Shell contracted Aker Arctic to evaluate the feasibility of adding a thruster-aided propulsion to the drilling barge. In 2007, Kulluk was fitted with two 62-tonne, 2,000 shaft ...

The Kulluk is the drill rig counterpart to the Noble Discoverer, the drill ship that was occupied for several days last year by actress Lucy Lawless, star of the television series Xena: ...

He plans to run for Senator John Kerry's seat once he vacates it to become Secretary of State. Markey issued a statement regarding the Kulluk, saying, "Oil companies keep saying they can ...

The rig, the Kulluk, which was used for test drilling in the Arctic last summer, is carrying about 139,000 gallons of diesel fuel and 12,000 gallons of ...

After a four-day struggle involving multiple vessels and aircraft and requiring Coast Guard rescue of its crew, Shell's drill rig, the Kulluk, ran ...

On December 21, 2012, Shell decided to move its arctic drilling rig, the Kulluk, from the state of Alaska. They continued moving the rig despite the fact that the weather forecast for the area ...

The following year, Shell's Kulluk drilling rig ran aground near Kodiak island in heavy seas highlighting the Arctic's challenging environment. The platform was damaged ...

A comprehensive review by the U.S. Coast Guard of the actions taken by Shell oil company when its Kulluk drilling rig ran aground in Alaska last year has found that the ...

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The ice-breaker tug Aiviq was towing the Kulluk to Everett, Washington, when its engines failed in heavy seas. Five tense days later, after a U.S. Coast Guard helicopter evacuated the Kulluk's ...

Shell's Artic Drilling "Fleet" Kulluk - Shell Owned Frontier Discoverer - Leased from Noble Drilling Huisman's New JBF Arctic Rig JBF Arctic Model Testing - 1. Wave Loads JBF Arctic Model ...

In order to avoid the catastrophic consequences of climate change, enormous fossil-fuel reserves will need to remain in the ground ...

It looks like Shell is capping off its embarrassing, disaster-prone year of trying and failing to drill in the Arctic with yet another high-profile mishap: The Kulluk, one of two oil rigs...

On New Year's Eve, 2012, Royal Dutch Shell's Kulluk drilling platform ran aground off a southern Alaskan island called Sitkalidak. Last week, the U.S. Coast Guard released a ...

That's what's unfolding this week in Alaska, where a Shell drilling rig called the Kulluk broke free from a tow ship in stormy seas on New Year's Eve before running aground ...

Last year, Fortune went inside the Kulluk, the oil-drilling ship Shell planned to use to tap oil reserves in the Arctic Ocean. Now those hopes may be dashed.

The Kulluk rig ran aground in a storm near Kodiak Island, Alaska, raising fresh questions about Shell's plans to launch an offshore oil industry in ...

"The recent grounding of Shell's Kulluk oil rig amplifies the risks of drilling in the Arctic. This is the latest in a series of alarming blunders, including the near grounding of ...

The disaster that occurred with their offshore drilling rig Kulluk on New Year's Eve only served to prove that the company is not to be trusted. ...

View from Arctic ERMA showing the location of the drilling rig Kulluk aground on Sitkalidak Island, Alaska, and critical habitat for Steller sea lions. Click to ...

The USCG said Friday that it is coordinating a response with Royal Dutch Shell representatives after the company's brand new \$200 million AHTS, the MV Aiviq, experienced ...

The expensive and disastrous failure of Shell's effort to begin offshore drilling in Arctic offshore waters of the Beaufort and Chukchi seas offers a tale of what can go wrong in ...



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Footage of the US Army's two Chinooks that are assigned to the "Sugar Bears" B Company, 1st Battalion, 52nd Aviation Regiment, Fort Wainwright, AK, that assisted the Royal Dutch Shell's ...

Shell's Kulluk drilling rig grounded near Kodiak, AK. Photo Credit: U.S. Coast Guard The Arctic Ocean's pristine ecosystems are home to iconic wildlife species including whales, polar bears, ...

Video by Staff Sgt. Aaron Johnson Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson Public AffairsThe US Army's two Chinooks that are assigned to the "Sugar Bears" B Company, ...

The coalition is made up of 45 House Democrats. "The recent grounding of Shell's Kulluk oil rig amplifies the risks of drilling in the Arctic," they said in a joint statement. "This is ...

Experts say the longer the Kulluk Arctic drilling rig sits offshore, the greater the chances of a large-scale fuel leak that could destroy this protected natural habitat.

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