

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Devon Energy Production	Contact Dan Suniga
Address 6488 Seven Rivers Hwy Artesia, NM 88220	Telephone No. 575.390.5850
Facility Name Cooter 16 State Com 5H	Facility Type Oil

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-015-37627
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter D	Section 16	Township 25S	Range 29E	Feet from the 30	North/South Line FNL	Feet from the 1190	East/West Line FWL	County Eddy
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Latitude: 32.110725 Longitude: 103.9877

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Spill Mixture of produced water & oil	Volume of Release 8 BBL	Volume Recovered 7 BBL
Source of Release A fire tube gasket on heater treater blown out.	Date and Hour of Occurrence 6/16/15 at 10:35 am	Date and Hour of Discovery 6/16/15 10:35 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jim Amos BLM Mike Bratcher OCD	
By Whom? Leonard Aguilar	Date and Hour 6/17/15 at 10:00 am	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse	

NM OIL CONSERVATION  
ARTESIA DISTRICT  
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If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
On 6/16/15 at the Cooter 16-5 Battery at 10:35 am A fire tube gasket on heater treater blown out. Devon employee shut supply to the heater and opened the drain to the water tank, and shut in the cottontail 16-1.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
Lease operator inspected the heater treater and found that the gasket around the fire tube (upper left corner) of the gasket approximately 10" long had blown out causing the release of oil and water. The spill was limited to about 8bbl total 4 BBL of oil and 4 BBL of produced water. 2 BBL was in lined containment and 2 BBL recovered, no holes in lined containment. 6 BBL was spilled on pad a 10 X 20 area and 5 BBL was recovered. An environmental company will be called out to evaluate area.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: Jeanette Barron	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Jeanette Barron	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Field Admin Support	Approval Date: 6/23/15	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: Jeanette.barron@dvn.com	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 6/19/15 Phone: 575.748.1813	Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN: 7/24/15	

Attached ☐

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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