

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

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By OCD District 1 at 10:40 am, Aug 11, 2015

Revised August 8, 2011

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: Chevron USA Inc.	Contact: Nick Hampton	
Address: 15 Smith Rd., Midland, TX, 79705	Telephone No.: work: 575-704-3143 cell: 985-502-2342	
Facility Name: Central Vacuum Unit Battery	Facility Type: Battery	
Surface Owner: N/A	Mineral Owner: N/A	API No.: N/A

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Flare	Volume of Release: 416 MCF	Volume Recovered: 0 MCF
Source of Release: Flare	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 08/09/15 7:30 PM	Date and Hour of Discovery: 08/09/15 7:30 PM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom? N/A	Date and Hour: N/A	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

N/A

APPROVED

By OCD District 1 at 10:40 am, Aug 11, 2015

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The Buckeye CO2 Plant lost compressor at no lube flow which resulted in a flaring event at CVU Battery. For remedial action taken, Vacuum production wells were shut in.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

N/A

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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: Nick Hampton

Printed Name: Nick Hampton

Approved by Environmental Specialist:

Jamie Hoyer

Title: HE Specialist

Approval Date: 08/11/2015

Expiration Date: ///

E-mail Address: cikb@chevron.com

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

Date: 08/11/2015

Phone: 985-502-2342

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* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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