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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural
Resources Department

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141
Revised August 24, 2018
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	NAPP2113754970
District RP	
Facility ID	
Application ID	

Release Notification

Responsible Party

Responsible Party	Kaiser-Francis Oil Company	OGRID	12361
Contact Name	Aaron Daniels	Contact Telephone	918-491-4352
Contact email	aarond@kfoc.net	Incident # (assigned by OCD)	nAPP2113754970
Contact mailing address	P.O. Box 21468 Tulsa, OK 74121		

Location of Release Source

Latitude 32.2442947 Longitude -103.5245301
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name	Bell Lake Unit South #121H	Site Type	Producing Well Pad
Date Release Discovered	5/16/2021	API# (if applicable)	30-025-47621

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
J	01	24S	33E	Lea

Surface Owner: ☒ State ☐ Federal ☐ Tribal ☐ Private (Name: _____)

Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls) 60	Volume Recovered (bbls) 0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) 100	Volume Recovered (bbls) 0
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf) Unknown	Volume Recovered (Mcf) 0
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

Cause of Release

It was discovered that the production heater treater and slop heater treater for the BLUS #121H were on fire on the night of 5/16/2021. The exact cause of the fire is unknown. The majority of spilled liquids and released natural gas is assumed to have been consumed by the fire. Jal Fire Department responded and extinguished the fire. Release numbers were estimated based off production information and capacity of vessels. Total liquids recovered was 10 bbls. Sampling and excavation work are set to begin shortly.

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?
Volume released was greater than 25 bbls for crude oil and produced water.

If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?
Yes. Aaron Daniels. Emailed the appropriate district office via submission of the Notice of Release (NOR).

Initial Response

The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury

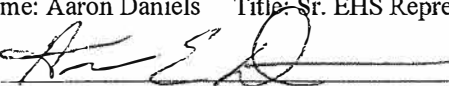
- ☒ The source of the release has been stopped.
- ☒ The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment.
- ☒ Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices.
- ☒ All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.

If all the actions described above have not been undertaken, explain why:

Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD 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 OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD 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.

Printed Name: Aaron Daniels Title: Sr. EHS Representative

Signature: 

Date: 5/28/2021

email: aarond@kfoc.net

Telephone: 918-491-4352

OCD Only

Received by: Ramona Marcus

Date: 5/28/2021

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CONDITIONS

Action 29951

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Operator: KAISER-FRANCIS OIL CO P.O. Box 21468 Tulsa, OK 74121	OGRID: 12361
	Action Number: 29951
	Action Type: [C-141] Release Corrective Action (C-141)

CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
marcus	When submitting future reports regarding this release, please submit the calculations used or specific justification for the volumes reported on the initial C-141	5/28/2021