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# **Release Notification**

## **Responsible Party**

Responsible Party Chevron U.S.A., Inc.	OGRID 4323
Contact Name Jessica Zemen	Contact Telephone 432-530-9187
Contact email jessicazemen@chevron.com	Incident # (assigned by OCD)
Contact mailing address 6301 Deauville Blvd. Midland, TX 79706	

### **Location of Release Source**

Latitude <u>32.787714</u>

(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name Buckeye CO2 Plant	Site Type Gas Processing Plant
Date Release Discovered 4/12/2021	API# (if applicable)

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
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Surface Owner: State Federal Tribal Private (Name: State of New Mexico

## Nature and Volume of Release

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

Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	Yes No
Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
🛛 Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf) 170.5	Volume Recovered (Mcf) 0
Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)
Cause of Release	L	

Propane Suction Scrubber was blown down to decrease pressure for phase 2 start-up. This blow down resulted in a flaring event.

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Was this a major release as defined by	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?
19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?	N/A
🗌 Yes 🖾 No	
If YES, was immediate ne	otice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?

## **Initial Response**

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

 $\boxtimes$  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:

Released material was not a liquid therefore the fourth option does not apply.

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:	Jessica Zemen	Title:
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\_\_ Lead Environmental Specialist, Field Support \_\_\_\_\_

Signature:	Jessica	K	Zemen
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Date: \_\_\_\_\_4/25/2021\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone:	432-530-9187
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Received by:	Ramona Marcus	Date: _	5/10/2021

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# Closure

The responsible party must attach information demonstrating they have complied with all applicable closure requirements and any conditions or directives of the OCD. This demonstration should be in the form of a comprehensive report (electronic submittals in .pdf format are preferred) including a scaled site map, sampling diagrams, relevant field notes, photographs of any excavation prior to backfilling, laboratory data including chain of custody documents of final sampling, and a narrative of the remedial activities. Refer to 19.15.29.12 NMAC.

<u>Closure Report Attachment Checklist</u> : Each of the following items must be included in the closure report. N/A due to release report is a flare event.				
A scaled site and sampling diagram as described in 19.15.29.11 NMAC				
<ul> <li>Photographs of the remediated site prior to backfill or photos of the liner integrity if applicable (Note: appropriate OCD District office must be notified 2 days prior to liner inspection)</li> </ul>				
Laboratory analyses of final sampling (Note: appropriate ODC District office must be notified 2 days prior to final sampling)				
Description of remediation activities				
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email:jessicazemen@chevron.com       Telephone:432-530-9187				
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Received by:   Ramona Marcus     Date:   5/10/2021				
Closure approval by the OCD does not relieve the responsible party of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that poses a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health, or the environment nor does not relieve the responsible party of compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.				
Closure Approved by: <u>Juntur 22</u> Date: <u>06/17/2021</u>				
Printed Name: Cristina Eads Title: Environmental Specialist				

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Date flaring info was recorded from DCS	Time flaring info was recorded from DCS	Start Date	EE Start Time	End Date	EE End Time	Duration (min)	Duration (hr)	Gas stream sent to flare	"Today's Total" Totalizer Volume at Start of Event (MMCF)	"Today's Total" Totalizer at End of Event (MMCF)	Volume to Flare (SCF)
4/12/2021	4:15:00	4/12/2021	7:21:00	4/12/2021	8:45:54	84.90	1.415	Propane	0.0999	0.2704	170,500

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6301 Deauville Blvd	Action Number:
Midland, TX 79706	25425
	Action Type:
	[C-141] Release Corrective Action (C-141)

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Created By	Condition	Condition Date
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