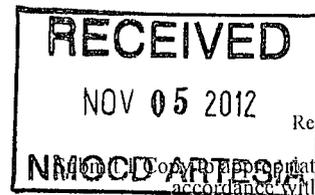


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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011
District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

nJMW1231249801 OPERATOR Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company <i>Cimarex Energy Company 215099</i>	Contact <i>Sheldon T. Waeger</i>
Address <i>15 E. 5th St, Suite 1000, Tulsa, OK 74103-4346</i>	Telephone No. <i>918-557-4177</i>
Facility Name <i>Arkansas 23 Fee #3</i>	Facility Type <i>Production</i>

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	API No. <i>30-015-40192</i>
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
H	23	195	25E	2310	N	990	E	Eddy

Latitude N 32°38' 49.65" Longitude W 104°27' 00.21"

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release – Kill Fluid	Volume of Release – <i>12-15 bbls.</i>	Volume Recovered – <i>10+ bbls</i>
Source of Release - Well	Date and Hour of Occurrence – <i>2:00 pm on 10/28/2012</i>	Date and Hour of Discovery – <i>2:00 pm on 10/28/2012</i>
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
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.*		
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* <i>During operations to keep the well dead in order to run production tubing on a newly completed well, the well kicked while picking the Bottom Hole Assembly spilling 12-15 bbls of kill water on the ground around the wellhead. Vacuum truck was utilized to suck up 10+ bbls of water.</i>		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* <i>The affected area was approximately 10'-15' wide and 30'-40' long away from the wellhead. Safety & Environmental Services out of Hobbs, NM were contacted to assist in cleanup & remediation operations.</i>		

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: <i>Sheldon T. Waeger</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Sheldon T. Waeger	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	Signed By <i>Mike [Signature]</i>
Title: Superintendent, Environmental, Safety & Health	Approval Date: NOV 07 2012	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: <i>swaeger@cimarex.com</i>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <i>11/02/2012</i> Phone: <i>918-557-4177</i>		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION**

PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:

Dec. 7, 2012

2RP-1392

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Terri Stathem <TStathem@cimarex.com>
Sent: Monday, November 05, 2012 6:04 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Sharp, Karen, EMNRD
Subject: C141 - Cimarex Energy
Attachments: 201211050703.pdf

Good morning. Please see attached C141 regarding a spill incident. I will also overnight mail the originals.

Thanks,

Terri Stathem
Coordinator - Regulatory Compliance
15 East 5th Street, Suite 1000
Tulsa, OK 74103-4346

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November 2, 2012

Oil Conservation Division
District II
811 S. First Street
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Re: Spill Notification and Corrective Action, Form C-141
Cimarex Energy Co.
Arkansas 23 Fee #3
Sec 23, 19S-25E, Eddy Co, NM

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed are Spill Notification and Corrective Action Forms C-141 for two separate spill incidents that occurred on the Cimarex Energy Co., Arkansas 23 Fee #3, Sec 23, 19S-25E, Eddy Co, NM on October 25 & October 28, 2012.

I can be contacted at 918-557-4177 if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sheldon T. Waeger".

Sheldon T. Waeger
Cimarex Energy Co.
Superintendent, Environmental, Safety & Health