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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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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company: Cimarex Energy Company	Contact: Johnny Titsworth
Address: 600 N. Marienfield, Suite 600, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.: (432)250-2059
Facility Name: Quail State 11 #1 TB	Facility Type: Tank Battery

Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner:	API No.: 30-025-40841
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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
P	11	19S	34E	210	FSL	660	FEL	Lea

Latitude: 32.66821 Longitude: -103.58040

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Crude/produced water	Volume of Release: 220/50	Volume Recovered: 210/45
Source of Release: Heater/Treater	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 1/22/14	Date and Hour of Discovery: 1/22/14
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Johnny Titsworth	
By Whom? Mark Bishop	Date and Hour 1/22/14	
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.*
during the night, the man way cover gasket failed and 220 barrels of crude and 50 barrels of produced water were released from the heater treater. The majority of the spill was contained inside the lined containment. There was some pooling on the pad as well as some overspray on the pad. There was also some overspray in the pasture area.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
The crude and produced water were picked up from the containment, and the overspray area on the pad was back-dragged. Talon/LPE personnel collected analytical samples from the impacted overspray and pooling area of the pasture and pad. Confirmation soil samples confirmed samples were below NMOCD thresholds.

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>Melissa Decker</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Melissa Decker on behalf of Cimarex Energy	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Title: Project Manager	Approval Date: <u>8-4-2014</u>	Expiration Date: _____
E-mail Address: mdecker@talonlpe.com	Conditions of Approval: _____	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 08/1/2014 Phone: (831)345-2422		<u>18P-3209</u>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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