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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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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

**NM OIL CONSERVATION**  
ARTESIA DISTRICT Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011  
**MAR 17 2015**  
Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.  
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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

*Amended*

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**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

<b>Name of Company</b> Devon Energy Production Company <i>10137</i>	<b>Contact</b> Production Foreman; Joah Weidemann
<b>Address</b> 6488 Seven Rivers Hwy Artesia, NM 88210	<b>Telephone No.</b> 575-513-1528
<b>Facility Name</b> Ross Ranch 10 Federal 1 SWD	<b>Facility Type</b> Salt Water Disposal

<b>Surface Owner</b> Federal	<b>Mineral Owner</b> Federal	<b>API No</b> 30-015-29605
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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	10	26S	31E	1980	North	660	East	Eddy

**Latitude:** 32.059235486

**Longitude:** -103.75905787

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

<b>Type of Release</b> produced water spill	<b>Volume of Release</b> 45 BBLS	<b>Volume Recovered</b> 45 BBLS
<b>Source of Release</b> hole in the 2" equalizing line on the back of the produced water tanks	<b>Date and Hour of Occurrence</b> March 11, 2015 8:30 AM	<b>Date and Hour of Discovery</b> March 11, 2015 8:30 AM
<b>Was Immediate Notice Given?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	<b>If YES, To Whom?</b> Mike Bratcher; OCD & Jeff Robertson; BLM	
<b>By Whom?</b> Assistant Production Foreman; David Washington	<b>Date and Hour</b> March 12, 2015 8:30 AM	
<b>Was a Watercourse Reached?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<b>If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse</b> N/A	

**If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\***  
N/A

**Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\***  
Corrosion caused a hole in the 3" equalizing line on the back of the produced water tanks. The leak was stopped by disconnecting and plugging the leaking line. The corroded line has been replaced.

**Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\***  
45 BBLS of produced water was released into the lined containment around the water storage tanks. Containment was not breached. All of the 45 BBLS released was recovered by vacuum truck and returned to the storage tanks. No further action is required.

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.

<b>Signature:</b> <i>Sandy Farley</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
<b>Printed Name:</b> Sandra Farley	Signed By <i>Mike Bratcher</i>	
<b>Title:</b> Field Admin Support	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
<b>E-mail Address:</b> sandy.farley@dvn.com	<b>Approval Date:</b> <i>3/19/15</i>	<b>Expiration Date:</b> <i>NIA</i>
<b>Date:</b> 3/16/15 <b>Phone:</b> 575.746.5587	<b>Conditions of Approval:</b> <i>FINAL</i>	<b>Attached</b> <input type="checkbox"/>

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

*2RP-28916*

## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Farley, Sandy <Sandy.Farley@dvn.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 17, 2015 3:58 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Jeff Robertson (jlr Robertson@blm.gov); Sol Hughes (shughes@blm.gov); Jim Amos (jamos@blm.gov)  
**Subject:** RE: Ross Ranch 10 Fed 1 SWD 45BBLS PW Spill 3.11.15  
**Attachments:** Ross Ranch 10 Fed 1 SWD 45BBLS PW Spill 3.11.15 Initial and Final C-141.doc

Good afternoon,

Attached is an amended copy of the Initial and Final C-141 I submitted yesterday regarding the 45 BBLS produced water spill that occurred at the Ross Ranch 10 Fed 1 SWD on March 11, 2015. The original document stated that corrosion caused a leak in the 2" equalizing line; this is incorrect as it is a 3" equalizing line.

Amended copy attached.

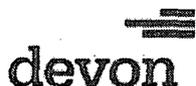
Apologies for the inconvenience.

Have a wonderful day

*Sandra Farley*

Field Admin Support  
Production  
A-Schedule

**Devon Energy Corporation**  
PO Box 250  
Artesia, New Mexico 88211  
575 746 5587



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**From:** Farley, Sandy  
**Sent:** Monday, March 16, 2015 3:50 PM  
**To:** Mike Bratcher ([mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us))- OCD Eddy County; 'Patterson, Heather, EMNRD'  
**Cc:** Jeff Robertson ([jlr Robertson@blm.gov](mailto:jlr Robertson@blm.gov)); Sol Hughes ([shughes@blm.gov](mailto:shughes@blm.gov)); Jim Amos ([jamos@blm.gov](mailto:jamos@blm.gov))  
**Subject:** Ross Ranch 10 Fed 1 SWD 45BBLS PW Spill 3.11.15

Good afternoon,

Attached is the Initial and Final C-141, pictures and GIS Image for the 45 BBLS produced water release that occurred at the Ross Ranch 10 Fed 1 SWD on March 11, 2015. The pink dot on the GIS Image marks the approximate origin of the release.

Have a wonderful day

*Sandra Farley*

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