# Devon Energy Production Co LP Cotton Draw Unit 214H Produced Water Transfer Line Release Delineation Report and Work Plan

### Unit Letter C, Section 36, T24S, R31E Lea County, New Mexico

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#### I. Company Contacts

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#### II. Background

Safety and Environmental Solutions, Inc. (SESI) was engaged by Alfredo's Trucking to perform site delineation of an off-pad produced water release near Cotton Draw Unit 214H. No crude oil was released. The release is on New Mexico state land in Unit Letter C, Section 36, Township 24 South, Range 31 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The 214H location is at 32.180536° N, 103.734514° W. The spill is adjacent to a lease road approximately 0.1 miles east and 0.1 miles south of the entrances to the 214H location. The GPS coordinates at the point of release are 32.177516° N, 103.733149° W.

According to the C-141 the cause of release was a hose separation from the hammer union off the trunk line. The separation occurred when a pump was activated to send water to the Unit 214 Poseidon tank. An estimated 6 bbls spilled onto the ground of which an estimated 1 bbl was recovered by the vacuum truck. From the point of release the spill travelled approximately 8 feet to the north, 8 feet to the east, 7 feet to the west across the lease road, and 22 feet to the south. The contaminated area is estimated to be 3,500 square-feet.

#### III. Surficial Soils

The Eddy County Soil Survey prepared by the US Department of Agriculture shows soils in the area to be of the Berino Series. These are deep, noncalcareous, yellowish-red to red, sandy soils that developed in wind-worked material of mixed origin. The surface layer is typically yellowish-red fine sand about 17 inches thick with the substratums to a depth of 60 inches composed of a fine sandy loam (17-23 inches), sandy clay loam (23-50 inches), and clay loam with soft caliche (50-60 inches). Surficial characteristics consist primarily of hummocky sand hills with vegetation consisting of bush muhly, plains bristlegrass, blue grama, mesquite and Harvard oak.

#### IV. Surface and Ground Water

The nearest surface water is the Pecos River approximately 14 miles west of the location. There are no large arroyos or drainage channels in the immediate area of the release.

The nearest groundwater well of record is approximately 1 mile south of the site. The New Mexico Office of State Engineer record is in Section 1, Township 25 South, Range 31 East. The well was drilled to a depth of 1,025 feet in 1973; there is no record of depth to water in the well. A depth to water map in use by the OCD shows estimated depth to water at the Unit 214 location to be about 375 feet below land surface.

#### V. Characterization

The target cleanup levels are determined using the *Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases* published by the NMOCD (August 13, 1993). Based on

the ranking criteria presented below, the applicable Recommended Remediation Action Levels (RRAL) are 10 parts per million (ppm) Benzene, 50 ppm combined benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes (BTEX), and 5,000 ppm Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH). Characterization of vertical extent of chloride concentration to a level of 250 mg/kg (PPM) is also required.

Depth to Ground Water:							
(Vertical distance from contaminants to	Less than 50 feet	20 points					
seasonal high water elevation of	50 feet to 99 feet	10 points					
groundwater)	>100 feet	0 points	X				
Wellhead Protection Area:							
(Less than 200 feet from a private domestic	Yes	20 points					
water source; or less than 1000 feet from all	No	0 points	X				
other water sources)							
Distance to Surface Water:							
(Horizontal distance to perennial lakes,	Less than 200 feet	20 points					
ponds, rivers, streams, creeks, irrigation	200 feet to 1000 feet	10 points					
canals and ditches)	>1000 feet	0 points	X				
RANKING SCORE (TOTAL POINTS)							

#### VI. Work Performed

On May 21, 2015, SESI was onsite with Alfredos Trucking to begin delineation. Five test trenches were dug for sampling and a trench 15 ft x 40 ft. was excavated to a depth of 2 ft. Approximately 45 cubic yards of material was loaded in to a 20 yd. dump truck and hauled to Lea Land for disposal.

Test trench samples were properly packaged, preserved and transported to Cardinal Laboratories, Hobbs New Mexico and analyzed for Chloride (Cl<sup>-</sup>) (Method SM 4500Cl-B). The results of the analysis are presented in the table below:

Sample ID	Depth (feet)	Laboratory Number	Result (mg/kg)
TT-1	2	H501291-01	4,080
TT-1	3	H501291-02	576
TT-1	4	H501291-03	<16.0

Sample ID	Depth (feet)	Laboratory Number	Result (mg/kg)
TT-2	2	H501291-04	304
TT-2	3	H501291-05	2,640
TT-2	4	H501291-06	144

Sample ID	Depth (feet)	Laboratory Number	Result (mg/kg)
TT-3	2	H501291-07	96.0

Note: Field sampling indicated chloride at less than 128 ppm, no deeper samples collected.

Sample ID	Depth (feet)	Laboratory Number	Result (mg/kg)
TT-4	2	H501291-08	560
TT-4	3	H501291-09	1,220
TT-4	4	H501291-10	32.0

Sample ID	Depth (feet)	Laboratory Number	Result (mg/kg)
TT-5	2	H501291-11	<16.0

Note: Field sampling indicated chloride at less than 128 ppm, no deeper samples collected.

#### VII. Action Plan

Due to the results listed above the following action plan is proposed:

Excavate and remove all chloride-contaminated soil to the depth where the chloride concentration is 1,000 mg/kg or less as determined by sampling of sidewalls and bottom of the excavation. Contaminated soils will be transported to an approved NMOCD facility for disposal. Composite confirmation samples will be taken from the sides and bottom of the excavation area. The excavated area will be backfilled with material similar to that removed.

#### VIII. Figures & Appendices

Figure 1 – Vicinity Map

Figure 2 – Site Plan

Appendix A – C-141

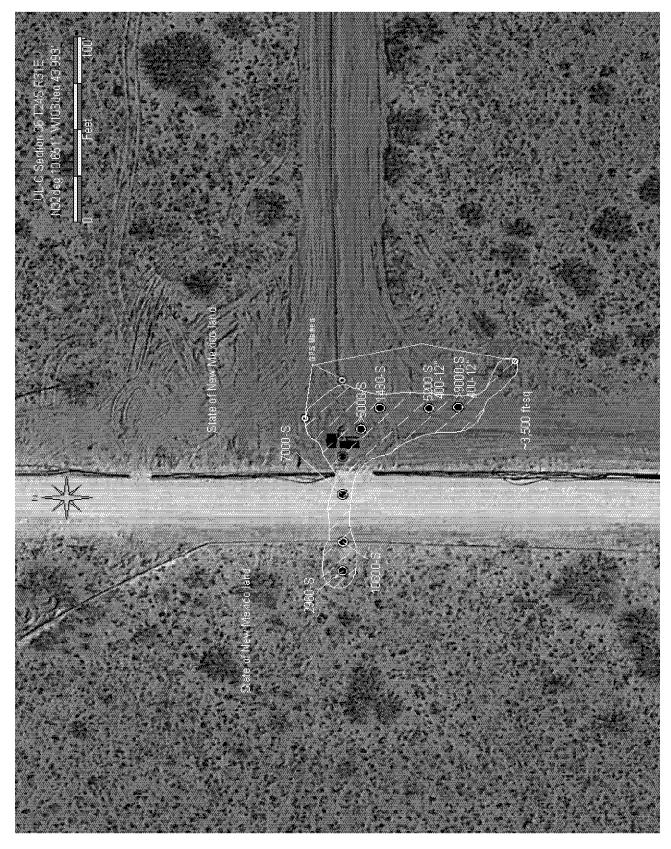
Appendix B – Photographs

Appendix C – Analytical Results

## Figure 1 Vicinity Map



## Figure 2 Site Plan



Site plan with chloride surface sample concentrations (PPM)

## Appendix A C-141

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	Release Notificatio	-		ction	
NAB1508234541		OPERA"	FOR	⊠ Initi	al Report    Final Repor
	y Production Co LP	Contact:			pletions Foreman
Address: PO Box 250 Artesia,		Telephone l	No. 575- 6	16-1540	
Facility Name: Near Cotton Dra	w Unit 214H	Facility Typ	e: Well k	ocation - OFF P	AD
Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner	Federal		API No	30-015-41537
	LOCATIO	N OF RE	LEASE		
	Range Feet from the Nort	h/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
C 36 248	31E 200	North	1710	West	Eddy
Lat	itude: 32 deg 10' 49.931" N	Longit		' 4.25" W	
Type of Release: Produced	Water from Trunk Line		Release: 6 bbls	Volume	Recovered: I bbl
Source of Release:			lour of Occurrence		Hour of Discovery
Water transfi Was Immediate Notice Given?	er trunk line	3/18/201 If YES, To	5, 2:45 PM	3/18/20 D Artesia – Mike	015, 2:45 PM
	Yes No Not Require			M Carlsbad – Jim	
By Whom? Brian Kuh, Compl	letions Foreman	N 5039517450053	3/20/15, 7: 3/19/15, 8:	30 AM - voicema	il to Mike Bratcher
Was a Watercourse Reached?	Yes 🖾 No	If YES, V	olume Impacting t N/A	he Watercourse.	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Describe Cause of Problem and Remedi	N/A	3 - 1 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2			
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I hereby certify that the information givergulations all operators are required to public health or the environment. The a should their operations have failed to act or the environment. In addition, NMOO federal, state, or local laws and/or regul	report and/or file certain release acceptance of a C-141 report by dequately investigate and remedic D acceptance of a C-141 report	notifications a the NMOCD n late contaminal	and perform corre- narked as "Final R tion that pose a the	ctive actions for re teport" does not re reat to ground water	sleases which may endanger slieve the operator of liability er, surface water, human health
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## Appendix B Site Photographs





















Photographs taken by Alfredo's Trucking.

## **Appendix C – Analytical Results**



May 27, 2015

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RE; DEVON COTTON DRAW #214

Enclosed are the results of analyses for samples received by the laboratory on 05/22/15 8:30.

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Sincerely,

Celey D. Keene

Lab Director/Quality Manager

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#### Analytical Results For:

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Fax To: (575) 393-4388

Received: 05/22/2015 Reported: 05/27/2015 DEVON COTTON DRAW #214 Project Name: Project Number:

ALF-15-004 EDDY COUNTY, NM

Sampling Date: 05/21/2015 Sampling Type: \*\* (See Notes) Sampling Condition:

Sample Received By: Amanda Ponce

#### Sample ID: TT-1 2' BGS (H501291-01)

Project Location:

Chloride, SM4500CI-B	mg	mg/kg		Analyzed By: AP					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	4080	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	7,69	

#### Sample ID: TT-1 3' BGS (H501291-02)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B	mg/kg		Analyzed By: AP						-
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	576	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	7.69	

#### Sample ID: TT-1 4' BGS (H501291-03)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B	mg/kg		Analyzed By: AP						- 5
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	<16.0	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	7,69	

#### Sample ID: TT-2 2' BGS (H501291-04)

Chloride, SM4500CI-B	mg	/kg	Analyzed By: AP						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	304	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	7,69	

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Project Name: DEVON COTTON DRAW #214 Sampling Condition: \*\* (See Notes)
Project Number: ALF-15-004 Sample Received By: Amanda Ponce
Project Location: EDDY COUNTY, NM

#### Sample ID: TT-2 3' BGS (H501291-05)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B	mg	/kg	Analyzed By: AP						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	2640	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	7.69	

#### Sample ID: TT-2 4' BGS (H501291-06)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B	mg	/kg	Analyze	d By: AP					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	144	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	7.69	

#### Sample ID: TT-3 2' BGS (H501291-07)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B	mg	/kg	Analyzed By: AP						-
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	96.0	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	7.69	

#### Sample ID: TT-4 2' BGS (H501291-08)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B	mg	/kg	Analyze	d By: AP					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	560	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	0.00	

#### Sample ID: TT-4 3' BGS (H501291-09)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B	mg	/kg	Analyzed By: AP						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	1220	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	0.00	

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Project Name: DEVON COTTON DRAW #214 Sampling Condition: \*\* (See Notes)
Project Number: ALF-15-004 Sample Received By: Amanda Ponce

Project Location: EDDY COUNTY, NM

#### Sample ID: TT-4 4' BGS (H501291-10)

Chloride, SM4500CI-B	mg/kg		Analyzed By: AP						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	32.0	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	0.00	

#### Sample ID: TT-5 2' BGS (H501291-11)

Chloride, SM4500CI-B	mg	/kg	Analyzed By: AP						
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride	<16.0	16.0	05/27/2015	ND	432	108	400	0.00	

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ND	Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit
RPD	Relative Percent Difference
**	Samples not received at proper temperature of 6°C or below.
***	Insufficient time to reach temperature.
	Chloride by SM4500Cl-B does not require samples be received at or below 6°C
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