

Devon Energy Corporation 20 North Broadway Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102-8260

Hydrogen Sulfide (H₂S) Contingency Plan

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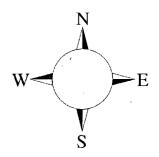
Cotton Draw Unit 151H

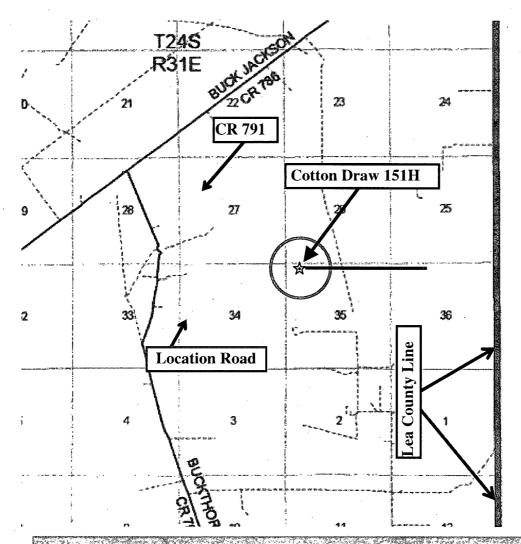
LAT. = 32°10'49.98"N (NAD83) LONG = 103°45.17.98"W 200'FNL & 660' FWL, Sec-35, T-24S R-31E

Eddy County NM

Cotton Draw 151H

This is an open drilling site. H_2S monitoring equipment and emergency response equipment will be used within 500' of zones known to contain H_2S , including warning signs, wind indicators and H_2S monitor.





Assumed 100 ppm (128 3000' (Radius of Europe))
100 ppm H2S concentration shall trigger activation of this plan.

Escape

Crews shall escape upwind of escaping gas in the event of an emergency release of gas. Escape can be facilitated East on lease road. Crews should then block entrance to the location from the lease road so as not to allow anyone traversing into a hazardous area. The blockade should be at a safe distance outside of the ROE. Evacuation should continue if necessary East then South on lease road approximately 33 miles to State Road CR 791. There are no homes or buildings in or near the ROE.

Assumed 100 ppm ROE = 3000'

100 ppm H₂S concentration shall trigger activation of this plan.

Emergency Procedures

In the event of a release of gas containing H₂S, the first responder(s) must

- Isolate the area and prevent entry by other persons into the 100 ppm ROE.
- Evacuate any public places encompassed by the 100 ppm ROE.
- Be equipped with H₂S monitors and air packs in order to control the release.
- Use the "buddy system" to ensure no injuries occur during the response
- Take precautions to avoid personal injury during this operation.
- Contact operator and/or local officials to aid in operation. See list of phone numbers attached.
- Have received training in the
 - Detection of H₂S, and
 - Measures for protection against the gas,
 - Equipment used for protection and emergency response.

Ignition of Gas Source

Should control of the well be considered lost and ignition considered, take care to protect against exposure to Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂). Intentional ignition must be coordinated with the NMOCD and local officials. Additionally the NM State Police may become involved. NM State Police shall be the Incident Command on scene of any major release. Take care to protect downwind whenever there is an ignition of the gas

Characteristics of H₂S and SO₂

Common Name	Chemical Formula	Specific Gravity	Threshold Limit	Hazardous Limit	Lethal Concentration
Hydrogen Sulfide	H ₂ S	1.189 Air = 1	10 ppm	100 ppm/hr	600 ppm
Sulfur Dioxide	SO ₂	2.21 Air = 1	2 ppm	N/A	1000 ppm

Contacting Authorities

Devon Energy Corp. personnel must liaison with local and state agencies to ensure a proper response to a major release. Additionally, the OCD must be notified of the release as soon as possible but no later than 4 hours. Agencies will ask for information such as type and volume of release, wind direction, location of release, etc. Be prepared with all information available. The following call list of essential and potential responders has been prepared for use during a release. Devon Energy Corp. Company response must be in coordination with the State of New Mexico's 'Hazardous Materials Emergency Response Plan' (HMER)

Devon Energy Corp. Company Call List

Artesia (575)	Cellular	Office	Home
Foreman – Robert Bell	748-7448	748-0178	746-2991
Asst. Foreman –Tommy Poll			
Don Mayberry	748-5235	748-0164	746-4945
Montral Walker	390-5182	748-0193	936-414-6246
Engineer – Marcos Ortiz((405) 317-0666.	(405) 552-8152	(405) 381-4350

Agency Call List

Lea County (575)	Hobbs State Police 392-5588 City Police 397-9265 Sheriff's Office 393-2515 Ambulance 911 Fire Department 397-9308 LEPC (Local Emergency Planning Committee) 393-2870 NMOCD 393-6161 US Bureau of Land Management 393-3612	
Eddy County (575)	Carlsbad 885-3137 City Police 885-2111 Sheriff's Office 887-7551 Ambulance 911 Fire Department 885-2111 LEPC (Local Emergency Planning Committee) 887-3798 US Bureau of Land Management 887-6544 New Mexico Emergency Response Commission (Santa Fe) (505)476-9600 24 HR (505) National Emergency Response Center (Washington, DC) (800)	
Give GPS position:	Emergency Services Boots & Coots IWC 1-800-256-9688 or (281) 931-8884 Cudd Pressure Control (915) 699-0139 or (915) 563-3356 Halliburton (575) 746-2757 B. J. Services (575) 746-3569 Flight For Life - Lubbock, TX (806) 743-9911 Aerocare - Lubbock, TX (806) 747-8923 Med Flight Air Amb - Albuquerque, NM (575) 842-4433 Lifeguard Air Med Svc. Albuquerque, NM (575) 272-3115	6

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