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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural
Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141
Revised August 24, 2018
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	
District RP	
Facility ID	
Application ID	

Release Notification

Responsible Party

Responsible Party Chevron U.S.A., Inc.	OGRID 4323
Contact Name Jessica Zemen	Contact Telephone 432-530-9187
Contact email jessicazemen@chevron.com	Incident # (assigned by OCD)
Contact mailing address 6301 Deauville Blvd. Midland, TX 79706	

Location of Release Source

Latitude 32.06575 Longitude -104.18026
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name: Cicada Unit #001H	Site Type: Gas
Date Release Discovered 2/12/2021	API# (if applicable): 30-015-43929

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
N	03	26S	27E	Eddy

Surface Owner: State Federal Tribal Private (Name: _____)

Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf): 1250	Volume Recovered (Mcf): 0
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

Cause of Release

Due to the unprecedented severe winter weather event, HHNM 10 CS was impacted by freezing temperatures. This resulted in frozen transmitters and that prevented communication with a compressor, leading to an automatic shutdown of the compressor, resulting in flaring.

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release? The flaring amount released exceeded 500 MCF.
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If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?

Jessica Zemen sent an email on February 13,2021 at 7:34 AM to Ramona Marcus detailing the flaring event.

Initial Response

The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The source of the release has been stopped. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices. <input type="checkbox"/> All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.

If all the actions described above have not been undertaken, explain why:

Released material was not a liquid therefore the fourth option does not apply.

Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD 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 OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD 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.

Printed Name: _____ Jessica Zemen _____ Title: _____ Lead Environmental Specialist, Field Support _____

Signature: Jessica K Zemen Date: _____ 3/2/2021 _____

email: _____ jessicazemen@chevron.com _____ Telephone: _____ 432-530-9187 _____

OCD Only

Received by: _____ Date: _____

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3. Time of Event							1. Vented	2. Calculating Volumetric Release Rate for VRU Releases Incapable of				3. Gaseous Volumetric Release	
Date of discovery	Time of Discovery or Scheduled Activity	Date of start of event or Scheduled	Time of Start of Event or Scheduled	Date of end of event or Scheduled	Time of est. or actual end of event or Scheduled	Duration of Event in Hours	Vent or Flare	Is Volume Metered, Estimated or Otherwise Known?	Daily Production (barrels of / day)	Site-specific GOR Available?	Site-specific GOR (scf gas / barrel oil)	Value	Units
2/12/2021	5:00:00	2/12/2021	5:00:00	2/12/2021	8:00:00	3.00	Flare					1250	mscf/event

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CONDITIONS

Action 19552

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Operator:	CHEVRON U S A INC	6301 Deauville Blvd	Midland, TX79706	OGRID:	4323	Action Number:	19552	Action Type:	C-141
OCD Reviewer				Condition					
chensley				Condition	None				