

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, 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

Form C-141
Revised March 17, 1999

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

30-015-38454

Release Notification and Corrective Action

NMLB/1205232067

OPERATOR



Initial Report



Final Report

Name of Company Devon Energy	6137	Contact Roger Hernandez
Address P. O. Box 250 Artesia, NM 88211		Telephone No. 575-748-5238
Facility Name Sirius 17 Fed # 2H		Facility Type Oil Well

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section 17	Township T19S	Range 31E	Feet from the 1590	North/South Line North	Feet from the 340	East/West Line East	County Eddy
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil	Volume of Release 20 bbls	Volume Recovered 20 bbls
Source of Release Gas Kimray Back Pressure Valve Malfunctioned Releasing Fluid	Date and Hour of Occurrence 2/9/12, 10:30 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 2/9/12, 10:30 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Justin Fry, BLM - Eddy County & Mike Bratcher, OCD	
By Whom?	Date and Hour 2/10/12, 4:13PM	
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.*

N/A

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NMOCD ARTESIA

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Upon arrival at the Sirius 17-2 Battery, the production operator discovered a 20 bbls oil spill that was maintained within the lined containment. The free water knock out popped off due to a back pressure regulator that was plumbed into the vent line. A vacuum truck was contacted for cleanup and oil was put in the frac tank on location. All 20 bbls of Oil was retained.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

NONE - all fluid was contained within lined containment and recovered by vacuum truck.

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: Gracie C. Bustamante		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Gracie C. Bustamante		Signed By <u>Mike Bratcher</u>	
Title: Field Tech		Approved by District Supervisor:	
Date: 2/13/12 Phone: (575) 746-5559		Approval Date: FEB 21 2012	Expiration Date: N/A
		Conditions of Approval: N/A	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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