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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
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Form C-141
Revised March 17, 1999

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side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

nMLB1215052644 OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Devon Energy <i>6137</i>	Contact Tracy Kidd
Address P. O. Box 250 Artesia, NM 88211	Telephone No. 575-513-0628
Facility Name Ross Ranch SWD	Facility Type Oil Well

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

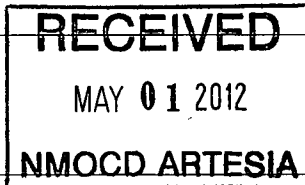
Unit Letter H	Section 10	Township 26S	Range 31E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line North	Feet from the 660	East/West Line East	County Eddy
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 100	Volume Recovered 100
Source of Release The Dump on the Free water knockout hung open.	Date and Hour of Occurrence 4/25/12, 6:00 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 4/25/12, 6:00 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jim Amos - BLM, Left Message with Mike Bratcher - OCD	
By Whom?	Date and Hour <i>4/27/12 8:30 AM</i>	
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



Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The dump on the free water knockout at the Snapping 2 St #7 hung open, sending a large volume of fluid to the gun barrel at the Ross Ranch SWD, causing it to overflow 100bbls of produced water into the lined containment.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The lease operator was contacted at 3:45 am by the night watchmen at the Ross Ranch SWD. The gun barrel on location was overflowing and spraying fluid. It was discovered that the dump on free water knockout at the Snapping 2 State #7 had hung open and sent all fluid and gas to the Ross Ranch SWD. The equipment malfunction caused an abnormal amount of fluids to transfer to the gun barrel, causing the tank to run over releasing 100bbls of produced water in a lined containment. The operator notified the foreman and was instructed to dispatch a vacuum truck to recover all fluids that were displaced and make arrangements to clean the tanks and containment.

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: <i>Gracie Bustamante</i>		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Gracie Bustamante		Approved by <i>Signed By Mike Bratcher</i> District Supervisor	
Title: Adm. Field Support		Approval Date: MAY 29 2012	Expiration Date:
Date: 4/27/12 Phone: (575) 746-5561		Conditions of Approval: <i>Submit</i>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

C-141 Final Report

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