

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

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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
220 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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

nJMW 1302251869

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Devon Energy 6137	Contact Jerry Chaney
Address P. O. Box 250 Artesia, NM 88211	Telephone No. 575-748-7446
Facility Name Strawberry 7 Federal #2	Facility Type Oil Well

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

API 30-015-32375

Unit Letter B	Section 7	Township 19S	Range 31E	Feet from the 1300	North/South Line NORTH	Feet from the 1750	East/West Line EAST	County EDDY
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release OIL	Volume of Release 35 BBLS	Volume Recovered 32 BBLS
Source of Release OPEN BACK VALVE	Date and Hour of Occurrence 01/13/13, 8:30 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 01/13/13, 8:30 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? BLM/Mike Bratcher & OCD/ Left Message	
By Whom? Jerry Chaney	Date and Hour 01/13/2013, BLM 2:50 PM, OCD 2:55 PM	
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.*

At the Strawberry 7 Fed 2, a back valve was left open causing a 35 barrel spill of oil.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

At the Strawberry 7 Fed 2, a back valve was left open causing a 35 barrel spill of oil. The night watchman switched to the frac tank and was not aware of the back valve being opened. No bull plug was utilized therefore the oil began to flow into the ground. Once the pumper arrived he immediately closed the valve and contacted a vacuum truck. At this time 32 barrels were recovered.

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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: Gracie Bustamante

Printed Name: Gracie Bustamante

Title: Field Adm Support

Date: 01/14/13 Phone: (575) 746-5561

Approved by District Supervisor:

Signed By

Mike Bratcher

JAN 22 2013

Approval Date:

Expiration Date:

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per OCD Rule &
Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION**

PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:

Feb 22, 2013

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