

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., 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  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

## Release Notification and Corrective Action

### OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company <b>Devon Energy</b>	Contact <b>Kenny Kidd</b>	
Address <b>PO Box 250 Artesia, NM 88211</b>	Telephone No. <b>575- 513-8545</b>	
Facility Name <b>Gaucha Unit 7</b>	Facility Type <b>Gas</b>	
Surface Owner: State of N	Mineral Owner:	API No. <b>30-025-34440</b>

### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter <b>K</b>	Section <b>17</b>	Township <b>22S</b>	Range <b>34E</b>	Feet from the <b>1650</b>	North/South Line <b>SOUTH</b>	Feet from the <b>1980</b>	East/West Line <b>West</b>	County <b>LEA</b>
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Latitude: N32°23'20.341" Longitude: W103°29'39.128"

### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: <b>Produced Water</b>	Volume of Release <b>260bbbls</b>	Volume Recovered <b>260bbbls</b>
Source of Release: <b>A lightning strike</b>	Date and Hour of Occurrence <b>June 23, 2014 11:30 PM</b>	Date and Hour of Discovery <b>June 23, 2014 11:30 PM</b>
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? <b>Kenny Kidd-Foreman/Garry Michael-Assistant Foreman/Matt Nettles-Assistant Foreman/Hub Perry-Night Production Foreman/Jerry Mathews-Production Superintendent</b>	
By Whom? <b>Charles McMahan</b>	Date and Hour: <b>June 23, 2014 11:30 PM</b>	
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.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\* **A lightning strike occurred blowing off the top of a 500 barrel produced water tank causing approximately 260 barrels of produced water to be released. The night lease operator shut the well in and due to extreme lightning in the area, the decision was made to proceed with vacuum services the proceeding day. On June 24, 2014, Basic was called for vacuum services. Approximately 260 barrels of produced water was recovered from lined dike.**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

**The area affected was 25 feet wide by 60 feet long. Talon LPE was contacted to perform the site assessment and soil sampling activities.**

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>Shammy Ingram</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: <b>Shammy Ingram</b>	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: <b>Field Admin Support</b>	Approval Date: <b>6-27-14</b>	Expiration Date: _____
E-mail Address: <b>Shammy.Ingram@dvn.com</b>	Conditions of Approval: <b>none</b>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <b>June 26, 2014</b> Phone: <b>575-748-0174</b>	<b>6-14-7119</b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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