

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

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

**0AB1517455620** **OPERATOR** ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

<b>Name of Company</b> Devon Energy Production <b>10137</b>	<b>Contact</b> Rudy Zuniga
<b>Address</b> 6488 Seven Rivers Hwy Artesia, NM 88220	<b>Telephone No.</b> 575-390-5435
<b>Facility Name</b> Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H	<b>Facility Type</b> Oil

<b>Surface Owner</b> Federal	<b>Mineral Owner</b> Federal	<b>API No.</b> 30-015-41159
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
I	22	19S	31E	2030	FSL	225	FEL	Eddy

Latitude: 32.6442938790538

Longitude: -103.849275635804

NATURE OF RELEASE

<b>Type of Release</b> Spill	<b>Volume of Release</b> 5.5bbl	<b>Volume Recovered</b> 2bbls
<b>Source of Release</b> wellhead parted	<b>Date and Hour of Occurrence</b> June 16, 2015 9:33 AM	<b>Date and Hour of Discovery</b> June 16, 2015 9:33 AM
<b>Was Immediate Notice Given?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	<b>If YES, To Whom?</b> Jim Amos, BLM Mike Bratcher, OCD <b>NM OIL CONSERVATION</b> ARTESIA DISTRICT	
<b>By Whom?</b> Lynn Smith	<b>Date and Hour</b> Jim Amos, BLM June 16, 2015 10:28 AM Mike Bratcher, OCD June 16, 2015 10:32 AM	<b>JUN 23 2015</b>
<b>Was a Watercourse Reached?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<b>If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse</b> N/A	<b>RECEIVED</b>
<b>If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*</b> N/A		
<b>Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*</b> On June 16, 2015 9:33 AM at the Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H the well parted above the polish rod which caused the rods to then fall down thru the polish rod itself which in turn then caused a release on location of 5bbls oil and produce water mix on location and a .5bbl mist into pasture. Shut well in and a new valve and plug was installed.		
<b>Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*</b> The spill was located on the Southwest corner of location and into the pasture. A vac truck was able to recover 2bbls oil and produced water from location. The contaminated dirt will be removed and replaced with fresh dirt and the wellhead and pasture will be pressure washed.		
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.		
<b>Signature:</b> Sheila Fisher	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
<b>Printed Name:</b> Sheila Fisher	<b>Approved by Environmental Specialist:</b> 	
<b>Title:</b> Field Admin Support	<b>Approval Date:</b> 6/23/15	<b>Expiration Date:</b> N/A
<b>E-mail Address:</b> Sheila.Fisher@dmn.com	<b>Conditions of Approval:</b>	
<b>Date:</b> <b>Phone:</b> 575.748.1829	<b>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules &amp; Guidelines</b> Attached <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO</b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

LATER THAN: 7/24/15

2RP-3045

**Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Fisher, Sheila <Sheila.Fisher@dvn.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 23, 2015 7:48 AM  
**To:** Jim Amos (jamos@blm.gov); jlrobertson@blm.gov; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Fulks, Brett; Zuniga, Rudy; Smith, Lynn; Armendariz, Jesse; Mobley, Wade  
**Subject:** Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H\_5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release\_6.16.15  
**Attachments:** C-141 Initial\_Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H\_5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release\_6.16.15.doc; Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H\_5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release\_GIS Image\_6.16.15.Word.docx; Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H\_5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release\_photo 1 of 4\_6.16.15.JPG; Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H\_5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release\_photo 2 of 4\_6.16.15.JPG; Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H\_5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release\_photo 3 of 4\_6.16.15.JPG; Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H\_5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release\_photo 4 of 4\_6.16.15.JPG

Good Morning,

Attached please find the Initial C-141, GIS Image and photos for the 5.5bbl oil & produced water mix release at the Aquila 22 Fed Com 4H.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

*Sheila Fisher*  
Field Admin Support  
Production  
A-Schedule

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