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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
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ARTESIA DISTRICT

Form C-141  
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1602526481 6137 OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: <b>Devon Energy Production Co LP (6137)</b>	Contact: <b>Jeff Heath, Devon Completions Asst. Foreman</b>	
Address: <b>PO Box 250 Artesia, NM 88211</b>	Telephone No. <b>575-513-2274</b>	
Facility Name: <b>Cotton Draw Unit #292H</b>	Facility Type: <b>Oil Well</b>	
Surface Owner: <b>State</b>	Mineral Owner: <b>State</b>	API No. <b>30-015-43261</b>

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
K	36	24S	31E	1785	South	1882	West	Eddy

Latitude: 32.171190 Longitude: -103.733350

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: <b>Treated Produced Water</b>	Volume of Release: <b>15 barrels</b>	Volume Recovered: <b>0 barrels</b>
Source of Release: <b>Water Transfer Line</b>	Date and Hour of Occurrence <b>1/20/2016; 4:00 AM</b>	Date and Hour of Discovery <b>1/20/2016; 4:00 AM</b>
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? <b>Mike Bratcher - OCD</b>	
By Whom? <b>Jeff Heath - Devon Completions Asst. Foreman</b>	Date and Hour: <b>1/20/2016; 4:00 PM</b>	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. <b>NA</b>	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* <b>NA</b>		

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

A treated produced water transfer line going from the Trionyx Water Treatment Pond to the Cotton Draw Unit #292H developed a leak on to the lease road and the pipeline easement following the lease road. The water pumps were shut down immediately, line pinchers were applied to stop the release and isolate the damaged area, and the damaged section of line was replaced. The line had been split and the cause is under investigation at this time, but it appears to have been struck by a vehicle.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The spill area affected is approximately 50' x 200' on the pipeline easement following the lease road. A central location of the spill is: Lat - N 32.17119; Long - W -103.73335, running North and South, and is approximately 0.8 miles Southwest of the Cotton Draw Unit #292H. An estimated 15 barrels of treated produced water was spilled and none was recovered, all water soaked into the sand. An environmental company will be called to test and create a remediation plan for submittal.

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: <u>Denise Menoud</u>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: <b>Denise Menoud</b>	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <u>[Signature]</u>	
Title: <b>Field Admin Support</b>	Approval Date: <u>1/25/16</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: <b>Denise.Menoud@dvn.com</b>	Conditions of Approval: <b>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules &amp; Guidelines</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO</b>	
Date: <b>1/21/2016</b> Phone: <b>575-746-5544</b>	<b>LATER THAN: <u>1/25/16</u></b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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## **Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Menoud, Denise <Denise.Menoud@dvn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, January 22, 2016 12:28 PM  
**To:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Menoud, Denise; Heath, Jeff  
**Subject:** Initial C-141: CDU 292H  
**Attachments:** Initial C-141 CDU 292H PW spill 1.20.16 with map and pics.PDF

Please see attached Initial C-141 for the CDU 292H.

Thank you.

### ***Denise Menoud***

Admin Field Support 4 / Completions  
Devon Energy Production Co. LP/Artesia NM  
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