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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
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NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

SEP 22 2016

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1626756642

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	Devon Energy Production Company	Contact	Jake Harrington, Production Foreman
Address	6488 Seven Rivers Hwy Artesia, NM 88210	Telephone No.	432-214-5175
Facility Name	Cotton Draw Unit SWD 181 transfer line	Facility Type	Salt Water Disposal

Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner	Federal	API No	30-015-41649
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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
H	36	24S	31E	1568	North	1189	East	Eddy

Latitude: 32.1767349

Longitude: -103.7268524

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced water	Volume of Release 15bbls	Volume Recovered 0bbls
Source of Release Transfer line	Date and Hour of Occurrence September 20, 2016 @ 10:40 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery September 20, 2016 @ 10:40 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Shelly Tucker, BLM Mike Bratcher, OCD	
By Whom? Mike McMahan, Asst. Production Foreman	Date and Hour Shelly Tucker, BLM September 20, 2016 @ 4:00 PM Mike Bratcher, OCD September 20, 2016 @ 4:05 PM	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Due to erosion the main steel transfer line for the Salt Water Disposal developed a hole. The line was immediately shut in to stop the release. Repairs have been made and the line is back in service.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Approximately 15bbls produced water was released in the right of way from the produced water transfer line that carries water to the Cotton Draw Unit SWD 181. This part of the transfer line is located nearest to the Cotton Draw Unit 167H Battery. All fluid stayed in the right of way in approximately an 80'x45' area. 0bbls produced water was recovered from the right of way. An environmental agency will be contacted for remediation.

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: *Sheila Fisher*

Printed Name: Sheila Fisher

Title: Field Admin Support

E-mail Address: Sheila.fisher@dm.com

Date: 9/22/16

Phone: 575.748.1829

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signed By *Mike Bratcher*

Approved by Environmental Specialist:

Approval Date: 9/23/16

Expiration Date: N/A

Conditions of Approval:

Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines

SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO

LATER THAN: 10/26/16

Attached ☐

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-3005

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Fisher, Sheila <Sheila.Fisher@dvn.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 1:55 PM
To: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Shelly Tucker (stucker@blm.gov)
Cc: Harrington, Jake; Carter, Ray; McMahan, Mike; Fulks, Brett
Subject: Cotton Draw Unit SWD 181 transfer line_15bbls pw release_9.20.16
Attachments: Cotton Draw Unit SWD 181 transfer line_15bbl pw release_Initial C-141_9.20.16.doc;
Cotton Draw Unit SWD 181 transfer line_15bbl pw release_GIS Image_9.20.16.pdf;
Cotton Draw Unit SWD 181 transfer line_15bbl pw release_pic 1 of 13_9.20.16.JPG;
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Good Afternoon,

Attached please find the Initial C-141, GIS Image and photos for the 15bbl produced water release at the Cotton Draw Unit SWD 181 on 9.20.16.

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

Thank you,

Sheila Fisher
Field Admin Support
Production
B-Schedule

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