NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

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Name of Co			3D8D		Contact: Johnny Titsworth							
Address: Bur	nett Plaza-Ste	1500, 801 Cherry	ort Worth, TX 76102	-	Telephone No. (432) 425-2891							
Facility Nar	ne: Gisslei	r B 90			Facility Type: Well							
Surface Ow	ner: BLM		Mineral C)wner:	BLM API No. 30-015-41114							
LOCATION OF RELEASE												
Unit Letter J	Section 11	Township 17S	Range 30E	Feet from the 1500	North/ FSL	South Line	Feet from the 1610	East/West Line FEL		County Eddy		
Latitude: 32.84584 Longitude: -103.93927												
NATURE OF RELEASE												
Type of Rele			····					Volume Recovered 0/0 bbls				
Source of Release: well head							Date and Hour of Occurrence: 9/14/17 8:00 am			Date and Hour of Discovery 9/14/17 9:00 am		
Was Immediate Notice Given? X Yes □ No □ Not Required						If YES, To Whom? OCD – M. Bratcher BLM – S. Tucker						
By Whom? Johnny Titsworth						Date and Hour: 9/14/17 10:00 am						
Was a Water	course Read	No		If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.								
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*												
N/A												
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* liner slipped on wellhead and released approx. 7 bbls of total fluid. Well has been repaired and put back into service. The area will be sampled and remediated to regulatory standards.												
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* approx. 2'x 100' feet on the well pad & approx. 2'x 30' in pasture (SW side of location) with a 5'x3' pooling area.												
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.												
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Signature:	(//h			Approved by Environmental Specialist like Beautism								
Printed Nam	e: Johnny T			Approved by Environmental specialist								
Title: HSE Coordinator							Approval Date: 91817 Expiration Date: NIA					
E-mail Addr	ess: jtitswo			Conditions of Approval: Attached Attached								
Date: 9/	14/17		Phone: ((432) 425-2891		See attached Attached 2RD-4388						

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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Operator/Responsible Party,

It is the Division's obligation under both the Oil & Gas Act and Water Quality Act to provide for the protection of public health and the environment. Our regulations (19.15.29.11 NMAC) state the following,

The responsible person shall complete <u>division-approved corrective action</u> for releases that endanger public health or the environment. The responsible person shall address releases in accordance with a remediation plan submitted to and approved by the division or with an abatement plan submitted in accordance with 19.15.30 NMAC. [emphasis added]

Release characterization is the first phase of corrective action unless the release is ongoing or is of limited volume and all impacts can be immediately addressed. Proper and cost-effective remediation typically cannot occur without adequate characterization of the impacts of any release. Furthermore, the Division has the ability to impose reasonable conditions upon the efforts it oversees. As such, the Division is requiring a workplan for the characterization of impacts associated with this release be submitted to the OCD District 2 office in ARTESIA on or before 10/14/2017. If and when the release characterization workplan is approved, there will be an associated deadline for submittal of the resultant investigation report. Modest extensions of time to these deadlines may be granted, but only with acceptable justification.

The goals of a characterization effort are: 1) determination of the lateral and vertical extents along with the magnitude of soil contamination. 2) determine if groundwater or surface waters have been impacted. 3) If groundwater or surface waters have been impacted, what are the extents and magnitude of that impact. 4) The characterization of any other adverse impacts that may have occurred (examples: impacts on vegetation, impacts on wildlife, air quality, loss of use of property, etc.). To meet these goals as quickly as possible, the following items must, at a minimum, be addressed in the release characterization workplan and subsequent reporting:

- Horizontal delineation of soil impacts in each of the four cardinal compass directions. Adsorbed soil contamination must be characterized for the following constituents using the associated laboratory methods: benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes by either Method 8260 or 8021, total petroleum hydrocarbons by Method 8015 extended range (GRO+DRO+MRO; C₆ thru C₃₆), and for chloride by Method 300. This is not an exclusive list of potential contaminants. Analyzed parameters should be modified based on the nature of the released substance(s). Soil sampling must be both within the impacted area and beyond.
- Vertical delineation of soil impacts. Adsorbed soil contamination must be characterized for the following constituents using the associated laboratory methods: benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes by either Method 8260 or 8021, total petroleum hydrocarbons by Method 8015 extended range (GRO+DRO+MRO; C₆ thru C₃₆), and for chloride by Method 300. As above, this is not an exclusive list of potential contaminants and can be modified. Vertical characterization samples should be taken at depth intervals no greater than five feet apart. Lithologic description of encountered soils must also be provided. At least ten vertical feet of soils with contaminant concentrations at or below these values must be demonstrated as existing above the water table.
- Nominal detection limits for field and laboratory analyses must be provided.
- Composite sampling is not generally allowed.
- Field screening and assessment techniques are acceptable (headspace, titration, EC [include algorithm for validation purposes], EM, etc.), but the sampling and assay procedures must be clearly defined. Copies of field notes are highly desirable. A statistically significant set of split samples must be submitted for confirmatory laboratory analysis, including the laterally farthest and vertically deepest sets of soil samples. Make sure there are at least two soil samples submitted

for laboratory analysis from each borehole or test pit (highest observed contamination and deepest depth investigated). Copies of the actual laboratory results must be provided including chain of custody documentation.

- •Probable depth to shallowest protectable groundwater and lateral distance to nearest surface water. If there is an estimate of groundwater depth, the information used to arrive at that estimate must be provided. If there is a reasonable assumption that the depth to protectable water is 50 feet or less, the responsible party should anticipate the need for at least one groundwater monitoring well to be installed in the area of likely maximum contamination.
- If groundwater contamination is encountered, an additional investigation workplan may be required to determine the extents of that contamination. Groundwater and/or surface water samples, if any, must be analyzed by a competent laboratory for volatile organic hydrocarbons (typically Method 8260 full list), total dissolved solids, pH, major anions and cations including chloride and sulfate, dissolved iron, and dissolved manganese. The investigation workplan must provide the groundwater sampling method(s) and sample handling protocols. To the fullest extent possible, aqueous analyses must be undertaken using nominal method detection limits. As with the soil analyses, copies of the actual laboratory results must be provided including chain of custody documentation.
- Accurately scaled and well-drafted site maps must be provided providing the location of borings, test pits, monitoring wells, potentially impacted areas, and significant surface features including roads and site infrastructure that might limit either the release characterization or remedial efforts. Field sketches may be included in subsequent reporting, but should not be considered stand-alone documentation of the site's layout. Digital photographic documentation of the location and fieldwork is recommended, especially if unusual circumstances are encountered.

Nothing herein should be interpreted to preclude emergency response actions or to imply immediate remediation by removal cannot proceed as warranted. Nonetheless, characterization of impacts and confirmation of the effectiveness of remedial efforts must still be provided to the OCD before any release incident will be closed.

Jim Griswold
OCD Environmer

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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Johnny Titsworth <jtitsworth@burnettoil.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 14, 2017 10:40 AM

To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD; Tucker, Shelly

Cc:Kyle Adams; Leslie GarvisSubject:Gissler B 90 releaseAttachments:GB 90 Initial C-141.pdf

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We had a release this morning on the Gissler B 90 well location. The majority of the release stayed on the well location, with approx. 2'-3' x 35' going of the SW corner of the location. The well has been repaired and put back into service. The impacted area will be sampled and sent in for analysis. A work plan will be submitted once we have received the analytical. Let us know if you have any questions or concerns. Thanks

Johnny Titsworth

HSE COORDINATOR

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