From: <u>Tucker, Shelly</u>
To: <u>Christine Alderman</u>

Cc: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Gloria Garza

 Subject:
 Re: Hornsby 35 Fed 3H (30-015-42208)

 Date:
 Monday, December 14, 2015 12:00:32 PM

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Going through my files....what is the status of this release? I do not have a work plan or closure.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Shelly J Tucker

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On Tue, Oct 27, 2015 at 12:44 PM, Christine Alderman < calderman@cimarex.com > wrote:

Here you go.

Christine Alderman

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From: Tucker, Shelly [mailto:stucker@blm.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, October 27, 2015 10:25 AM

To: Christine Alderman

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I do not have a C-141 or a WP for this release...what is the status?

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On Mon, Jul 27, 2015 at 2:15 PM, Tucker, Shelly <<u>stucker@blm.gov</u>> wrote:

Thank you for your notification...

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On Mon, Jul 27, 2015 at 12:32 PM, Christine Alderman < calderman@cimarex.com > wrote:

Yesterday, 7/26/2015, we had a release at the above mentioned lease. A 4" poly flow-line ruptured near the transfer pump. The release was the result of a faulty check valve causing the line to overpressure.

A total of 59 bbls were released. 45 bbls were in a lined containment and were recovered. 14 bbls were just outside of the containment on the location pad, and 10 bbls were recovered.

A C-141 will be sent ASAP, and a work plan will be developed.

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