

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

OCD Rec'd:08/10/18

Form C-141
Revised April 3, 2017

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

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: XTO Energy BOPCO OGRID: 260737	Contact: Kyle Littrell	
Address: 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220	Telephone No: 432-221-7331	
Facility Name: Big Sinks 7-25-31 Battery (API# for PLU CVX JV BS 017H)	Facility Type: Exploration and Production	
Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No: 30-015-40447

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C	Section 7	Township 25S	Range 31E	Feet from the 150	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.152293 Longitude -1036.819084 NAD83

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil and produced water	Volume of Release 75bbl produced water, 1bbl oil	Volume Recovered 74bbl produced water, 1bbl oil
Source of Release Test separator	Date and Hour of Occurrence 7/26/2018, AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 7/26/2018, 7:00 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher and Maria Pruett (NMOCD), Jim Amos and Shelly Tucker (BLM)	
By Whom? Jake Foust	Date and Hour: 7/27/2018, 7:34 AM	
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		

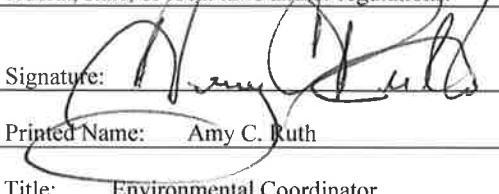
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Fuel gas regulators and dump supply lines on test separator became clogged. This caused flare back pressure valve to fail to open, releasing fluid through pop-off. Blocked lines were cleaned out and separator returned to service.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Approximately a barrel of overspray impacted the caliche pad. All other fluid was contained within impervious lined containment. Vacuum truck recovered 75bbl of fluid from inside containment. An environmental contractor has been retained to assist with remediation efforts.

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: 		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Amy C. Ruth		Approved by Environmental Specialist: Maria Pruett	
Title: Environmental Coordinator		Approval Date: 08/11/18	Expiration Date: 08/14/18
E-mail Address: Amy_Ruth@xtoenergy.com		Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 8/9/2018	Phone: 575-689-3380	Confirm location of spill	2RP-4914

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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