

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

NM OIL CONSERVATION Form C-141
ARTESIA DISTRICT Revised August 8, 2011

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

Submit to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1602736761 OPERATOR Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company <i>Devon Energy Production</i> <i>0137</i>	Contact Ruben Garcia Production Assistant Foreman	
Address 6488 Seven Rivers Hwy Artesia, NM 88220	Telephone No. 575.748.5209	
Facility Name Merlyn 27-22 Fed 1H	Facility Type Oil	
Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-015-42385

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C	Section 34	Township 21S	Range 31E	Feet from the 1165	North/South Line FNL	Feet from the 2385	East/West Line FWL	County Eddy
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Latitude: 32.4389978 Longitude: -103.7660508

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Spill Oil	Volume of Release 5 BBLS	Volume Recovered 5 BBLS
Source of Release Victaulic clamp	Date and Hour of Occurrence 1/24/16 @ 2:00 pm	Date and Hour of Discovery 1/24/16 @ 2:00 pm
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jim Amos - BLM Mike Bratcher - OCD	
By Whom? Ruben Garcia Production Assistant Foreman	Date and Hour 1/26/16 @ 11:00 am - BLM 1/26/16 @ 11:05 am - OCD	
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.*

The 3 inch victaulic clamp from the vapor recovery tower going to the oil tank broke. Lease operator shut the well in to prevent further release. The victaulic clamp has now been replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

5 BBLS oil released and 5 BBLS oil recovered. A vacuum truck was called out for cleanup, all remained inside lined containment. The liner was checked for holes and no holes found, no further action required.

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: <i>Jeanette Barron</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: <i>Jeanette Barron</i>	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Title: Field Admin Support	Approval Date: <i>1/27/16</i>	Expiration Date: <i>N/A</i>
E-mail Address: <i>Jeanette.barron@dvn.com</i>	Conditions of Approval: FINAL	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 1/26/16 Phone: 575.748.1813		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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