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1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141
Revised March 17, 1999
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Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
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with Rule 116 on back
side of form
OCD-AR-ESIA

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company Devon Energy Production Company, LP	Contact <input type="checkbox"/> Jerry Mathews
Address P. O. Box 250, Artesia, NM 88210	Telephone No. <input type="checkbox"/> (505) 748-5234
Facility Name North Pure Gold 9 -1	Facility Type <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No. <input type="checkbox"/> NM-77046
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section 9	Township 023S	Range 031E	Feet from the 330	North/South Line South	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Water Spill	Volume of Release 84 bbls	Volume Recovered <input type="checkbox"/> 6 bbls
Source of Release Valve on water tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 9-8-07 9:15 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 9-8-07 9:15 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Don Mayberry 9:20 AM	
By Whom? <input type="checkbox"/>	Date and Hour <input type="checkbox"/>	
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.*

Truck driver closed left intake valve on water tank and left it closed, therefore causing the tank to run over. Spill was contained in dike.

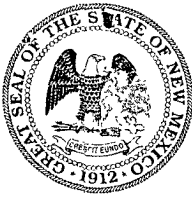
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

60'x 105' area was involved, vacuum truck was called but most of the water had soaked into the ground inside of the dike. Soil samples are attached.

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>Jerry Mathews</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Jerry Mathews	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>[Signature]</i> OCT 11 2007	
Title: Production Foreman	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
Date: October 5, 2007 Phone: 748-5234	See Attached Stipulations Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Oil Conservation Division

October 11, 2007

Devon Energy Production Co., LP
PO Box 250
Artesia, NM 88210

ATTN: Jerry Mathews

RE: North Pure Gold 9 #1

Dear Sir:

This office is in receipt of your C-141 on the oil and produced water release, at this facility.

NMOCD Rule 19.15.3.116 states in part ... "The responsible person must complete division approved corrective action for releases which endanger public health or the environment. Releases will be addressed in accordance with a remediation plan submitted to and approved by the division or with an abatement plan submitted in accordance with Section 19 of 19.15.1 NMAC."

Information and tools for proper corrective action may be found in the Environmental Handbook on our web site www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd under the heading publications.

Remediation requirements may be subject to other federal, state and local laws or regulations.

Within 7 days, **on or before October 17, 2007**, completion of a remediation plan should be finalized and a report summarizing all actions taken to mitigate environmental damage related to the leak, spill or release will be provided to OCD for approval.

Please be advised that NMOCD acceptance and/or approval of documents or work plans 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 and/or approval of documents or work plans do not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If I may be of further service or if you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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