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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 October 10, 2003

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OCD-ARTESIA

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

30-015-33792

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Southwestern Energy Production Co.	Contact: Bruce Drummond
Address: 2350 N. Sam Houston Pkwy East, Suite 125	Telephone No. 575-393-1850
Facility Name: No Bluff Glorieta Central Facility	Facility Type: Tank Battery for Produced Water

Surface Owner: State of New Mexico	Mineral Owner: State of New Mexico	Lease No. 30-015-33792
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section 36	Township 17 South	Range 27 East	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.79586 Longitude 104.2376

NATURE OF RELEASE

132 bbls

100 bbls

Type of Release: Spill	Volume of Release: 5544 Gallons	Volume Recovered: 4200 Gallons
Source of Release: Tank Battery	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12-18-2007 0900 hrs	Date and Hour of Discovery 12-18-2007 1600 hrs
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jerry Guy	
By Whom? Bruce Drummond	Date and Hour 12-19-07 0800 hrs	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Contract Pumper Negligence. Lease salt water transfer pump had been shut in for repairs & produced water was being trucked from facility. Contract relief pumper arrived on location @ approx 0700 hrs; found lease had been shut in by safety system. He reset safety system and returned lease to production without gauging tanks. Production was shut in, called out vacuum truck. Informed relief pumper of importance of safety systems and following policy.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Pumper returned to Lease @ 1600 hrs and found 500 BBL produced water tank overflowing into containment dyke. Vacuum truck recovered 100 bbls of fluid from inside the dyke and hauled to disposal. Estimated non recovered fluid @ 32 bbls, area of impacted soil inside containment dyke was 25' X 45' with a Maximum penetration of 4". 42 yards of impacted soil was properly disposed. Soil samples were taken for lab analysis. New soil was hauled in and new soil samples were taken for analytical.

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: <u>R. Wayne Holder</u>		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: <u>R. WAYNE HOLDER</u>		Approved by District Supervisor: <u>[Signature]</u>	
Title: <u>HSE COORDINATOR</u>		Approval Date: <u>JAN 07 2008</u> Expiration Date:	
E-mail Address: <u>Wayne.holder@swn.com</u>		Conditions of Approval:	
Date: <u>1-2-2008</u> Phone: <u>281-618-7302</u>		Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

**See Attached
Stipulations**

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Guye, Gerry, EMNRD

From: Guye, Gerry, EMNRD
Sent: Monday, January 07, 2008 11:01 AM
To: 'wayne.holder@swn.com'
Subject: C-141 for release on No. Bluff Glorieta CF

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 30 days, **on or before February 7, 2008**, completion of a remediation work plan should be finalized and submitted to the Division, summarizing all actions taken or to be taken to mitigate environmental damage related to the leak, spill or release, 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.

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1/7/2008