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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Release Notification and Corrective Action											
MB1801742031						OPERATOR			X Initial Report Final Report		
Name of Company: EOG Y Resources, Inc 25675						Contact: Chase Settle				•	•
Address: 104 South 4th Street, Artesia, NM						Telephone No.: 575-748-4171					
Facility Name: Mobil CI #4 Pipeline						Facility Type: Pipeline					
Surface Owner: Private Mineral Owner:						Federal			API No. 30-015-23212		
LOCATION OF RELEASE											
Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/S	South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line		County	
J	6	19S	25E	190	South		250	East		EDDY	
Latitude: 32.686980 Longitude: -104.52359 NAD83											
NATURE OF RELEASE											
Type of Release: Unknown						Volume of Release: Unknown			Volume Recovered: None		
Source of Release: Unknown						Date and Hour of Occurrence: Unknown			Date and Hour of Discovery 12/11/17 PM		
Was Immediate Notice Given? ☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Not Required						If YES, To Whom?					
By Whom?						Date and Hour:					
Was a Watercourse Reached? ☐ Yes ☒ No						If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.					
If a Watercou N/A	irse was Im	pacted, Descr	ibe Fully.	*							
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken. *											
During the investigation and cleanup of a non-reportable spill in the pasture of the Mobil CI #4 Pipeline, a much larger, historic spill was discovered going down past 10-feet bgs.											
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken. * Plan to continue to further investigate and delineate the spill and create a workplan that will be submitted to the NMOCD before continuing the cleanup.											
regulations al public health should their o	I operators or the envir operations h nment. In a	are required to ronment. The ave failed to a ddition, NMC	o report and acceptance acceptanc	e is true and comp nd/or file certain r ce of a C-141 repo v investigate and r otance of a C-141	elease no ort by the emediate	otifications ar NMOCD made contamination	nd perform correct arked as "Final R on that pose a thre	ctive action eport" do eat to gro	ons for rele ses not reli ound water	eases which m eve the opera , surface wate	nay endanger tor of liability er, human health
Signature: Chase Settle						OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION Approved by Environmental Specialist					
Printed Name					111110						
Title: Safety					Approval Dat			xpiration)	Date: N	1	
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Phone: 575-748-4171

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

1/14/18 AB

Date: December 21, 2017

Operator/Responsible Party,

The OCD has received the form C-141 you provided on 12/22/17 regarding an unauthorized release. The information contained on that form has been entered into our incident database and remediation case number <u>ALP 4545</u> has been assigned. Please refer to this case number in all future correspondence.

It is the Division's obligation under both the Oil & Gas Act and Water Quality Act to provide for the protection of public health and the environment. Our regulations (19.15.29.11 NMAC) state the following,

The responsible person shall complete <u>division-approved corrective action</u> for releases that endanger public health or the environment. The responsible person shall address releases in accordance with a remediation plan submitted to and approved by the division or with an abatement plan submitted in accordance with 19.15.30 NMAC. [emphasis added]

Release characterization is the first phase of corrective action unless the release is ongoing or is of limited volume and all impacts can be immediately addressed. Proper and cost-effective remediation typically cannot occur without adequate characterization of the impacts of any release. Furthermore, the Division has the ability to impose reasonable conditions upon the efforts it oversees. As such, the Division is requiring a workplan for the characterization of impacts associated with this release be submitted to the OCD District II office in Artesia on or before 1/27/18. If and when the release characterization workplan is approved, there will be an associated deadline for submittal of the resultant investigation report. Modest extensions of time to these deadlines may be granted, but only with acceptable justification.

The goals of a characterization effort are: 1) determination of the lateral and vertical extents along with the magnitude of soil contamination. 2) determine if groundwater or surface waters have been impacted. 3) If groundwater or surface waters have been impacted, what are the extents and magnitude of that impact. 4) The characterization of any other adverse impacts that may have occurred (examples: impacts on vegetation, impacts on wildlife, air quality, loss of use of property, etc.). To meet these goals as quickly as possible, the following items must, at a minimum, be addressed in the release characterization workplan and subsequent reporting:

- Horizontal delineation of soil impacts in each of the four cardinal compass directions. Adsorbed soil contamination must be characterized for the following constituents using the associated laboratory methods: benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes by either Method 8260 or 8021, total petroleum hydrocarbons by Method 8015 extended range (GRO+DRO+MRO; C₆ thru C₃₆), and for chloride by Method 300. This is not an exclusive list of potential contaminants. Analyzed parameters should be modified based on the nature of the released substance(s). Soil sampling must be both within the impacted area and beyond.
- Vertical delineation of soil impacts. Adsorbed soil contamination must be characterized for the following constituents using the associated laboratory methods: benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes by either Method 8260 or 8021, total petroleum hydrocarbons by Method 8015 extended range (GRO+DRO+MRO; C₆ thru C₃₆), and for chloride by Method 300. As above, this is not an exclusive list of potential contaminants and can be modified. Vertical characterization samples should be taken at depth intervals no greater than five feet apart. Lithologic description of encountered soils must also be provided. At least ten vertical feet of soils with contaminant concentrations at or below these values must be demonstrated as existing above the water table.
- Nominal detection limits for field and laboratory analyses must be provided.
- Composite sampling is not generally allowed.
- Field screening and assessment techniques are acceptable (headspace, titration, EC [include algorithm for validation purposes], EM, etc.), but the sampling and assay procedures must be clearly defined. Copies of field notes are highly desirable. A statistically significant set of split samples must be submitted for confirmatory laboratory analysis, including the laterally farthest and vertically deepest sets of soil samples. Make sure there are at least two soil samples submitted

for laboratory analysis from each borehole or test pit (highest observed contamination and deepest depth investigated). Copies of the actual laboratory results must be provided including chain of custody documentation.

- •Probable depth to shallowest protectable groundwater and lateral distance to nearest surface water. If there is an estimate of groundwater depth, the information used to arrive at that estimate must be provided. If there is a reasonable assumption that the depth to protectable water is 50 feet or less, the responsible party should anticipate the need for at least one groundwater monitoring well to be installed in the area of likely maximum contamination.
- If groundwater contamination is encountered, an additional investigation workplan may be required to determine the extents of that contamination. Groundwater and/or surface water samples, if any, must be analyzed by a competent laboratory for volatile organic hydrocarbons (typically Method 8260 full list), total dissolved solids, pH, major anions and cations including chloride and sulfate, dissolved iron, and dissolved manganese. The investigation workplan must provide the groundwater sampling method(s) and sample handling protocols. To the fullest extent possible, aqueous analyses must be undertaken using nominal method detection limits. As with the soil analyses, copies of the actual laboratory results must be provided including chain of custody documentation.
- Accurately scaled and well-drafted site maps must be provided providing the location of borings, test pits, monitoring wells, potentially impacted areas, and significant surface features including roads and site infrastructure that might limit either the release characterization or remedial efforts. Field sketches may be included in subsequent reporting, but should not be considered stand-alone documentation of the site's layout. Digital photographic documentation of the location and fieldwork is recommended, especially if unusual circumstances are encountered.

Nothing herein should be interpreted to preclude emergency response actions or to imply immediate remediation by removal cannot proceed as warranted. Nonetheless, characterization of impacts and confirmation of the effectiveness of remedial efforts must still be provided to the OCD before any release incident will be closed.

Jim Griswold

OCD Environmental Bureau Chief 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 505-476-3465 jim.griswold@state.nm.us

From: Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD

Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2018 1:59 PM

To: 'Heather Patterson'; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

Cc: Austin Weyant; Melodie Sanjari; Tucker, Shelly (stucker@blm.gov)

Subject: RE: C-141 Historic Mobil CI #4 Pipeline

Hello Heather,

Thank you for that. After you sent this I swear I went and checked all my emails for that date and my junk mail as well. I see below where you forwarded what she sent and I am on her sending list yet I got nothing. Our email box has become so ridiculous to deal with since IT and Outlook made their updates. I apologize for the confusion. Thank you for getting it to me again. I did get it this time.

I will discard the old one and give this new one to Amalia for processing.

Thanks again,

Crystal Weaver

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From: Heather Patterson [mailto:heather.patterson@soudermiller.com]

Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2018 1:54 PM

To: Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD <Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us>; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <mike.bratcher@state.nm.us> **Cc:** Austin Weyant <austin.weyant@soudermiller.com>; Melodie Sanjari <melodie.sanjari@soudermiller.com>; Tucker,

Shelly (stucker@blm.gov) <stucker@blm.gov>
Subject: FW: C-141 Historic Mobil CI #4 Pipeline

From: Melodie Sanjari

Sent: Wednesday, December 27, 2017 8:55 AM

To: Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD < <u>Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us</u>>; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD < <u>mike.bratcher@state.nm.us</u>> **Cc:** Austin Weyant < austin.weyant@soudermiller.com>; Heather Patterson < heather.patterson@soudermiller.com>;

Chase Settle < Chase Settle@eogresources.com >; Tucker, Shelly < stucker@blm.gov >

Subject: RE: C-141 Historic Mobil CI #4 Pipeline

Good Morning!

From: Heather Patterson < heather.patterson@soudermiller.com>

Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2018 1:53 PM

To: Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD; Melodie Sanjari; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

Cc: Austin Weyant; Chase Settle; Tucker, Shelly
Subject: RE: C-141 Historic Mobil CI #4 Pipeline

Melodie Sanjari responded and corrected this on 12/27/2017. I will resend her email, just in case you didn't get it.

From: Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD [mailto:Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us]

Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2018 1:50 PM

To: Melodie Sanjari <melodie.sanjari@soudermiller.com>; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <mike.bratcher@state.nm.us> **Cc:** Austin Weyant austin.weyant@soudermiller.com; Heather Patterson heather.patterson@soudermiller.com;

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Sent: Friday, December 22, 2017 2:13 PM

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Hello Chase/Melodie,

From:

Chase Settle < Chase_Settle@eogresources.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, January 16, 2018 1:56 PM

To:

Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD

Cc:

Melodie Sanjari; Heather Patterson; Austin Weyant

Subject:

FW: C-141 Historic Mobil CI #4 Pipeline

Attachments:

Mobile CI #4 Pipeline Initial C141.pdf

Crystal,

I was copied in the email that was sent from Melodie Sanjari with SMA on December 27, 2017. I believe this corrected the issues that you pointed out in your December 22, 2017 email.

Thank you,

Chase

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External email. Use caution.

Good Morning!

Attached is the initial C141 with those minor changes made. Thank you for bringing them to my attention!

Thank you everyone and Happy New Year!

Melodie Sanjari

Souder, Miller & Associates

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Hello Chase/Melodie,

I show the coordinates provided on the C-141 end up in Section 6, 19S 25E Unit Letter J, however, on the legal description on the C-141 form a different location is stated (completely different Section and Unit Letter). Can we get this either clarified or corrected please.

Thank you,

Crystal Weaver

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From: Melodie Sanjari [mailto:melodie.sanjari@soudermiller.com]

Sent: Friday, December 22, 2017 10:36 AM

To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD < <u>mike.bratcher@state.nm.us</u>>; Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD < <u>Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us</u>> **Cc:** Austin Weyant < <u>austin.weyant@soudermiller.com</u>>; Heather Patterson < <u>heather.patterson@soudermiller.com</u>>;

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Subject: C-141 Historic Mobil CI #4 Pipeline

Good Morning All,

Please find the attached initial C-141 for the historic spill found at the Mobil CI #4 Pipeline site.

Merry Christmas!

Melodie Sanjari

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