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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003
Submit 2 copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
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30-015-35556

Release Notification and Corrective Action

NMLB1030934407

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company-Cimarex Energy	162683	Contact- Randy Hogan
Address-600 N Marienfeld Ste 600, Midland Tx 79701		Telephone No.-432-296-0618
Facility Name- Crow Flats 16 State 2		Facility Type- Tank battery

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County - Eddy
M	-16	16S	28E	660	South	330	West	

Latitude-N32°55'01.7 Longitude-W104°11'17.9

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release- oil from circulating pump	Volume of Release-17 bbls	Volume Recovered-
Source of Release-Circulating pump	Date and Hour of Occurrence-10-12-10 6 PM MT	Date and Hour of Discovery 10-12-10 7 PM MT
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
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.*

Problem was the circulating pump was left unattended and a leak had developed. Pump wasn't inside the berm around the tank battery. Called for a truck to pick up fluids and no trucks were available. Will work w/ Safety Solutions to inspect the spill site then submit a recommendation for delineation and recovery.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Oil had leaked out of the circulating pump and onto the location pad. All the oil is supposedly contained on the pad, none off the pad site. Safety Solutions will respond to this and we will be coordinating the action to take on cleaning up this leakage. A written report and a recommendation will be given to the correct government agency for approval.

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>Randy Hogan</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Randy Hogan	Signed By: <i>M. L. Brannan</i>	
Title: Production Superintendent	Approval Date: NOV 05 2010	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: rhogan@cimarex.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 10-13-10 Phone: 432-296-0618	REMEDATION per OCD Rules and Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL BY: 12/5/2010	

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