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# State of Colorado

## Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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682600622**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

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**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 17180Name of Operator: CITATION OIL & GAS CORPAddress: 14077 CUTTEN RDCity: HOUSTON State: TX Zip: 77269**Status Summary:**

- ☒ THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION
- ☐ FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- ☐ NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

**Findings:**5 Number of Comments1 Number of Corrective Actions☒ Corrective Action Response Requested

**ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM  
PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT  
BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE**

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**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
207769	WELL	PR	05/01/2017	OW	017-06704	UPRC-SIMPSON 12-19 1	EI

**General Comment:**

This is a follow up inspection to COGCC Inspection #682600615 which found the Simpson 12-19 well venting gas via a 1 inch valve on 1/31/2019. Operator was informed of venting and stated they would get someone out to stop the venting on 1/31/2019. Follow up inspection on 2/13/2019 found that the operator had placed a threaded plug in the valve but methane gas was still venting through the plug (see attached video).

**Summary of issues:**

Operator is venting methane gas from well without prior approval from COGCC Engineering.

**Location**Overall Good: ☐

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment: Corrective Action: Date: Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume			

In Containment: No

Comment: ☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?**Venting:**

Yes/No	YES		
Comment:	Gas being vented or flared during non-upset condition without prior approval from COGCC. I observed a stream of gas being vented and a 4 gas meter detected methane gas. See attached video.		
Corrective Action:	Since the flaring or venting occurred after flowback without approval, contact the COGCC Area Engineer for next steps per Rule 912.b. if operator intends to continue venting.  If operator intends to cease venting operator should repair or replace valve and/or plug.	Date:	02/02/2019

**Flaring:**

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

**Inspected Facilities**Facility ID: 207769 Type: WELL API Number: 017-06704 Status: PR Insp. Status: EI**Attached Documents**You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
401939522	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4734460">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4734460</a>
682600630	Venting video	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4734458">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4734458</a>
682600631	Inspection photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4734459">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4734459</a>