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**State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Loc ID 305577 Inspector Name: Evins, Bret On-Site Inspection  2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_

**Status Summary:**

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

**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 69175  
Name of Operator: PDC ENERGY INC  
Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000  
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

**Findings:**

- 11 Number of Comments
- 0 Number of Corrective Actions
- Corrective Action Response Requested

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

**Contact Information:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
,		cogccinspection@pdce.com	<a href="#">All Inspections</a>
,		dnr_cogccengineering@state.co.us	
Schlagenhauf, Mark		mark.schlagenhauf@state.co.us	

**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
279286	WELL	SI	03/01/2019	OW	123-23181	WELLS RANCH 33-2	PA

**General Comment:**

This is a **PLUGGED & ABANDONED WELL / ABANDONED BATTERY** inspection.  
Well(s): 1: Plugged & Abandoned | PA.  
Battery: Abandoned. Most equipment removed except for 2 gas meter runs & risers.  
Reclamation progressing.  
Abandoned Battery SE corner GPS coordinates: 40.424265, -104.399137

Abandoned Centralized Battery formerly served 4 Location IDs (305577, 305576, 305569, 305568).  
(Well(s): 4: Plugged & Abandoned | PA).

Follow-up to Field Inspection Report doc. #696101889 dated 01/15/2020.

**Location**

Overall Good:

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Good Housekeeping:**

Type	UNUSED EQUIPMENT		
Comment:	<p>Prior insp:                  Unused Equipment at Abandoned Battery site. 2 Gas meter runs &amp; risers.                  Refer to Rule 603.f.                  Remove 2 gas meter runs &amp; risers from Abandoned Battery site.                  Comply w/ Rule 603.f.                  Corrective Action date: 02/17/2020.</p> <p>This insp:                  * Unused equipment (2 gas meter runs &amp; risers) at Abandoned Battery site NOW appears removed.                  See photos #2, 3.</p>		
Corrective Action:			Date:

Overall Good:

**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

**Equipment:**

Type	#	corrective date
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 0	
Comment:	Plugged & Abandoned   PA. Equipment removed.	
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Emission Control Device	# 0	
Comment:	Plugged & Abandoned   PA. Equipment removed.	
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Plunger Lift	# 0	
Comment:	Plugged & Abandoned   PA. Equipment removed.	
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Horizontal Heated Separator	# 0	
Comment:	Plugged & Abandoned   PA. Equipment removed.	
Corrective Action:		Date:

**Tanks and Berms:**

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
PRODUCED WATER	0				
Comment:	Plugged & Abandoned   PA. Equipment removed.				

Corrective Action:	Date:
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**Paint**

Condition			
Other (Content)			
Other (Capacity)			
Other (Type)			

**Berms**

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Comment:				
Corrective Action:				Date:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
CRUDE OIL	0				

Comment: <a href="#">Plugged &amp; Abandoned   PA. Equipment removed.</a>	
Corrective Action:	Date:

**Paint**

Condition			
Other (Content)			
Other (Capacity)			
Other (Type)			

**Berms**

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Comment:				
Corrective Action:				Date:

**Venting:**

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:			Date:

**Flaring:**

Type			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:			Date:

**Inspected Facilities**

Facility ID: 279286 Type: WELL API Number: 123-23181 Status: SI Insp. Status: PA

**Workover**

**Comment:** Plugged & Abandoned | PA.  
 Well appears to be cut / capped.  
 Form 6 doc. #402284957 indicates plugging, cut/cap date: 12/16/2019.  
 Approval Pending.  
 Reclamation progressing.

**Corrective Action:**  **Date:**

**COGCC Comments**

Comment	User	Date
<p><b>COGCC Inspection Report Summary:</b></p> <p>On MON 03/02/2020 at approximately 12:39 hrs. I, Bret Evins, conducted an on-site inspection at:                      Operator Name: PDC ENERGY INC                      Location Name: WELLS RANCH-65N63W /2NWSE                      Location ID: 305577                      Well Name: Wells Ranch 33-2                      API: 05-123-23181                      Location County: Weld County, Colorado                      Weather: Partly cloudy, dry.</p> <p>While there, I observed:                      Well(s): 1: Plugged &amp; Abandoned   PA.                      Battery: Abandoned. Most equipment removed except for 2 gas meter runs &amp; risers.                      Reclamation progressing.                      Abandoned Battery SE corner GPS coordinates: 40.424265, -104.399137</p> <p>Abandoned Centralized Battery formerly served 4 Location IDs (305577, 305576, 305569, 305568).                      (Well(s): 4: Plugged &amp; Abandoned   PA).</p> <p>Follow-up to Field Inspection Report doc. #696101889 dated 01/15/2020.                      During this inspection, the following prior possible compliance issues appear to be addressed:                      1.) Unused Equipment at Abandoned Battery site. 2 Gas meter runs &amp; risers.                      Refer to Rule 603.f.                      Remove 2 gas meter runs &amp; risers from Abandoned Battery site.                      Comply w/ Rule 603.f.                      Corrective Action date: 02/17/2020.                      * Unused equipment (2 gas meter runs &amp; risers) at Abandoned Battery site NOW appears removed.                      See photos #2, 3.</p> <p>During this inspection, NO New/Current possible compliance issues were observed.</p> <p>This is a summary of the inspection report.</p>	evinsb	03/02/2020

**Attached Documents**

You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
696102420	Site photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5082790">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5082790</a>