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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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402412948

Date Received:

06/04/2020

Spill report taken by:

CHESSON, BOB

Spill/Release Point ID:

465928

## SPILL/RELEASE REPORT (SUPPLEMENTAL)

This form is to be submitted by the party responsible for the oil and gas spill or release. Refer to COGCC Rule 906.b. for reporting requirements of spills or releases of E&P Waste or produced fluids. Submit a Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Form 27) when requested by the Director.

### OPERATOR INFORMATION

|   |                    |                                       |
|---|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Name of Operator: PDC ENERGY INC        | Operator No: 69175 | <b>Phone Numbers</b>                  |
| Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000 |                    | Phone: (970) 506-9272                 |
| City: DENVER                            | State: CO          | Zip: 80203                            |
| Contact Person: Zack Liesenfeld         |                    | Mobile: ( )                           |
|   |                    | Email: COGCCSpillRemediation@pdce.com |

### INITIAL SPILL/RELEASE REPORT

Initial Spill/Release Report Doc# 402103762

Initial Report Date: 07/11/2019 Date of Discovery: 07/08/2019 Spill Type: Recent Spill

#### Spill/Release Point Location:

QTRQTR SWSW SEC 5 TWP 3N RNG 64W MERIDIAN 6

Latitude: 40.248700 Longitude: -104.577340

Municipality (if within municipal boundaries): County: WELD

#### Reference Location:

Facility Type: OTHER

☒ Facility/Location ID No 461014

Spill/Release Point Name: Becker Ranch Spread Field

☐ Well API No. (Only if the reference facility is well) 05- -

☐ No Existing Facility or Location ID No.

#### Fluid(s) Spilled/Released (please answer Yes/No):

Was one (1) barrel or more spilled outside of berms or secondary containment? Yes

Secondary containment, **including walls & floor regardless of construction material**, must be sufficiently impervious to contain any discharge from primary containment until cleanup occurs.

Were Five (5) barrels or more spilled? Yes

Estimated Total Spill Volume: use same ranges as others for values

Estimated Oil Spill Volume(bbl): 0

Estimated Condensate Spill Volume(bbl): 0

Estimated Flow Back Fluid Spill Volume(bbl): 0

Estimated Produced Water Spill Volume(bbl): 0

Estimated Other E&P Waste Spill Volume(bbl): >=5 and <100

Estimated Drilling Fluid Spill Volume(bbl): 0

Specify: Water based drill cuttings

#### Land Use:

Current Land Use: OTHER

Other(Specify): Spread Field

Weather Condition: Sunny and warm

Surface Owner: FEE

Other(Specify):

#### Check if impacted or threatened by spill/Release (please answer Yes/No to all that apply):

Waters of the State ☐ Residence/Occupied Structure ☐ Livestock ☐ Public Byway ☐ Surface Water Supply Area ☐

As defined in COGCC 100-Series Rules

Describe what is known about the spill/release event (what happened -- including how it was stopped, contained, and recovered):

Due to recent precipitation events, PDC discovered a reportable off-site release of water based drilling mud from the Becker #3 spread field. PDC is currently working to stabilize the area, repair/enforce damaged BMPs and recovery efforts are mitigating impacts.

**List Agencies and Other Parties Notified:**

**OTHER NOTIFICATIONS**

| Date     | Agency/Party | Contact     | Phone | Response       |
|----------|--------------|-------------|-------|----------------|
| 7/9/2019 | COGCC        | Bob Chesson | -     | Via Phone Call |
| 7/8/2019 | Land Owner   | NA          | -     | Vebaly         |

Was there a Grade 1 Gas Leak? Yes ☐ No ☒

If YES, enter the Document Number of the Grade 1 Gas Leak Report Form 44: \_\_\_\_\_

Was there a reportable accident associated with either a Grade 1 Gas Leak or an E&P waste spill or release? Yes ☐ No ☒

If YES, enter the Document Number of the Initial Accident Report, Form 22: \_\_\_\_\_

Was there damage during excavation? Yes ☐ No ☐

If YES, was CO 811 notified prior to excavation? Yes ☐ No ☐

**REQUEST FOR CLOSURE**

**Spill/Release Reports should be closed when impacts have been remediated or when further investigation and corrective actions will take place under an approved Form 27.**

Basis for Closure: ☐ Corrective Actions Completed (documentation attached)

☒ Work proceeding under an approved Form 27

Form 27 Remediation Project No: 15591

**OPERATOR COMMENTS:**

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are to the best of my knowledge true, correct, and complete.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: Zack Liesenfeld

Title: EHS Representative Date: 06/04/2020 Email: COGCCSpillRemediation@pdce.com

**COA Type**

**Description**

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