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Date Received:

02/18/2021

FIR RESOLUTION FORM

Overall Status: FRQ

CA Summary:

1 of 1 CAs from the FIR responded to on this Form

0 CA Completed

1 Factual Review Request

OPERATOR INFORMATION

OGCC Operator Number: 10536

Name of Operator: SMITH ENERGY LLC

Address: 1540 MAIN ST SUITE 218 #334

City: WINDSOR State: CO Zip: 80550

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COGCC INSPECTION SUMMARY:

FIR Document Number: 699502290

Inspection Date: 02/17/2021

FIR Submit Date: 02/17/2021

FIR Status: _____

Inspected Operator Information:

Company Name: SMITH ENERGY LLC

Company Number: 10536

Address: 1540 MAIN ST SUITE 218 #334

City: WINDSOR State: CO Zip: 80550

LOCATION - Location ID: 318073

Location Name: SCHEID-COOKSEY-61N63W Number: 2SESE County: WELD

Qtrqr: SESE Sec: 2 Twp: 1N Range: 63W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.075233 Longitude: -104.397597

FACILITY - API Number: 05-123- -00 Facility ID: 240556

Facility Name: SCHEID-COOKSEY Number: 1

Qtrqr: SESE Sec: 2 Twp: 1N Range: 63W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.075233 Longitude: -104.397597

CORRECTIVE ACTIONS:

1 ☒ CA# 146644

Corrective Action: Control and contain spills/releases and clean up per COGCC rules. Contact COGCC EPS staff.

Date: 02/17/2021

Response: FACTUAL REVIEW REQUEST

Basis for Review: CA dates are not per the guidelines

Operator
Comment:

Scheid-Cooksey treater was frozen on 2/16/21. Company man began thawing inside treater house with a catalytic heater. The bottom connection of the outside water leg began to drip. Company man immediately called for a vac truck. Vac truck set up & leak became larger. Drain valve was frozen, so vac truck stayed in place sucking up water. Roustabout crew fished out rubber gasket & replaced, then secured the water leg

intergety. AT NO TIME WAS THERE MORE THAN 1 BARREL OF FLUID ON THE GROUND. The treater had a secondary containment berm. Because there was less than 5 bl on the ground at any time this was not a reportable event.

The wet soil was removed and 3/4" road base replaced it. Completed 2/17/2021. Inspector's conclusion that the spill volume was 10 bl is incorrect. At no time was there more than 1 bl of fluid on the ground. It was therefore not a reportable event.

COGCC Decision: Approved

COGCC
Representative:

OPERATOR COMMENT AND SUBMITTAL

Comment: Inspector's conclusion that the leak was 10 bl is incorrect. At no time was there more than 1 bl of fluid on the ground and the treater was bermed. Reporting threshold is 5 bl. The leaking gasket was replaced and treater intergity retuned on 2/16/2021. Wet dirt was shoveled out of the treater house and replaced with 3/4" roadbase. The facility is ready to be re-inspected.
A picture of the treater house after cleanup is shown in the attachments.

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

Print Name: CHRISTOPHER R SMITH

Signed: _____

Title: MANAGER

Date: 2/18/2021 11:51:38 AM

ATTACHMENT LIST

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402602830	Scheid-Cooksey treater house after cleanup

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