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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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SPILL/RELEASE REPORT

This form is to be submitted by the party responsible for the oil and gas spill or release. Any spill or release which may impact waters of the State must be reported as soon as practicable; any spill over 20 bbls must be reported within 24 hours and all spills over five bbls must be reported within ten days. Submit a Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Form 27) when requested by the Director.

Spill report taken by:

FACILITY ID:

OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of Operator: XTO Energy Inc. OGCC Operator No: 100264Address: 382 Road 3100City: Aztec State: NM Zip: 87410Contact Person: Sam E. Montoya

Phone Numbers

No: 719 846.0272Fax: 719 845.0108E-Mail: sam_montoya@xtoenergy.com

DESCRIPTION OF SPILL OR RELEASE

Date of Incident: 10/29/09 Facility Name & No.: HR 10-09V ; Permit #20020434Type of Facility (well, tank battery, flow line, pit): CBM WellWell Name and Number: Hill Ranch 10-09VAPI Number: 05-071-07588County: Las AnimasQtrQtr: NE/SE Section: 10Township: 35S Range: 67WMeridian: 6th PM

Specify volume spilled and recovered (in bbls) for the following materials:

Oil spilled: 0 Oil recov'd: 0 Water spilled: 300 bbls Water recov'd: 0 Other spilled: 0 Other recov'd: 0Ground Water impacted? ☐ Yes ☒ NoSurface Water impacted? ☐ Yes ☒ NoContained within berm? ☐ Yes ☒ NoArea and vertical extent of spill: 136 square feet x 2"Current land use: Rangeland/TimberWeather conditions: Overcast , Extreme Cold, SnowingSoil/geology description: Dargol/Stout

IF LESS THAN A MILE, report distance IN FEET to nearest.... Surface water: 454 ft. wetlands: 454 ft. buildings: >1 Mile
 Livestock: >1 Mile water wells: >1 Mile Depth to shallowest ground water: 242'

Cause of spill (e.g., equipment failure, human error, etc.): Human Error

Detailed description of the spill/release incident:

On 10/29/09 a produced water spill was found at the HR 10-09V. Approximately 300 bbls of produced water was released. Upon investigation it was found that a valve upstream of the water meter had been left closed thus pressurizing the discharge water line. No waters of the state were threatened or impacted.

CORRECTIVE ACTION

Describe immediate response (how stopped, contained and recovered):

Upon discovery the PC pump was shut immediately. The majority of water never left location. No water was recovered. This well is permitted for surface water discharge.

Describe any emergency pits constructed:

No emergency pits were constructed.

How was the extent of contamination determined:

Area extent and migration was determined by GPS. Vertical extent was estimated.

Further remediation activities proposed (attach separate sheet if needed):

None

Describe measures taken to prevent problem from reoccurring:

Production personnel will be trained on proper procedure and protocol when starting up a well. Item was also discussed during the weekly production meeting.

OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

List the parties and agencies notified (County, BLM, EPA, DOT, Local Emergency Planning Coordinator or other).

Date	Agency	Contact	Phone	Response
10/29/09	Hill Ranch	Mike Powell	719 859.2307	Left Message on phone
10/29/09	COGCC	Peter Gintautus	719 846.3091	Verbal Notification (Spill > 20bbls)

Spill/Release Tracking No: **200221338**