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

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Inspection Date:

12/11/2023

Submitted Date:

12/14/2023

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FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 335766 Inspector Name: Morris, Matthew On-Site Inspection 2A Doc Num: _____

Status Summary:

THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION

FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

Findings:

12 Number of Comments

3 Number of Corrective Actions

Corrective Action Response Requested

Operator Information:

OGCC Operator Number: 10456

Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC

Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1600

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

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

Contact Information:

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
, CAERUS		COGCC.inspections@caerusoilandgas.com	

Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
259576	WELL	PR	03/01/2019	GW	045-07754	CHEVRON 43-5D	PR
259577	WELL	PR	03/01/2019	GW	045-07755	CHEVRON 44-5D	PR

General Comment:

[COGCC Inspection Report Summary](#)

On 12/11/2023 at approximately 10:10, Compliance Inspector Matthew Morris conducted an on-site inspection at CAERUS PICEANCE LLC, CHEVRON-66S96W/4SWSW at Location ID #335766 in Garfield County, Colorado.

Normal production operations were observed.

During the inspection, the following compliance issues were observed:

- 1) Unsecured separator hatch
- 2) Leaking wellhead flange
- 3) Stormwater; refer to Stormwater section

A follow-up on this site inspection will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules.

This location is within or in close proximity to, a CPW Density/High Priority Habitat, Black Bear, NSO Habitat, or Wildlife Management area.

Location

Overall Good:

Signs/Marker:			
Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Separator units include attached storage tanks. The sight glass on the side of the unit indicates that the storage tank contains an unknown fluid. No form of labeling or markers is present to identify a potential hazard or the contents of the storage tank.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	BATTERY		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Emergency Contact Number:			
Comment:	911/(970) 285-2615		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Overall Good:

Spills:			
Type	Area	Volume	

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

Fencing/:			
Type	TANK BATTERY		
Comment:	Barbed wire fencing		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	SEPARATOR		
Comment:	Barbed wire fencing		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:	Pipe rail fencing		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Equipment:			corrective date
Type: Bird Protectors	# 4		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Type: Gas Meter Run	# 6		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:			Date:
Type: Horizontal Heated Separator	# 6		
Comment:	Unsecured hatch on separator. Open hatch poses a wildlife entry hazard.		
Corrective Action:	Secure separator to comply with Rule 608.e.		Date: 12/19/2023
Type: Plunger Lift	# 2		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:			Date:
Type: Bradenhead	# 2		
Comment:	Leaking wellhead flange at 44-5D.		
Corrective Action:	Secure wellhead flange to comply with Rule 608.e.		Date: 12/19/2023

Tanks and Berms:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
CONDENSATE	3	300 BBLs	STEEL AST		
Comment:					
Corrective Action:					Date:

Paint

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

Berms

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Metal	Adequate	Walls Sufficient	Base Sufficient	Adequate
Comment:				
Corrective Action:				
				Date:

Venting:

Yes/No	NO	
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Flaring:

Type	
Comment:	
Corrective Action:	Date:

Inspected Facilities

Facility ID: 259576 Type: WELL API Number: 045-07754 Status: PR Insp. Status: PR

Producing Well

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date:

Facility ID: 259577 Type: WELL API Number: 045-07755 Status: PR Insp. Status: PR

Producing Well

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date:

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
Seeding						
		Berms				
		Gravel				
Other	Fail					Insufficient tracking BMPs
Berms						
		Compaction				
Gravel	Fail					Insufficient gravel
		Ditches				
Compaction	Fail					Lack of stabilization
		Culverts				

Comment: Location surface lacks stabilization with insufficient vehicle tracking BMPs in place to minimize transportation of sediment.

Corrective Action: Oil and gas operators shall implement and maintain Best Management Practices (BMPs) at all oil and gas locations to comply with Rule 1002.

Date: 12/29/2023

Pits: NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
708301380	Photo Log	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6356853
708301381	Leaking wellhead flange	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6356854