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Truck Accident Causes Produced Water Spill in Dunn County

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Department of Health (NDDoH) has been notified of a produced water spill resulting from a truck accident in Dunn County. Produced water is a by-product of oil and gas development. The spill occurred Friday, Dec. 2, approximately 6 miles north of Killdeer and was reported by Creek Energy Services on Saturday, Dec. 3.

Initial estimates indicate about 105 barrels of produced water were released and impacted a creek bed. Although there was water in the creek, it was not flowing. Impacted water has been pumped out of the creek bed. Personnel from the NDDoH are investigating the incident and will continue to monitor the remediation.

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