

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: OXY USA WTP Limited Partnership	Contact:
Address: 102 S. Main St. Carlsbad, NM 88220	Telephone No.:
Facility Name: Government U Com #1	Facility Type: Well

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:	API No.: 30-015-21020 Lense No.: NM-17101 2RP-2985
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter G	Section 22	Township 20S	Range 28E	Feet from the 1980'	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1980'	East/West Line East	County Eddy
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Latitude **32.560936 N** Longitude **-104.1634124 W**

NATURE OF RELEASE



Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 5 bbls Oil	Volume Recovered: 0 bbls
Source of Release: Stuffing Box	Date and Hour of Occurrence 3/15/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery 3/15/2015 12:00
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken: **The stuffing box lost pressure causing a release of 5 barrels of oil. No fluids were recovered. The well was shut-in, the stuffing box repaired and the well was put back into service. The majority of the spill remained on the location around the wellhead with overspray on the old reserve pit measuring approximately 80' x 90'.**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* **Talon/LPE was contracted by Oxy for the correction of this release. Pursuant to our work plan approved by the BLM and NMOCD, the impacted area in the vicinity of sample location S-1 was excavated to a depth of 2-feet deep and the impacted area in the vicinity of sample location S-2 was excavated to a depth of 3-feet deep, without disturbing the pit area. All of the excavated material was hauled to Lea Land, LLC a solid waste disposal facility. The excavated area was backfilled with caliche to match the surrounding location. On behalf of Oxy USA Inc, we respectfully request that no further actions be required.**

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: 		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Phancy Summerville		Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: HES Lead		Approval Date: 6/15/2015	Expiration Date: NA
E-mail Address: Phancy-Summerville@oxy.com		Conditions of Approval: FINAL	
Date: 6/4/2015 Phone: 575-631-9436		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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