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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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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

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NMOCD Artesia

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: BOPCO, L.P.	Contact: Bradley Blevins
Address: 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220	Telephone No. 432-214-3704
Facility Name: PLU-CVX-JV-BS #030H	Facility Type: Exploration and Production

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 30-015-42496
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C	Section 3	Township 25S	Range 31E	Feet from the 330	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1440	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude N 32.165638 Longitude W 103.768037

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Emissions from burning crude oil	Volume of Release: 297 bbls crude oil burned during the fire.	Volume Recovered: 278 bbls of crude oil was still in the tanks after the fire.
Source of Release: Two five hundred barrel flow back frac tanks	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 11/13/14 at Approximately 8:10 a.m.	Date and Hour of Discovery: 11/13/14 at 8:10 a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom: Randy Dade with the NMOCD Jim Amos with the BLM	
By Whom? Tony Savoie	Date and Hour: 11/13/14 at 8:43 a.m. OCD and 8:46 a.m. BLM	
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.*


While performing normal operations of producing into and removal of product from the temporary flow back tanks, a fire was noticed coming out of one of the frac tanks. The process was shut down, 911 was called, and equipment and personnel were move to a safe place away from the fire. Fire departments were dispatched to the site from Malaga, Loving, and Otis. The fire was extinguished at 12:12 p.m. Emergency personnel remained on-site cooling down equipment until it was safe for normal operations personnel to assess the damage.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

There was no hydrocarbon product impact to the surface of the well pad. There were containments around all of the frac tanks; however most of them were destroyed by the heat of the fire. The only fluid observed after the fire was extinguished was fresh water and foam. It was noted that there was no sheening visible on the water.

The damaged tanks will be removed, new containments will be constructed around the replacement tanks.

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: Bradley Blevins		Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Environmental Supervisor		Approval Date: 2/15/2016	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: bblevins@basspet.com		Conditions of Approval: FINAL	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 2-15-16 Phone: 432-214-3704			

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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