

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 Department

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

Form C-141  
Revised August 24, 2018  
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	NVF1906336488
District RP	1RP-5379
Facility ID	fAB1906343538
Application ID	pVF1906336098

## Release Notification

### Responsible Party

Responsible Party OCCIDENTAL PERMIAN LTD.	OGRID 5418-R5 247441 OGRID# <i>AB</i>
Contact Name TONY AGUILAR	Contact Telephone 575-390-6312
Contact email Raymond_aguilar@oxy.com	Incident # (assigned by OCD) NVF1906336488
Contact mailing address 1017 W. Stanolind Road	

### Location of Release Source

Latitude 32.677667 Longitude 103.157670  
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name SHURCF <small>"South Hobbs Unit Recycling Compressor Facility"</small>	Site Type OIL AND GAS PRODUCTION FACILITY
Date Release Discovered 2-27-19	API# (if applicable) N/A

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
E	9	19-S	<del>39-E</del> **	LEA

**E 9 19S 38E\*\* *AB***  
Surface Owner: ☒ State ☐ Federal ☐ Tribal ☐ Private (Name: \_\_\_\_\_)

### Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf) 2170 MCF	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

#### Cause of Release

FLARED INTERMITTENTLY WHEN A-TRAIN WENT DOWN ON LL SUCTION. LOST A-TRAIN AGAIN ON THROW #4 VIBRATION HH. B-TRAIN WENT DOWN DUE TO 2ND STAGE DISCHARGE PRESSURE HH BLOW DOWN UNIT.

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?

FLARED OVER 500 MCF.

If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?

YES, BY TONY AGUILAR, TO JIM GRISWOLD, ON 2-28-19 BY EMAIL

### Initial Response

*The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury*

- ☒ The source of the release has been stopped.
- ☐ The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment.
- ☐ Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices.
- ☐ All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.

If all the actions described above have not been undertaken, explain why:

REPLACED TRANSMITTER ON A-TRAIN AND RESTARTED AND RESTARTED B-TRAIN.

STEPS: 2-4 WAS NOT APPLICABLE.

Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD 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 OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD 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.

Printed Name: TONY AGUILAR Title: HES OPS ADVISOR

Signature:  Date: 2-28-19

email: raymond\_aguilar@oxy.com Telephone: 575-390-6312

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Received by:  Date: 3/04/2019

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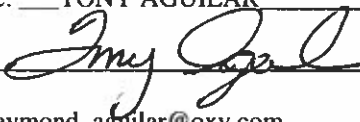
## Closure

The responsible party must attach information demonstrating they have complied with all applicable closure requirements and any conditions or directives of the OCD. This demonstration should be in the form of a comprehensive report (electronic submittals in .pdf format are preferred) including a scaled site map, sampling diagrams, relevant field notes, photographs of any excavation prior to backfilling, laboratory data including chain of custody documents of final sampling, and a narrative of the remedial activities. Refer to 19.15.29.12 NMAC.

**Closure Report Attachment Checklist:** *Each of the following items must be included in the closure report.*

- ☐ A scaled site and sampling diagram as described in 19.15.29.11 NMAC **N/A**
- ☐ Photographs of the remediated site prior to backfill or photos of the liner integrity if applicable (Note: appropriate OCD District office must be notified 2 days prior to liner inspection)
- ☐ Laboratory analyses of final sampling (Note: appropriate ODC District office must be notified 2 days prior to final sampling)
- ☐ Description of remediation activities

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Received by: MBratcher Date: 2/28/2019

Closure approval by the OCD does not relieve the responsible party of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that poses a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health, or the environment nor does not relieve the responsible party of compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Closure Approved by:  Date: 3/1/2019  
Printed Name: MBratcher Title: A/OI