

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Rancho Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 E. 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 October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

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Release Notification and Corrective Action H.E. West B #38

OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company MERIT ENERGY CO.	Contact GREG LEARY
Address P.O. BOX 69 LOCO HILLS, NM 87133	Telephone No. 505-420-5997 - 505-677-2327
Facility Name GRAYBURG-JACKSON WEST B4 BATTERY	Facility Type TANK BATTERY
Surface Owner BLM	Mineral Owner BLM
Lease No.	

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
F	10	17S	31E					EDDY

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release CRUDE OIL	Volume of Release 70 Bbl	Volume Recovered 60 Bbls.
Source of Release HOLE IN TANK	Date and Hour of Occurrence 10-3	Date and Hour of Discovery 10-3-04
Was Immediate Notice Given? ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Required	If YES, To Whom? 8:00 am AMOS BLM - Mike Bratcher OGD.	
By Whom? GREG LEARY	Date and Hour 10/4/04 11:00 am.	
Was a Watercourse Reached? ☐ Yes ☒ No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

HOLE IN TANK, PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT FAILURE.
Had Vac. Truck recover 60 Bbls. covered with SAND

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

SPILL WAS CONTAINED WITHIN FIREWALL
WILL REPAIR TANK, THEN FERTILIZE AND ROTO-TILL

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: G. Leary	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: GREG LEARY	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: LEASE OPERATOR	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address:	Conditions of Approval:	Attached ☐
Date: 10/4/04 Phone: 677-2327 420-5997		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary