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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
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Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Amber Cannon
Address 104 S. 4 TH Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Dagger ZW Battery Pipeline	API Number 30-015-25787	Facility Type Water Transfer Pipeline

Surface Owner Fee	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section 31	Township 19S	Range 25E	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County Eddy
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Latitude ___ Longitude ___

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water/Crude Oil	Volume of Release Unknown B/PW, Unknown B/O	Volume Recovered 880 B/PW, 30 B/O
Source of Release Pipeline	Date and Hour of Occurrence 4/2/2014 - AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 4/2/2014 - AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher/NMOCD II	
By Whom? Amber Cannon/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 4/3/2014 (E-mail)	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*
N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*
Battery and wells that were previously shut-in were turned back on for production. As a result, produced water and crude oil made its way through the pipeline and released into the area that had started being excavated from 3/29/2014 release. Vacuum truck(s) called to recover releases liquids. Backhoe crew was already on location excavating impacted soils from 3/29/2014 release.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
An approximate area of 400' X 200'. Battery and wells tied into pipeline were shut-in. A "T" was found on the pipeline and crews capped it off. Impacted soils being excavated and scraped from release area and being hauled to an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's (site ranking is 0) a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the OCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL a work plan will be submitted to the OCD. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (228' ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: > 1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Yates Petroleum requests closure. All work was completed as per NMOCD approved work plan.**

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: 		<u>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</u>	
Printed Name: Amber Cannon		Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent		Approval Date: 1/23/2015	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: acannon@yatespetroleum.com		Conditions of Approval:	
Date: Thursday, January 22, 2015		2RP-2258 FINAL	
Phone: 575-748-1471		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	