

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: COG Operating	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-230-0077
Facility Name: Holder CB Federal #1 Battery	Facility Type: Battery
Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:
API No. 30-015-20708	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
E	17	17S	30E	1980	North	660	West	Eddy County, NM

Latitude N 32.68570° Longitude W 103.78062°

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Oil and Produced water	Volume of Release: 2 bbl oil, 8 bbls produced water	Volume Recovered: 1 bbl oil, 5 bbls produced water
Source of Release: Lightning strike	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 10/07/2015 @ 7:00 pm	Date and Hour of Discovery: 10/07/2015
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	
By Whom? Lupe Carrasco	Date and Hour: 10/08/2015 @ 3:55 pm	
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.*  This release was caused by a lightning strike resulting in the release of fluid. Once the fire had been extinguished, vacuum trucks were dispatched to recover all standing fluid.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*  This release remained within the bermed facility. Remediation was completed in accordance with the remediation plan approved by Mike Bratcher of NMOCD on 11/31/2015 and approved by Shelly Tucker of the BLM via email on 12/02/2015.		
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.		

**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Signature: <i>A. Trujillo</i>	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo	Approval Date: 1/15/2016	Expiration Date: N/A
Title: Environmental Coordinator	Conditions of Approval:	
E-mail Address: atrujillo@concho.com	FINAL	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 1/11/16	Phone: 575-748-6940	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary