

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

Received 8/25/2016  
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. 575-887-7329
Facility Name: PLU CVX JV BS #008H Tank Battery; 2RP#2687	Facility Type: Exploration and Production

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 30-015-39508
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#### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter N	Section 14	Township 25S	Range 30E	Feet from the 300	North/South Line South	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude: N 32.12404° Longitude: W 103.85451°

#### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 8 barrels	Volume Recovered: 4 barrels
Source of Release: Flare stack	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 12/15/14 time unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery: 12/15/14 @ 3:38 pm
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse: Not Applicable	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\* Not Applicable


Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

A valve was discovered closed on the flare scrubber causing the vessels to load up and exit the flare stack. The valve was opened and the system restored to normal. The free standing fluid was recovered with a vacuum truck.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The release puddled up in an area of approximately 460 sq. ft. inside the earthen containment around the flare stack, it also misted approximately 260 sq. ft. of caliche pad and approximately 1,000 sq. ft. of pasture. Samples were collected, and based on laboratory analytical data and NMOCD approval: the contaminated soil was excavated and hauled to a state approved disposal facility and the excavation backfilled with clean soil.

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: Bradley Blevins		Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Assistant Remediation Foreman		Approval Date: 8/26/2016	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: bblevins@basspet.com		Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 8-22-16 Phone: 432-214-3704		Attached <input type="checkbox"/> FINAL	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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