NM OIL CONSERVATION

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

1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505 Santa Fe, NM 87505 Release Notification and Corrective Action YABIWO7854829 **OPERATOR** ✓ Initial Report Name of Company OGRID Number Contact Yates Petroleum Corporation 25575 Robert Asher Address Telephone No. 104 S. 4th Street 575-748-1471 Facility Name Facility Type Boyd X State #6 **Pumping Unit** Surface Owner Mineral Owner API No. State State 30-015-28370 LOCATION OF RELEASE Unit Letter North/South Line East/West Line Section Township Range Feet from the Feet from the County 0 29 198 25E 660 South 1980 East Eddy Latitude 32.62625 Longitude 104.50413 NATURE OF RELEASE Type of Release Volume of Release Volume Recovered Oil & Produced Water 2 B/O & 3 B/PW 1.5 B/O & 2.5 B/PW Source of Release Date and Hour of Occurrence Date and Hour of Discovery Well head 3/4/2016; PM 3/4/2016: PM If YES, To Whom? Was Immediate Notice Given? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Not Required By Whom? Date and Hour Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation N/A Was a Watercourse Reached? If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. ☐ Yes 🖾 No If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* Small pressure build-up during work over caused release from the well head. Vacuum truck(s) and backhoe crew(s) were called to begin cleanup actions. Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* An approximate area of 30'X 8' (on the well pad). Vacuum truck (s) recovered 80% of the oil and produced water released and backhoe scraped up impacted soils and disposed at n NMOCD approved facility. Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 150', per ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Based on the recovered amounts of released oil/produced water recovered, impacted soils excavated and the site ranking is Zero, Yates Petroleum Corporation requests closure. 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: Approved by Environmental Special Printed Name: Robert Asher Approval Date: **Expiration Date:** Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor. E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com Conditions of Approval: Attached FINAL

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* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Date: March 18, 2016

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