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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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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-14i
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Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Name of Company BP America Production Company	Contact Brittany Benko
Address 200 Energy Court Farmington, NM 87401	Telephone No. (505) 326-9235
Facility Name Cornell E #1	Facility Type Well site
Surface Owner BLM	Mineral Owner BLM
Lease No. 30-045-08444	

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter M	Section 12	Township 29N	Range 12W	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County San Juan County
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water & Condensate	Volume of Release 5 bbls	Volume Recovered 5 bbls
Source of Release Steel Pit	Date and Hour of Occurrence Unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery 01/21/2003 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.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

We pulled the steel pit out of the open hole after the spill. We found that the fluid side of the steel pit had corroded and the fluid had leaked into the double-bottomed leak detection. The plug in the "false" bottom was never installed which was not being used as leak detection as the steel pit was sitting in an open earthen "cellar" and we were using visual assessment for leak detection. We shut the well in, and shut the vent line off, and called a water truck to pickup liquid from the open earthen "cellar" immediately.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The steel pit was inside of a sandstone cellar. Therefore, the liquid accumulated on top of the sandstone and was able to be fully recovered. The slightly stained soil was raked.

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: <i>Brittany D Benko</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Brittany D Benko	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>for Frank Chavez</i>	
Title: Field Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: <i>03/19/03</i>	Expiration Date:
Date: 01/31/2003 Phone: (505) 326-9235	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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