

March 5, 1998

Denny Foust
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, NM 87410

Re: Report of an Undesirable Event
Summit #6 Final Report

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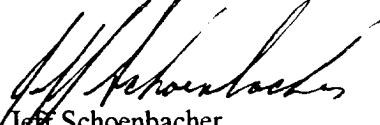
Dear Mr. Foust:

The purpose of this correspondence is to provide you with a "Final Report" for the undesirable event that occurred December 22, 1997, at Summit #6 gas well located in Unit G, Section 33, Township 29N, and Range 11W.

On December 22, 1997, it was discovered the drain valve froze on Summit #6 tank, therefore, releasing oil and produced water within the bermed containment. Philip Environmental was contracted to excavate the contaminated soils within the bermed area surrounding the 300 barrel tank. The tank was relocated to a separate location, to allow the soils to be excavated underneath the tank. After the tank was relocated, a track hoe was used to remove approximately 93 cubic yards of soil that was landfarmed on-site. The main purpose of exhuming the soils was to remove the visually contaminated soils that was impacted as a result of this release. The final dimensions of the excavated area were 21' long by 12 feet wide with a depth of 10' deep. Once the excavation of the impacted soils was complete, the excavation was backfilled to the original grade with soil collected on-site. In addition, two loads of backfill material were stockpiled on-site to be used for the construction of new berms around the re-installed equipment.

Should you have any additional questions concerning this project feel free to contact me at 326-9537.

Sincerely,


Jeff Schoenbacher
Environmental Specialist

Attachment: Release Incident Reports

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Form C - 141
Originated 2/13/97

Submit 2 copies to
Appropriate District
Office in accordance
with Rule 116

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name: BURLINGTON RESOURCES	Contact: Ed Hasely
Address: P.O. Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499	Telephone No.: (505)326-9841
Facility Name: Summit #6	Facility Type: Gas Well

Surface Owner: Fee	Mineral Owner: Federal	Lease No.: NMSF 047019 A
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter G	Section 33	Township 29N	Range 11W	Feet from the 1450'	North/South Line N	Feet from the 1850'	East/West Line E	County San Juan
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NATURE OF RELEASE

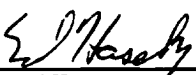
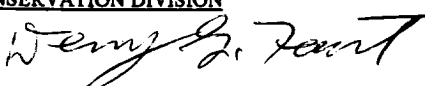
Type of Release Oil/Produced Water	Volume of Release 130 - bbls oil; 10 bbls - produced water	Volume Recovered 0
Source of Release Condensate Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence Unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/22/97 @ 11:00a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Denny Faust	
By Whom? Ed Hasely	Date and Hour. 12/23/97 @ 8:15a.m.	
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. (Attach Additional Sheets if Necessary) N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken. (Attach Additional Sheets if Necessary) The drain valve froze and broke. All fluid was contained inside the berm.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken. (Attach Additional Sheets if Necessary) Will dig up impacted soil within the berm and landfarm on location or dispose of properly.

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Ed Hasely	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title: Sr. Staff Environmental Rep.	Approval Date: 3/11/98	Expiration Date:
Date: 1-8-98	Phone: (505)326-9841	Conditions of Approval: Attached <input type="checkbox"/>