

May 13, 2015

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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

**Re: 1RP-3594 – Paladin Energy Corp. State BT “D” Well No. 003 Spill Investigation and Remediation Report, Unit P (SE/4, SE/4), Section 35, Township 11 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico**

Dear Dr. Oberding:

Larson & Associates, Inc. (LAI), on behalf of Paladin Energy Corp. (Paladin), submits this report to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) to present the investigation and remediation of a produced water spill at the State BT “D” Well No. 003 (Site). The vertical extent of release was determined and remediation was performed. Paladin proposes to fill the excavation with clean soil and seed the remediation area. Paladin respectfully requests your approval. Please contact Mickey Horn with Paladin at (432) 522-2162 or me at (432) 687-0901.

Sincerely,

**Larson & Associates, Inc.**



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Mickey Horn – Paladin Energy Corp.

Encl.

**1RP-3594  
SPILL INVESTIGATION REPORT  
STATE BT "D" WELL NO. 003  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

LAI Project No. 15-0130-02

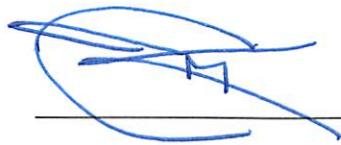
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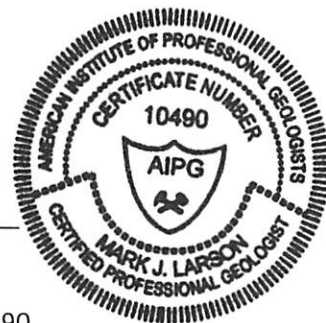
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## 1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report is submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) District 1, in Hobbs, New Mexico, on behalf of Paladin Energy Corp (Paladin) to present the investigation and remediation of a produced water spill at the State BT "D" Well No. 003 (Site) located in Lea County, New Mexico. The legal description is Unit P (SE/4, SE/4), Section 35, Township 11 South and Range 33 East. The geodetic position is 32° 19' 00.340" north and 103° 34' 41.390" west.

The release was discovered by an OCD inspector, on March 31, 2015. On April 1, 2015, OCD issued a letter to Paladin that required corrective action to be completed by May 29, 2015. On April 2, 2015, Paladin initiated corrective action that included excavating soil south and east of the well for disposal at the Gandy Marley land fill located west of Tatum, New Mexico. OCD issued remediation project (RP) number 1RP-3594 for the release. Groundwater occurs at about 42 feet bgs.

On April 7, 2015, personnel from Larson & Associates, Inc. (LAI) collected a 5-part composite sample (Comp A) from the bottom of the excavations. Permian Basin Environmental Lab (PBELAB), located in Midland, Texas, analyzed the sample for benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, xylene (BTEX), total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) and chloride by methods SW-846-8021B, SW-846-8015 and 300, respectively. Benzene was below the method reporting limit of 0.00109 milligrams per kilogram (mg/Kg). TPH was 2,729.68 mg/Kg and exceeded the OCD recommended remediation action level (RRAL) of 100 mg/Kg. Chloride was 10,200 mg/Kg.

On April 21, 2015, Scarborough Drilling Co., located in Lamesa, Texas, drilled an air rotary boring (SB-1) near the center of the excavation. Soil samples were collected every 5 feet to about 35 feet bgs using a jam tube sampler.

Benzene and BTEX were below the method reporting limits in the sample from 15 feet bgs which exhibited a headspace reading of 119.4 parts per million (ppm). TPH was below the RRAL (100 mg/Kg) in all samples. Chloride was reported at 3,270 mg/Kg at 1 foot bgs and 169 mg/Kg at 5 feet bgs.

Due to caliche at about 1 foot bgs which prevented further excavation with a backhoe Paladin respectfully requests approval from OCD to fill the excavation with clean soil. A report will be submitted to the OCD after remediation that will include photographs and final C-141.

## 2.0 INTRODUCTION

Larson & Associates, Inc. (LAI) submits this report to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) on behalf of Paladin Energy Corp (Paladin) to present the investigation and remediation of a produced water spill at the State BT "D" Well No. 003 (Site). The Site is located in Unit P (SE/4, SE/4), Section 35, Township 11 South, Range 33 east, in Lea County, New Mexico. The geodetic position is north 33° 19' 00.340" and west 103° 34' 41.390". Figure 1 presents a location and topographic map. Figure 2 presents an aerial map.

### 2.1 Background and Initial Response

On March 31, 2015, an inspector with OCD District 1, in Hobbs, New Mexico, discovered the spill. On April 1, 2015, OCD issued a letter of violation to Paladin requiring, among other things, filing form C-141 and performing corrective action by May 29, 2015.

The spill occurred from failure of a stuffing box that release about 4 barrels (bbl) of oil and 2 bbl of water. The spill followed the surface topography and flowed about 40 feet south and east of the well. No fluid was recovered. On April 2, 2015, Paladin initiated corrective actions that included excavating visually contaminated soil. The contaminated soil was hauled to the Gandy Marley landfill (NM1-19-0) located west of Tatum, New Mexico. The initial C-141 was submitted to the OCD on April 6, 2015. OCD issued remediation project (RP) number 1RP-3594. Appendix A presents the OCD correspondence.

### 2.2 Setting

The Site is located about 17 miles west of Tatum, New Mexico. The surface elevation is approximately 4,237 feet above mean sea level (MSL) and slopes gently to the southeast. The soil is designated "Kimbrough-Lea" complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes (KU). The typical profile consists of "A" horizon consisting of about 6 inches of gravelly loam and "Bkm" horizon consisting of about 10 inches of cemented material of broken to indurated caliche. The main uses are livestock grazing and wildlife habitat. No surface water features are located within 1,000 horizontal feet of the Site.

According to the *Geologic Map of New Mexico* and the *Geologic Atlas of Texas, Hobbs Sheet* the surface geology is the Tertiary-age Ogallala formation. The Ogallala formation is comprised of fluvial sand, silt, clay and localized gravel, with indistinct to massive crossbeds. The Ogallala formation consists mainly of unconsolidated to poorly consolidated, very fine to medium-grained quartz sand and gravel, with minor amount of silt and clay. The caliche comprising the lower part of the Portales-Stegall loams forms a hard, erosion resistant, pedogenic calcrete that is between about 9 and 21 feet thick. The Ogallala formation is underlain by clay, silty clay, shale and sandstone of the Chile formation (Triassic) and is about 300 feet thick.

Groundwater occurs in the Ogallala formation. The Chinle formation is the lower confining boundary for groundwater in the Ogallala formation. The regional groundwater flow direction is from northwest to southeast. The nearest fresh water well (No. L01327) is located in Unit M (SW/4, SW/4), Section 35, Township 11 South and Range 33 East. The well is located about 3,400 feet southwest of the Site. According to the New Mexico Office of the State Engineer (OSE) the well was drilled to about 115 feet

below ground surface (bgs) and used for livestock. LAI personnel recorded groundwater in this well at about 42 feet bgs.

### 3.0 INVESTIGATION

#### 3.1 Soil Samples

On April 7, 2015, LAI personnel collected a 5-spot composite sample (Comp A) from the area located south and east of the well where soil was excavated to about 1 foot bgs. The sample was collected using a stainless steel hand trowel and placed in a clean 4-ounce glass jar. The sample was hand delivered under preservation and chain of custody to Permian Basin Environmental Lab (PBELAB), a National Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Programs (NELAP) accredited laboratory, located in Midland, Texas. The laboratory analyzed the samples for benzene, toluene, ethyl benzene, xylenes (BTEX) by method SW-846-8021B, total petroleum hydrocarbon (TPH) including gasoline (C6 – C12), diesel (>C12 – C28) and oil (>C28 – C35) range hydrocarbons by method SW-846-8015 and chloride by method 300. Table 1 presents an analytical data summary. Appendix B presents the laboratory report.

#### 3.2 Soil Borings

On April 21, 2015, LAI contracted Scarborough Drilling Company (SDC), Lamesa, Texas, to collect soil samples from an air rotary drilled boring (SB-1) near the center of the excavation. The boring was drilled to about 35 feet bgs and soil samples were collected every 5 feet (0, 5, 10, 15, 20, etc.) with a jam tube sampler. The samples were collected in 4 ounce glass jars and submitted under preservation and chain of custody to PBELAB, in Midland, Texas. The boring was plugged with bentonite chips. A duplicate sample was collected for headspace analysis using 8 ounce glass jars that were filled about 2/3rds full and sealed with a layer of aluminum foil. A calibrated photoionization detector (PID) was used to measure the concentration of organic vapor in the sample headspace. The highest PID reading was 119.4 ppm at 15 feet bgs. This sample was analyzed by the laboratory for BTEX by method SW-846-8021B. This and samples from 1, 5, 10 and 20 feet analyzed for TPH, including gasoline (C6 – C12), diesel (>C12 – C28) and oil (>C28 – C35) range hydrocarbons by method SW-846-8015. All samples were analyzed for chloride by method 300. Table 2 presents an analytical data summary. Appendix B presents the laboratory report. Appendix C presents the boring logs. Appendix D presents photographs.

Remediation action levels were calculated for benzene, BTEX and TPH based on the following criteria established by the OCD (*Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases, August 13, 1993*):

<i>Criteria</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Score</i>
Depth-to-Groundwater	<50 feet	20
Wellhead Protection Area	No	0
Distance to Surface Water Body	>1000 Horizontal Feet	0
	<b>Total Score:</b>	<b>20</b>

The recommended remediation action level (RRAL) for benzene, BTEX and TPH is 10, 50 and 100 mg/kg, respectively. Benzene and BTEX were below the method reporting limit in the sample from 15 feet bgs. All samples were below the method reporting limit for TPH. Chloride was less than 250 mg/Kg below

about 2 feet bgs. Appendix E presents the initial C-141.

## **4.0 CONCLUSIONS**

The following conclusions are based on the investigation results:

- Benzene and BTEX were less than the method reporting limit in the soil sample with the highest headspace concentration greater than 100 ppm in the sample from 15 feet bgs;
- TPH was less than the method reporting limit in all samples from boring SB-1;
- Chloride decreased below 250 mg/Kg in soil from boring SB-1 at about 2 feet bgs;

## **5.0 RECDOMMENDATION**

Paladin excavated soil from the spill area to the extent feasible using a backhoe. Caliche is present at about 1 foot bgs and prevented excavating soil below about 1 foot bgs. Paladin respectfully requests approval to backfill the excavation with clean soil. A report will be submitted to the OCD after remediation that will include photographs and final C-141.

## FIGURES



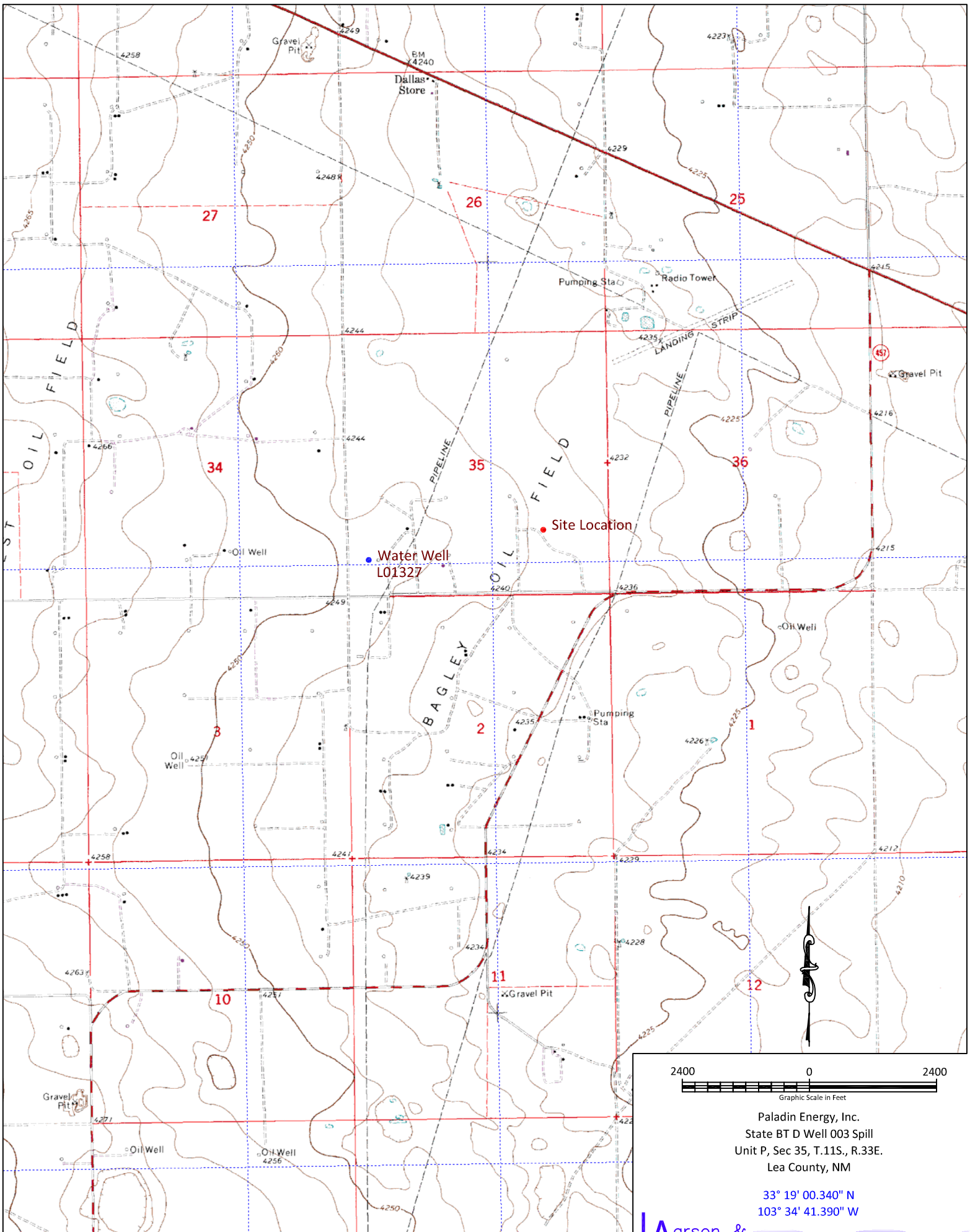
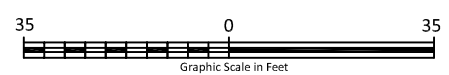
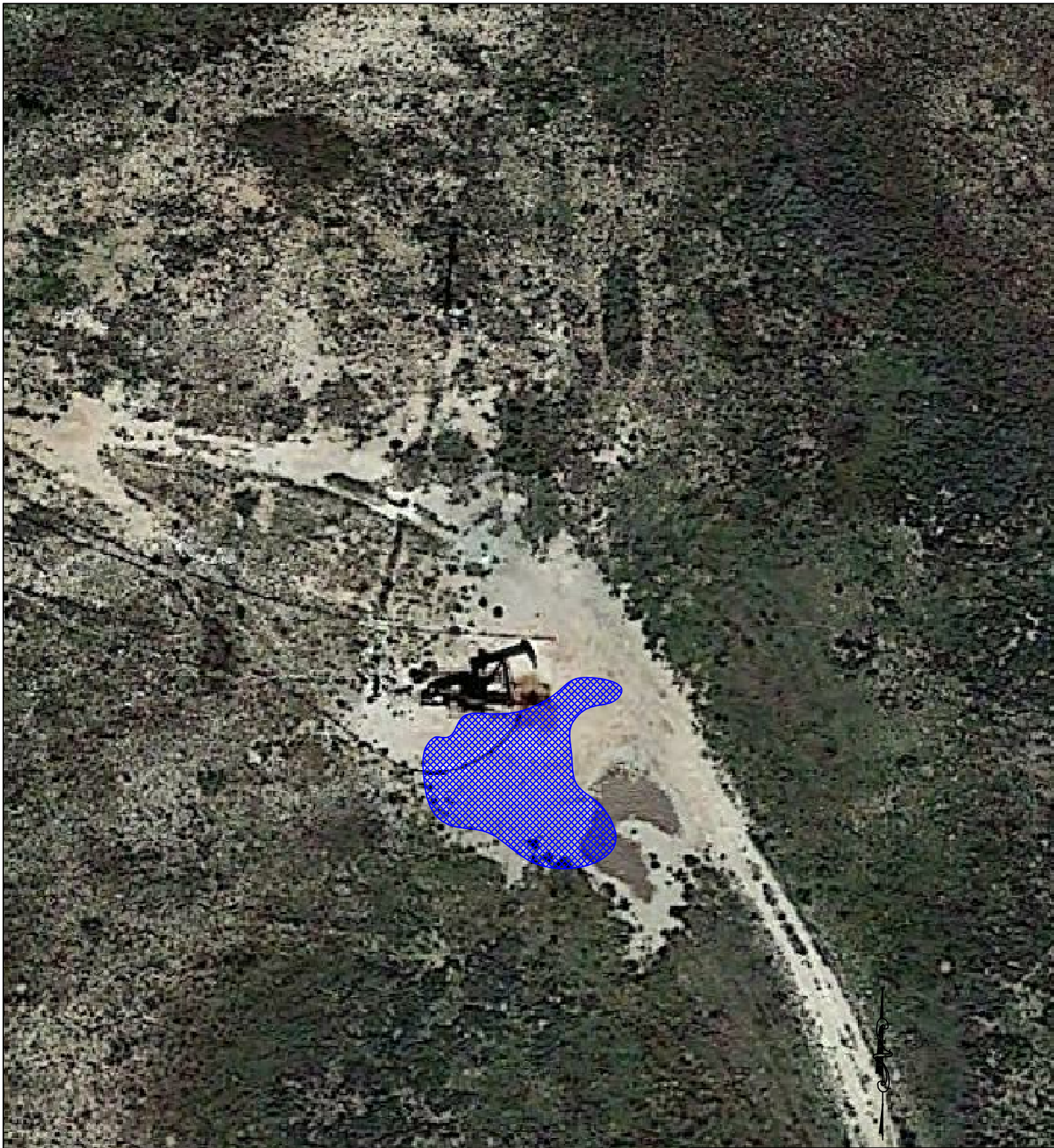


Figure 1 - Topographic Map



Paladin Energy, Inc.  
State BT D Well 003 Spill  
Unit P, Sec 35, T.11S., R.33E.  
Lea County, NM

33° 19' 00.340" N  
103° 34' 41.390" W

Figure 2 - Aerial Map

## TABLES

Table 1  
 Soil Sample Analytical Data Summary  
 Paladin Energy Corp., State BT "D" Well No. 003  
 Lea County, New Mexico  
 1RP-3594

Sample	Depth (Feet)	Type	Collection Date	10			50			100		
				Benzene (mg/Kg)	BTEX (mg/Kg)	C6 - C12 (mg/Kg)	>C12 - C28 (mg/Kg)	>C28 - C35 (mg/Kg)	TPH (mg/Kg)	Chloride (mg/Kg)		
<b>OCD RRAL:</b>												
Comp A	1.5	Composite	4/7/2015	<0.00109	0.1597	445	2,132	152.68	<b>2,729.68</b>		10,200	

Notes: Laboratory analysis performed by Permian Basin Environmental Lab, Midland, Texas.

BTEX performed by laboratory method SW-8021B

TPH performed by laboratory method SW-846-8015

Chloride performed by laboratory method 300.0

Depth in feet below ground surface (bgs)

mg/Kg: milligrams per kilogram equivalent to parts per million (ppm)

**Bold and highlighted indicates that analyte was detected above the OCD recommended remediation action level (RRAL)**

Table 2  
Soil Boring Analytical Data Summary  
Paladin Energy Corp., State BT "D" Well No. 003  
Lea County, New Mexico  
1RP-3594

Sample	Depth (Feet)	Collection Date	PID (ppm)	Benzene (mg/Kg)	BTEX (mg/Kg)	C6 - C12 (mg/kg)	>C12 - C28 (mg/kg)	>C28 - C35 (mg/Kg)	TPH (mg/Kg)	Chloride (mg/Kg)
<b>OCD RRAL:</b>										
			<b>10</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100</b>					
SB-1	1	4/20/2015	0.0	--	--	<36.8	<36.8	<36.8	<36.8	3,270
	5	4/20/2015	0.0	--	--	<35.2	<35.2	<35.2	<35.2	169
	10	4/20/2015	0.0	--	--	<30.9	<30.9	<30.9	<30.9	18
	15	4/20/2015	119.4	<0.00122	<0.0414.8	<30.5	<30.5	<30.5	<30.5	107
	20	4/20/2015	38.0	--	--	<26.9	<26.9	<26.9	<26.9	22.4
	25	4/20/2015	6.0	--	--	--	--	--	--	<1.37
	30	4/20/2015	2.4	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.54
	35	4/20/2015	0.8	--	--	--	--	--	--	67.9

Notes: Laboratory analysis performed by Permian Basin Environmental Lab, Midland, Texas.

BTEX performed by laboratory method SW-8021B

TPH performed by laboratory method SW-846-8015

Chloride performed by laboratory method 300.0

Depth in feet below ground surface (bgs)

mg/kg: milligrams per kilogram equivalent to parts per million (ppm)

Bold indicates that analyte was detected above the method concentration limit

## **APPENDIX A**

### **OCD Correspondence**

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Susana Martinez  
Governor

David Martin  
Cabinet Secretary

Brett F. Woods, Ph.D.  
Deputy Cabinet Secretary

David Catanach, Director  
Oil Conservation Division



**\*Response Required - Deadline Enclosed\***

*Field Inspection Program  
"Preserving the Integrity of Our Environment"*

01-Apr-15

**PALADIN ENERGY CORP**  
10290 MONROE DRIVE SUITE 301  
DALLAS TX 75229

**LETTER OF VIOLATION - Inspection**

Dear Operator:

The following inspection(s) indicate that the well, equipment, location or operational status of the well(s) failed to meet standards of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as described in the detail section below. To comply with standards imposed by Rules and Regulations of the Division, corrective action must be taken immediately and the situation brought into compliance. The detail section indicates preliminary findings and/or probable nature of the violation. This determination is based on an inspection of your well or facility by an inspector employed by the Oil Conservation Division on the date(s) indicated.

Please notify the proper district office of the Division, in writing, of the date corrective actions are scheduled to be made so that arrangements can be made to reinspect the well and/or facility.

**INSPECTION DETAIL SECTION**

STATE BT C No.003		L-35-11S-33E		30-025-01017-00-00		
Inspection Date	Type Inspection	Inspector	Violation?	*Significant Non-Compliance?	Corrective Action Due By:	Inspection No.
03/31/2015	Routine/Periodic	Mark Whitaker	Yes	No	6/5/2015	iMAW1509048809
<b>Violations</b> Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103) Surface Leaks/Spills						
<b>Comments on Inspection:</b> No well sign at wellhead (Rule 19.15.46.8). Spill has occurred at tank battery. NEED TO INSTALL WELL SIGN AT WELLHEAD. NEED TO FILE C141 TO REPORT SPILL, WITH REMEDIATION PLAN ATTACHED. FILE WITH TOMAS OBERDING IN THE SANTA FE OFFICE. SEE ATTACHED PHOTO.						
STATE BT D No.003		P-35-11S-33E		30-025-01021-00-00		
Inspection Date	Type Inspection	Inspector	Violation?	*Significant Non-Compliance?	Corrective Action Due By:	Inspection No.
03/31/2015	Routine/Periodic	Mark Whitaker	Yes	No	5/29/2015	iMAW1509049587
<b>Comments on Inspection:</b> Leak at stuffing box. NEED TO FILE C141 TO REPORT SPILL WITH REMEDIATION PLAN ATTACHED. FILE WITH TOMAS OBERDING IN THE SANTA FE OFFICE. SEE ATTACHED PHOTO.						

STATE BT I No.001

D-2-12S-33E

30-025-01028-00-00

Inspection Date	Type Inspection	Inspector	Violation?	*Significant Non-Compliance?	Corrective Action Due By:	Inspection No.
03/31/2015	Routine/Periodic Violations Absent Well Identification Signs (Rule 103)	Mark Whitaker	Yes	No	5/8/2015	iMAW1509048450

Comments on Inspection: No well sign (Rule 19.15.16.8). NEED TO INSTALL WELL SIGN.

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In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter of direction by the "Corrective Action Due By:" date shown above, further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Division Examiner in Santa Fe to show cause why you should not be ordered to permanently plug and abandon this well.

Sincerely,

*Mark Whitaker*  
Compliance Officer

Hobbs OCD District Office

Note: Information in Detail Section comes directly from field inspector data entries - not all blanks will contain data.  
\*Significant Non-Compliance events are reported directly to the EPA, Region VI, Dallas, Texas.



03/31/2015 STATE BT D#3



## **APPENDIX B**

### **Laboratory Reports**

**PERMIAN BASIN  
ENVIRONMENTAL LAB, LP  
10014 SCR 1213  
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# Analytical Report

**Prepared for:**

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Midland, TX 79710

Project: Paladin Well Leak  
Project Number: 15-0130-02  
Location: New Mexico  
Lab Order Number: 5D08014



NELAP/TCEQ # T104704156-13-3

Report Date: 04/10/15

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Project: Paladin Well Leak  
Project Number: 15-0130-02  
Project Manager: Mark Larson

Fax: (432) 687-0456

**ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES**

<b>Sample ID</b>	<b>Laboratory ID</b>	<b>Matrix</b>	<b>Date Sampled</b>	<b>Date Received</b>
COMP-A	5D08014-01	Soil	04/07/15 13:40	04-08-2015 09:25

**COMP-A**  
**5D08014-01 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**Permian Basin Environmental Lab, L.P.**

**Organics by GC**

Benzene	ND	0.00109	mg/kg dry	1	P5D1002	04/09/15	04/09/15	EPA 8021B	
<b>Toluene</b>	<b>0.00561</b>	0.00217	mg/kg dry	1	P5D1002	04/09/15	04/09/15	EPA 8021B	
<b>Ethylbenzene</b>	<b>0.0166</b>	0.00109	mg/kg dry	1	P5D1002	04/09/15	04/09/15	EPA 8021B	
<b>Xylene (p/m)</b>	<b>0.101</b>	0.00217	mg/kg dry	1	P5D1002	04/09/15	04/09/15	EPA 8021B	
<b>Xylene (o)</b>	<b>0.0365</b>	0.00109	mg/kg dry	1	P5D1002	04/09/15	04/09/15	EPA 8021B	
<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene</i>		97.7 %	75-125		P5D1002	04/09/15	04/09/15	EPA 8021B	
<i>Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene</i>		87.1 %	75-125		P5D1002	04/09/15	04/09/15	EPA 8021B	
<b>C6-C12</b>	<b>445.00</b>	27.174	mg/kg dry	1	P5D0905	04/09/15	04/09/15	TX 1005	
<b>&gt;C12-C28</b>	<b>2132.0</b>	27.174	mg/kg dry	1	P5D0905	04/09/15	04/09/15	TX 1005	
<b>&gt;C28-C35</b>	<b>152.68</b>	27.174	mg/kg dry	1	P5D0905	04/09/15	04/09/15	TX 1005	
<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane</i>		127 %	70-130		P5D0905	04/09/15	04/09/15	TX 1005	
<i>Surrogate: o-Terphenyl</i>		129 %	70-130		P5D0905	04/09/15	04/09/15	TX 1005	
<b>Total Hydrocarbon nC6-nC35</b>	<b>2729.7</b>	27.174	mg/kg dry	1	[CALC]	04/09/15	04/09/15	[CALC]	

**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

<b>Chloride</b>	<b>10200</b>	27.2	mg/kg dry	25	P5D1006	04/10/15	04/10/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>8.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D0901	04/09/15	04/09/15	% calculation	

**Organics by GC - Quality Control**  
**Permian Basin Environmental Lab, L.P.**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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**Batch P5D0905 - TX 1005**

<b>Blank (P5D0905-BLK1)</b>										
										Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15
C6-C12	ND	25.000	mg/kg wet							
>C12-C28	ND	25.000	"							
>C28-C35	ND	25.000	"							
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	115		"	100		115	70-130			
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	66.0		"	50.0		132	70-130			S-GC

<b>LCS (P5D0905-BS1)</b>										
										Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15
C6-C12	956	25.000	mg/kg wet	1000		95.6	75-125			
>C12-C28	1060	25.000	"	1000		106	75-125			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	129		"	100		129	70-130			
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	57.8		"	50.0		116	70-130			

<b>LCS Dup (P5D0905-BSD1)</b>										
										Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15
C6-C12	918	25.000	mg/kg wet	1000		91.8	75-125	4.07	20	
>C12-C28	1020	25.000	"	1000		102	75-125	3.73	20	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	125		"	100		125	70-130			
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	55.5		"	50.0		111	70-130			

<b>Duplicate (P5D0905-DUP1)</b>										
										Source: 5D08017-03
										Prepared: 04/09/15 Analyzed: 04/10/15
C6-C12	ND	25.253	mg/kg dry			ND				20
>C12-C28	ND	25.253	"			ND				20
>C28-C35	ND	25.253	"			ND				20
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	116		"	101		115	70-130			
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	67.8		"	50.5		134	70-130			S-GC

**Batch P5D1002 - General Preparation (GC)**

<b>Blank (P5D1002-BLK1)</b>										
										Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15
Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/kg wet							
Toluene	ND	0.00200	"							
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00200	"							
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"							
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0604		"	0.0600		101	75-125			
Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene	0.0560		"	0.0600		93.3	75-125			

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**Organics by GC - Quality Control**  
**Permian Basin Environmental Lab, L.P.**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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**Batch P5D1002 - General Preparation (GC)**

**LCS (P5D1002-BS1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15

Benzene	0.0965	0.00100	mg/kg wet	0.100		96.5	70-130			
Toluene	0.102	0.00200	"	0.100		102	70-130			
Ethylbenzene	0.116	0.00100	"	0.100		116	70-130			
Xylene (p/m)	0.231	0.00200	"	0.200		116	70-130			
Xylene (o)	0.115	0.00100	"	0.100		115	70-130			
Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene	0.0557		"	0.0600		92.8	75-125			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0646		"	0.0600		108	75-125			

**LCS Dup (P5D1002-BSD1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15

Benzene	0.105	0.00100	mg/kg wet	0.100		105	70-130	8.05	20	
Toluene	0.111	0.00200	"	0.100		111	70-130	8.75	20	
Ethylbenzene	0.109	0.00100	"	0.100		109	70-130	5.98	20	
Xylene (p/m)	0.239	0.00200	"	0.200		120	70-130	3.40	20	
Xylene (o)	0.115	0.00100	"	0.100		115	70-130	0.461	20	
Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene	0.0589		"	0.0600		98.1	75-125			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0648		"	0.0600		108	75-125			

**Duplicate (P5D1002-DUP1)**

Source: 5D02001-03

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15

Benzene	7.03	0.115	mg/kg dry		6.90			2.00	20	
Toluene	35.5	0.230	"		34.0			4.42	20	
Ethylbenzene	23.5	0.115	"		23.4			0.402	20	
Xylene (p/m)	43.5	0.230	"		44.1			1.38	20	
Xylene (o)	16.4	0.115	"		16.6			1.18	20	
Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene	0.0751		"	0.0690		109	75-125			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0695		"	0.0690		101	75-125			

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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods - Quality Control**  
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
<b>Batch P5D0901 - *** DEFAULT PREP ***</b>										
<b>Blank (P5D0901-BLK1)</b> Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15										
% Moisture	ND	0.1	%							
<b>Duplicate (P5D0901-DUP1)</b> Source: 5D07008-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15										
% Moisture	5.0	0.1	%		6.0			18.2	20	
<b>Duplicate (P5D0901-DUP2)</b> Source: 5D08012-04 Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15										
% Moisture	8.0	0.1	%		8.0			0.00	20	
<b>Duplicate (P5D0901-DUP3)</b> Source: 5D08017-03 Prepared & Analyzed: 04/09/15										
% Moisture	1.0	0.1	%		1.0			0.00	20	
<b>Batch P5D1006 - *** DEFAULT PREP ***</b>										
<b>Blank (P5D1006-BLK1)</b> Prepared & Analyzed: 04/10/15										
Chloride	ND	1.00	mg/kg wet							
<b>LCS (P5D1006-BS1)</b> Prepared & Analyzed: 04/10/15										
Chloride	102	1.00	mg/kg wet	100		102	80-120			
<b>LCS Dup (P5D1006-BSD1)</b> Prepared & Analyzed: 04/10/15										
Chloride	98.2	1.00	mg/kg wet	100		98.2	80-120	3.54	20	
<b>Duplicate (P5D1006-DUP1)</b> Source: 5D08013-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 04/10/15										
Chloride	396	5.68	mg/kg dry		350			12.3	20	
<b>Matrix Spike (P5D1006-MS1)</b> Source: 5D08013-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 04/10/15										
Chloride	932	5.68	mg/kg dry	568	350	102	80-120			



### Notes and Definitions

S-GC	Surrogate recovery outside of control limits. The data was accepted based on valid recovery of the remaining surrogate.
DET	Analyte DETECTED
ND	Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit
NR	Not Reported
dry	Sample results reported on a dry weight basis
RPD	Relative Percent Difference
LCS	Laboratory Control Spike
MS	Matrix Spike
Dup	Duplicate

Report Approved By:  Date: 4/10/2015

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# Analytical Report

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Project: Paladin/State BT "D" Well #003 Battery

Project Number: 15-0130-02

Location:

Lab Order Number: 5D22007



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### ANALYTICAL REPORT FOR SAMPLES

Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
SB-1 1'	5D22007-01	Soil	04/21/15 13:35	04-22-2015 10:21
SB-1 5'	5D22007-02	Soil	04/21/15 13:50	04-22-2015 10:21
SB-1 10'	5D22007-03	Soil	04/21/15 13:58	04-22-2015 10:21
SB-1 15'	5D22007-04	Soil	04/21/15 14:05	04-22-2015 10:21
SB-1 20'	5D22007-05	Soil	04/21/15 14:10	04-22-2015 10:21
SB-1 25'	5D22007-06	Soil	04/21/15 14:25	04-22-2015 10:21
SB-1 30'	5D22007-07	Soil	04/21/15 14:35	04-22-2015 10:21
SB-1 35'	5D22007-08	Soil	04/21/15 14:43	04-22-2015 10:21

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**SB-1 1'**  
**5D22007-01 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

<b>Chloride</b>	<b>3270</b>	14.7	mg/kg dry	10	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>32.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

**Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons C6-C35 by EPA Method 8015M**

C6-C12	ND	36.8	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
>C12-C28	ND	36.8	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
>C28-C35	ND	36.8	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane</i>		76.6 %		70-130	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
<i>Surrogate: o-Terphenyl</i>		89.8 %		70-130	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	36.8	mg/kg dry	1	[CALC]	04/27/15	04/27/15	calc	

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**SB-1 5'**  
**5D22007-02 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**Permian Basin Environmental Lab, L.P.**

**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

<b>Chloride</b>	<b>169</b>	1.41	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>29.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

**Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons C6-C35 by EPA Method 8015M**

C6-C12	ND	35.2	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
>C12-C28	ND	35.2	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
>C28-C35	ND	35.2	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		68.0 %	70-130		P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	S-GC
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl		79.8 %	70-130		P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	35.2	mg/kg dry	1	[CALC]	04/27/15	04/27/15	calc	

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**SB-1 10'**  
**5D22007-03 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**Permian Basin Environmental Lab, L.P.**

**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

<b>Chloride</b>	<b>18.0</b>	1.23	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>19.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

**Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons C6-C35 by EPA Method 8015M**

C6-C12	ND	30.9	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
>C12-C28	ND	30.9	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
>C28-C35	ND	30.9	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/27/15	TPH 8015M	
<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane</i>		67.0 %			<i>P5D3003</i>	<i>04/27/15</i>	<i>04/27/15</i>	<i>TPH 8015M</i>	<i>S-GC</i>
<i>Surrogate: o-Terphenyl</i>		78.8 %			<i>P5D3003</i>	<i>04/27/15</i>	<i>04/27/15</i>	<i>TPH 8015M</i>	
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	30.9	mg/kg dry	1	[CALC]	04/27/15	04/27/15	calc	

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**SB-1 15'**  
**5D22007-04 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**Organics by GC**

Benzene	ND	0.00122	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3008	04/27/15	04/27/15	EPA 8021B	
Toluene	ND	0.00244	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3008	04/27/15	04/27/15	EPA 8021B	
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00122	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3008	04/27/15	04/27/15	EPA 8021B	
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00244	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3008	04/27/15	04/27/15	EPA 8021B	
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00122	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3008	04/27/15	04/27/15	EPA 8021B	
<i>Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene</i>		79.0 %	75-125		P5D3008	04/27/15	04/27/15	EPA 8021B	
<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene</i>		125 %	75-125		P5D3008	04/27/15	04/27/15	EPA 8021B	

**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

<b>Chloride</b>	<b>107</b>	1.22	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>18.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

**Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons C6-C35 by EPA Method 8015M**

C6-C12	ND	30.5	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0513	04/28/15	05/07/15	TPH 8015M	
>C12-C28	ND	30.5	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0513	04/28/15	05/07/15	TPH 8015M	
>C28-C35	ND	30.5	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0513	04/28/15	05/07/15	TPH 8015M	
<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane</i>		86.3 %	70-130		P5E0513	04/28/15	05/07/15	TPH 8015M	
<i>Surrogate: o-Terphenyl</i>		105 %	70-130		P5E0513	04/28/15	05/07/15	TPH 8015M	
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	30.5	mg/kg dry	1	[CALC]	04/28/15	05/07/15	calc	



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**SB-1 20'**  
**5D22007-05 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

<b>Chloride</b>	<b>22.4</b>	1.08	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>7.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

**Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons C6-C35 by EPA Method 8015M**

C6-C12	ND	26.9	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
>C12-C28	ND	26.9	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
>C28-C35	ND	26.9	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		77.8 %	70-130		P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl		88.4 %	70-130		P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	26.9	mg/kg dry	1	[CALC]	04/27/15	04/28/15	calc	

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**SB-1 25'**  
**5D22007-06 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

Chloride	ND	1.37	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>27.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

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**SB-1 30'**  
**5D22007-07 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

<b>Chloride</b>	<b>1.54</b>	1.35	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
<b>% Moisture</b>	<b>26.0</b>	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

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**SB-1 35'**  
**5D22007-08 (Soil)**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Prepared	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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**General Chemistry Parameters by EPA / Standard Methods**

Chloride	67.9	1.06	mg/kg dry	1	P5E0502	04/30/15	05/05/15	EPA 300.0	
% Moisture	6.0	0.1	%	1	P5D2705	04/27/15	04/27/15	% calculation	

**Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons C6-C35 by EPA Method 8015M**

C6-C12	ND	26.6	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
>C12-C28	ND	26.6	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
>C28-C35	ND	26.6	mg/kg dry	1	P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane		77.6 %	70-130		P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl		90.0 %	70-130		P5D3003	04/27/15	04/28/15	TPH 8015M	
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon C6-C35	ND	26.6	mg/kg dry	1	[CALC]	04/27/15	04/28/15	calc	

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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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**Batch P5D3008 - General Preparation (GC)**

**Blank (P5D3008-BLK1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15

Benzene	ND	0.00100	mg/kg wet							
Toluene	ND	0.00200	"							
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00100	"							
Xylene (p/m)	ND	0.00200	"							
Xylene (o)	ND	0.00100	"							
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0713		"	0.0600		119	75-125			
Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene	0.0513		"	0.0600		85.5	75-125			

**LCS (P5D3008-BS1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15

Benzene	0.0935	0.00100	mg/kg wet	0.100		93.5	70-130			
Toluene	0.103	0.00200	"	0.100		103	70-130			
Ethylbenzene	0.112	0.00100	"	0.100		112	70-130			
Xylene (p/m)	0.227	0.00200	"	0.200		113	70-130			
Xylene (o)	0.119	0.00100	"	0.100		119	70-130			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0723		"	0.0600		120	75-125			
Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene	0.0476		"	0.0600		79.4	75-125			

**LCS Dup (P5D3008-BSD1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15

Benzene	0.0938	0.00100	mg/kg wet	0.100		93.8	70-130	0.320	20	
Toluene	0.104	0.00200	"	0.100		104	70-130	0.397	20	
Ethylbenzene	0.117	0.00100	"	0.100		117	70-130	4.43	20	
Xylene (p/m)	0.233	0.00200	"	0.200		117	70-130	2.83	20	
Xylene (o)	0.114	0.00100	"	0.100		114	70-130	3.96	20	
Surrogate: 1,4-Difluorobenzene	0.0524		"	0.0600		87.3	75-125			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.0707		"	0.0600		118	75-125			

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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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**Batch P5D2705 - \*\*\* DEFAULT PREP \*\*\***

<b>Blank (P5D2705-BLK1)</b>				Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15						
% Moisture	ND	0.1	%							
<b>Duplicate (P5D2705-DUP1)</b>				Source: 5D24002-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15						
% Moisture	10.0	0.1	%		11.0			9.52	20	
<b>Duplicate (P5D2705-DUP2)</b>				Source: 5D24003-01 Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15						
% Moisture	2.0	0.1	%		2.0			0.00	20	

**Batch P5E0502 - \*\*\* DEFAULT PREP \*\*\***

<b>Blank (P5E0502-BLK1)</b>				Prepared: 04/30/15 Analyzed: 05/05/15						
Chloride	ND	1.00	mg/kg wet							
<b>LCS (P5E0502-BS1)</b>				Prepared: 04/30/15 Analyzed: 05/05/15						
Chloride	105	1.00	mg/kg wet	100		105	80-120			
<b>LCS Dup (P5E0502-BSD1)</b>				Prepared: 04/30/15 Analyzed: 05/05/15						
Chloride	106	1.00	mg/kg wet	100		106	80-120	1.20	20	
<b>Duplicate (P5E0502-DUP1)</b>				Source: 5D22007-01 Prepared: 04/30/15 Analyzed: 05/05/15						
Chloride	3320	14.7	mg/kg dry		3270			1.72	20	
<b>Duplicate (P5E0502-DUP2)</b>				Source: 5D27006-03 Prepared: 04/30/15 Analyzed: 05/05/15						
Chloride	36.9	1.06	mg/kg dry		41.2			11.0	20	
<b>Matrix Spike (P5E0502-MS1)</b>				Source: 5D22007-01 Prepared: 04/30/15 Analyzed: 05/05/15						
Chloride	4200	14.7	mg/kg dry	1100	3270	84.4	80-120			

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**Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons C6-C35 by EPA Method 8015M - Quality Control**  
**Permian Basin Environmental Lab, L.P.**

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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**Batch P5D3003 - TX 1005**

**Blank (P5D3003-BLK1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15

C6-C12	ND	25.0	mg/kg wet							
>C12-C28	ND	25.0	"							
>C28-C35	ND	25.0	"							
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	65.6		"	100		65.6	70-130			S-GC
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	38.6		"	50.0		77.2	70-130			

**LCS (P5D3003-BS1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15

C6-C12	894	25.0	mg/kg wet	1000		89.4	75-125			
>C12-C28	1080	25.0	"	1000		108	75-125			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	88.6		"	100		88.6	70-130			
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	43.8		"	50.0		87.6	70-130			

**LCS Dup (P5D3003-BSD1)**

Prepared & Analyzed: 04/27/15

C6-C12	986	25.0	mg/kg wet	1000		98.6	75-125	9.85	20	
>C12-C28	1150	25.0	"	1000		115	75-125	6.17	20	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	87.7		"	100		87.7	70-130			
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	40.7		"	50.0		81.5	70-130			

**Duplicate (P5D3003-DUP1)**

Source: 5D27003-01

Prepared: 04/27/15 Analyzed: 04/28/15

C6-C12	2740	439	mg/kg dry		2900			5.86	20	
>C12-C28	22400	439	"		23700			5.82	20	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	147		"	175		83.7	70-130			
Surrogate: o-Terphenyl	91.1		"	87.7		104	70-130			

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### Notes and Definitions

S-GC Surrogate recovery outside of control limits. The data was accepted based on valid recovery of the remaining surrogate.

DET Analyte DETECTED

ND Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit

NR Not Reported

dry Sample results reported on a dry weight basis

RPD Relative Percent Difference

LCS Laboratory Control Spike

MS Matrix Spike

Dup Duplicate

Report Approved By:



Date:

5/8/2015

Brent Barron, Laboratory Director/Technical Director

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Data Reported to:

DATE: 4-20-2015 PAGE 1 OF 1  
 PO #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 PROJECT LOCATION OR NAME: Goodin/State BT "O" Area #3  
 LAI PROJECT #: 15-0130-02 COLLECTOR: ML

**CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY**

TRRP report?  
 Yes  No

S=SOIL  
 W=WATER  
 A=AIR

P=PAINT  
 SL=SLUDGE  
 OT=OTHER

TIME ZONE:  
 Time zone/State:

5D22007

Mtn/NM

Field Sample I.D.

Lab #

Date

Time

Matrix

# of Containers

HCl

HNO<sub>3</sub>

H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  NaOH

ICE

UNPRESERVED

**ANALYSES**

- BTEX  MTBE
- TRPH 418.1  TPH 1005  TPH 1006
- GASOLINE MOD 8015
- DIESEL - MOD 8015
- VOC 8260
- SVOC 8270  PAH 8270  HOLDPAH
- 8081 PESTICIDES  8151 HERBICIDES
- 8082 PCBS
- TCLP - METALS (RCRA)  TCLP VOC
- TCLP - PEST  HERB  Semi-VOC
- TOTAL METALS (RCRA)  OTHER LIST
- LEAD - TOTAL  D.W 200.8  TCLP
- RCI  TOX  FLASHPOINT
- TDS  TSS  % MOISTURE
- pH  HEXAVALENT CHROMIUM
- EXPLOSIVES  PECHLORATE
- CHLORIDE  ANIONS  ALKALINITY

FIELD NOTES

Field Sample I.D.	Lab #	Date	Time	Matrix	# of Containers	HCl	HNO <sub>3</sub>	H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> <input type="checkbox"/> NaOH <input type="checkbox"/>	ICE	UNPRESERVED	ANALYSES
SB-1, 1'	-D1	4/20/15	18:35	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SB-1, 5'	-D2		13:50	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SB-1, 10'	-D3		13:58	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SB-1, 15'	-D4		14:05	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SB-1, 20'	-D5		14:10	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SB-1, 25'	-D6		14:25	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SB-1, 30'	-D7		14:35	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SB-1, 35'	-D8		14:43	S	1						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SP SR - low		4/21/15									<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL											

RELINQUISHED BY: (Signature) [Signature]

DATE/TIME 4/22/10, 21

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Pennman Brain Env. Lab

Midland, TX

TURN AROUND TIME  
 NORMAL   
 1 DAY   
 2 DAY   
 OTHER

LABORATORY USE ONLY:  
 RECEIVING TEMP: 16 THERM #: \_\_\_\_\_

CUSTODY SEALS -  BROKEN  INTACT  NOT USED

CARRIER BILL # \_\_\_\_\_

HAND DELIVERED

## **APPENDIX C**

### **Boring Logs**

**BORING RECORD**

GEOLOGIC UNIT	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION LITHOLOGIC	DESCRIPTION USCS	GRAPHIC LOG	PID READING										SAMPLE		REMARKS			
					PPM X 10										NUMBER	PID READING	RECOVERY	DEPTH	BACKGROUND PID READING	
		Start : 13:35 Stop : 14:43			2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18					SOIL : _____ PPM		
	1	Excavated soil, Excavated to 1' logs																0.0 PPM	13:35	
	5	Caliche, 7.5YR7/1, Pink, Sandy, Very fine grained, Quartz sand, Indurated, Hard, Moist, @ 5' and dry below	Caliche															0.0 PPM	13:50	
	10																		0.0 PPM	13:58
	15																		119.4 PPM	14:05
	20	Sand, 5YR5/6, Yellowish red, Very fine grained quartz sand, Poorly sorted, Dry	SP															38.0 PPM	14:10	
	25																	6.0 PPM	14:25	

- ONE CONTINUOUS AUGER SAMPLER
- STANDARD PENETRATION TEST
- UNDISTURBED SAMPLE
- WATER TABLE ( 24 HRS )
- WATER TABLE ( TIME OF BORING )
- LABORATORY TEST LOCATION
- PENETROMETER ( TONS/ SQ. FT )
- NR NO RECOVERY

JOB NUMBER : Paladin/15-0130-02  
 HOLE DIAMETER : 5"  
 LOCATION : South of Well 003  
 LAI GEOLOGIST : MJL  
 DRILLING CONTRACTOR : SDI  
 DRILLING METHOD : DR ( 1 of 2 Pages )



DRILL DATE : 4 - 20 - 2015

BORING NUMBER : SB - 1



## **APPENDIX D**

### **Photographs**



Well Sign



Excavation South of Well Viewing North, April 7, 2015



Excavation South of Well Viewing Northeast, April 7, 2015



Excavation South of Well Viewing West, April 21, 2015

## **APPENDIX E**

### **Initial C-141**



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

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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: Paladin Energy Corp	Contact: Mickey Horn
Address: 10290 Monroe Dr., Ste. 301, Fort Worth, TX 75229	Telephone No. (214) 352-7273
Facility Name: State BT "D" No. 003	Facility Type: Well (Producer)
Surface Owner: State of New Mexico	Mineral Owner: State of New Mexico
API No. 30-025-01021-00-00	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County	Lea
P	35	11S	33E	660	South	660	West		

Latitude 33° 19' 14" Longitude 103° 35' 03"

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Crude oil/produced water	Volume of Release 4 bbl oil and 2 bbl water	Volume Recovered 0 bbl
Source of Release: Stuffing box leak	Date and Hour of Occurrence 03/15/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery 03/16/2015
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input 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.	

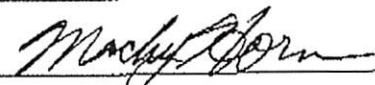

**RECEIVED**

By OCD; Dr. Oberding at 1:19 pm, Apr 07, 2015

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\* Leak at stuffing box flowed around and away from wellhead. Backhoe and roust-a-bout crew to pick up oily soil for disposal at OCD approved facility.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\* Area affected by spill is around and south of wellhead. Composite soil sample will be collected and analyzed after oily soil is removed and results will be reported to OCD to determine if further remediation is required.  
Note: Composite samples are not accepted.

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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Mickey Horn	Hydrologist	Approved by 
Title: Operations Manager	Approval Date: 04/07/2015	Expiration Date: 07/07/2015
E-mail Address: paladinmid@suddenlink.net	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: April 6, 2015 Phone: (432) 522-2162	Site samples required. Delineate and remediate area as per NMOCD guides.	IRP-3594 164070

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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