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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

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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 Yates Petroleum Corporation	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 th Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Yarrow BHY State #4H	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-025-41054
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter B	Section 32	Township 23S	Range 33E	Feet from the 475	North/South Line North	Feet from the 2043	East/West Line East	County Lea
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Latitude 32.26702 Longitude 103.59194

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 8 B/PW	Volume Recovered 5 B/PW
Source of Release Heater treater	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12/14/2015; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/14/2015; AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? N/A	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour N/A	
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.*

Threading on a 3" water line from the heater leaked, causing the release. Vacuum truck(s) were called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

An approximate area of 10' x 10' within the lined & bermed battery. Crews repaired water line. A vacuum truck was utilized to recover 5 of the 8 B/PW released, remaining produced water was allowed to evaporate. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 300', per the ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Based on the battery is lined, remaining produced water did not impacted soils under liner and the Site Ranking is Zero, Yates Petroleum Corporation request 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.

Signature: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor	Approval Date: <u>02/08/2016</u>	Expiration Date: <u>///</u>
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: January 19, 2016 Phone: 575-748-4217	<u>2RP</u>	<u>1RP 4156</u> <u>nJXK1603927080</u> <u>pJXK1603927181</u>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary