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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
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811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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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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By JKeyes at 10:02 am, Jul 20, 2016

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: Apache Corporation	Contact Bruce Baker	
Address: 2350 W Marland Blvd Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No. (432) 631-6982	
Facility Name NEDU 175	Facility Type: Oil Well	
Surface Owner Private	Mineral Owner	API No. 30-25-40516

### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C	Section 3	Township 21S	Range 37E	Feet from the 3785'	North/South Line FNL	Feet from the 1980'	East/West Line FWL	County Lea
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Latitude 32.5118179 Longitude -103.1530533

### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: produced water and oil	Volume of Release 20 Barrels of water and 5 Barrels of oil	Volume Recovered 16 Barrels of water and 4 Barrels of oil
Source of Release: Flow line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 7/14/2016	Date and Hour of Discovery 7/14/2016
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jamie Keyes (NMOCD) via email	
By Whom? Bruce Baker	Date and Hour 4/15/2016 at 11:42 MST	
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.\*

A 3 inch poly line ruptured resulting in the loss of fluid. The well was shut in. A vacuum truck was dispatched to pick up standing fluid and the line was repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The release was on the lease pad and affected approximately 600 square feet of pasture.

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>Bruce Baker</i>	<u>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</u>		
Printed Name: Bruce Baker	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <i>Jamie Keyes</i>		
Title: Environmental Technician	Approval Date: 07/20/2016	Expiration Date: 09/20/2016	
E-mail Address: larry.baker@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval: Discrete samples only. Delineate and remediate per NMOCD guidelines.		Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP 4355
Date: 7/19/2016	Phone: (432) 631-6982		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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