

**From:** [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)  
**To:** ["Troy Hays"; Billings, Bradford, EMNRD](#)  
**Cc:** [David Sweeney](#); [Mike & Susan Pilcher](#)  
**Subject:** RE: revised C-141 for Cameron Oil  
**Date:** Friday, August 11, 2017 9:59:00 AM  
**Attachments:** 1RP4784.pdf

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Dear Mr. Sweeney:

Although NMOCD still disagrees with the assessment of the release volume, the provided information is appreciated.

The 1RP for this incident is

<b>4784</b>	8/11/2017	A	Cameron	Langlie Matrix 4 Fed 1	30-025-32743	23S-37E-4L	7/20/2017
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Please note that a release characterization/delineation workplan as detailed in the attachment must be approved by NMOCD BEFORE any remediation work.

Thanks,  
Olivia

-----Original Message-----

From: Troy Hays [mailto:Troy@troyhays.net]  
Sent: Wednesday, August 9, 2017 10:42 AM  
To: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>  
Cc: David Sweeney <dsweeney@cameronoil.com>; Mike & Susan Pilcher <vistaservices@windstream.net>  
Subject: Re: revised C-141 for Cameron Oil

Olivia,

Please see the two attachments, this is our documentation for our defense of the C-141 that you have found unacceptable. If you have any questions or comments please feel free to contact myself at 575-420-1108 or 575-627-3284.

Thanks,  
David Sweeney

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From: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>  
Sent: Friday, August 4, 2017 1:56 PM  
To: Troy Hays  
Cc: Billings, Bradford, EMNRD  
Subject: revised C-141 for Cameron Oil

Dear Mr. Hays:

NMOCD will not accept the volume of release reported on the initial C141. Based on photo documentation and NMOCD inspector evaluation, the release is larger than 11 bbls. Photos demonstrate that the release impacted the lease road and was not contained within the firewall, which does not appear to be intact.

If in disagreement, please submit rationale calculations for determination. An amended initial C141 form is due on August 10, 2017.

Thanks,

Olivia Yu  
Environmental Specialist  
NMOCD, District I  
[Olivia.yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.yu@state.nm.us)  
575-393-6161 x113

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

-----Original Message-----

From: Troy Hays [<mailto:Troy@troyhays.net>]

Sent: Wednesday, August 2, 2017 11:32 AM

To: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>

Subject: revised C-141 for Cameron Oil

Attached is the revised C-141 for Cameron Oil & Gas, Inc.

Troy Hays, LLC CPA

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Roswell, NM 88202-1456

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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

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

Form C-141  
Revised April 3, 2017

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

Denied

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Cameron Oil & Gas, Inc.	Contact David Sweeney	
Address PO Box 1455 Roswell, NM 88202-1455	Telephone No. 575-420-1108 575-627-3284	
Facility Name Langlie Mattix 4 Federal 1	Facility Type Tank Battery	
Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	API No. 30-025-32743

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter L	Section 4	Township 23S	Range 37E	Feet from the 1650	North/South Line South	Feet from the 660	East/West Line West	County Lea
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Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_ NAD83

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil & Water	Volume of Release 11 BBLS	Volume Recovered 0
Source of Release	Date and Hour of Occurrence	Date and Hour of Discovery
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 7/20/17	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

RECEIVED

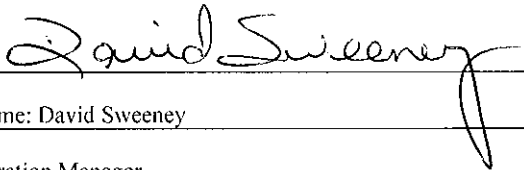
By Olivia Yu at 1:54 pm, Aug 04, 2017

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\* On 7/20/17 a hole in the flowline between the wellhead and heater treater. The flowline was replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\* 11 BBLS of fluid was out, 2 BBLS of oil and 9 BBLS of water. All of it was contained in the dike around heater treater. A vacuum truck picked up 3 BBLS of fluid, the area was 300 sq feet. A backhoe cleaned the area and hauled 3 yards to Sundance.

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: David Sweeney	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Operation Manager	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: dsweeney@cameronoil.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 8/1/17 Phone: 575-420-1108 575-627-3284		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary