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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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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

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating, LLC (OGRID# 229137)	Contact: Robert McNeill	
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No.: 432-683-7443	
Facility Name: Pintail 3 Federal SWD #001	Facility Type: Tank Battery	
Surface Owner: BLM	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No.: 30-025-41208

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
J	3	26S	32E	2500	South	1400	East	Lea

Latitude: 32.07196337 Longitude: -103.6587219 NAD83

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release: 3bbls oil & 147bbls PW	Volume Recovered: 2.5bbls oil & 146.5bbls PW
Source of Release: Tank Overflow	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 11/15/2017 10:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 11/15/2017 10:00am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Olivia Yu-NMOCD Shelly Tucker-BLM	
By Whom? Dakota Neel	Date and Hour: 11/15/2017 10:55am	
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.*

APPROVED

By Olivia Yu at 9:48 am, Apr 04, 2018



Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

A stuck float resulted in a tank overflow. The float was repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

All of the fluid remained inside of the lined containment. A final inspection has been conducted regarding the clean-up efforts made at the above mentioned lined facility. Free fluids were removed and if present the impacted gravel was removed from the liner and taken to a NMOCD approved disposal facility. The liner was inspected for damage and found to have liner integrity to contain free fluids.

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: Dakota Neel		Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: HSE Coordinator	Approval Date: 4/4/2018	Expiration Date: xx/xx/xxxx	
E-mail Address: dneel2@concho.com	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 12/11/2017	Phone: 575-746-2010		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

nOY1732438128

From: [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)
To: [Dakota Neel; stucker@blm.gov](#)
Cc: [Rebecca Haskell; Robert McNeill; Aaron Lieb; Christopher Gray; Sheldon Hitchcock; James_Amos@blm.gov; Billings, Bradford, EMNRD](#)
Subject: RE: (C-141 Final) Pintail 3 Federal SWD #001 11/15/2017 (30-025-41208)
Date: Wednesday, April 4, 2018 9:51:00 AM
Attachments: approved_(C-141Final) Pintail 3 Federal SWD.pdf
image003.png

Mr. Neel:

The available information indicates **OPERATOR** has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC and no further corrective action is required. NMOCD considers **nOY1732438128** closed. This determination by the Oil Conservation Division does not relieve Operator of responsibility should future information indicate a threat to ground water, surface water, human health, or the environment. Furthermore, it does not relieve Operator of responsibility for compliance with any federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Thanks,

Olivia Yu
Environmental Specialist
NMOCD, District I
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.

From: Dakota Neel <DNeel2@concho.com>
Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 1:27 PM
To: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>; stucker@blm.gov
Cc: Rebecca Haskell <RHaskell@concho.com>; Robert McNeill <RMcNeill@concho.com>; Aaron Lieb <ALieb@concho.com>; Christopher Gray <CGray@concho.com>; Sheldon Hitchcock <SLHitchcock@concho.com>; James_Amos@blm.gov; Billings, Bradford, EMNRD <Bradford.Billings@state.nm.us>
Subject: (C-141 Final) Pintail 3 Federal SWD #001 11/15/2017 (30-025-41208)

Ms. Yu/Ms. Tucker,

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liner and taken to a NMOCD approved disposal facility. The liner was inspected for damage and found to have liner integrity to contain free fluids. Please see the attached Final C-141 and picture taken during the final inspection conducted by a COG HSE representative.



Thanks,

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From: Sheldon Hitchcock
Sent: Thursday, November 16, 2017 3:33 PM
To: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD; Billings, Bradford, EMNRD; stucker@blm.gov; James.Amos@blm.gov
Cc: Dakota Neel; Rebecca Haskell; Robert McNeill; Aaron Lieb; Christopher Gray
Subject: (C-141 Initial) Pintail 3 Federal SWD #001 11/15/2017 (30-025-41208)

Ms. Yu/Ms. Tucker

Please find the attached Initial C-141 for your consideration. If you have any questions or concerns please contact me.

Thank You,

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From: Tucker, Shelly
To: [Dakota Neel](#)
Cc: [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#); [Rebecca Haskell](#); [Robert McNeill](#); [Aaron Lieb](#); [Christopher Gray](#); [Sheldon Hitchcock](#); [James_Amos@blm.gov](#); [Billings, Bradford, EMNRD](#)
Subject: Re: (C-141 Final) Pintail 3 Federal SWD #001 11/15/2017 (30-025-41208)
Date: Wednesday, December 13, 2017 10:32:02 AM
Attachments: image010.png

BLM accepts your final C-141 for the Pintail 3 Federal SWD #001 - DOR 11/15/2017 - API 30-025-41208.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Shelly J Tucker

Environmental Protection Specialist
O&G Spill/Release Coordinator

Bureau of Land Management
620 E. Greene St
Carlsbad, NM 88220

575.234.5905 - Direct
575.361.0084 - Cellular
575.234.6235 - Emergency Spill Number

stucker@blm.gov

The **BLM acceptance/approval does not** relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment or if the location fails to reclaim properly. In such an event that the location does not revegetate, or future issues with contaminants are encountered, the operator will be asked to address the issues until the contaminant issues are fully mitigated and the location is successfully reclaimed. In addition, BLM approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws/regulations.

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On Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 1:27 PM, Dakota Neel <DNeel2@concho.com> wrote:

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