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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural
Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141
Revised August 24, 2018
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	nAPP2305960928
District RP	
Facility ID	fAPP2135654769
Application ID	

Release Notification

Responsible Party

Responsible Party: BTA Oil Producers, LLC	OGRID: 260297
Contact Name: Bob Hall	Contact Telephone: 432-682-3753
Contact email: bhall@btaoil.com	Incident # (assigned by OCD) nAPP2305960928
Contact mailing address: 104 S. Pecos St., Midland, TX 79701	

Location of Release Source

Latitude: 32.31110 Longitude: -103.502211

(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name: White Wing Tank Battery	Site Type: Tank Battery
Date Release Discovered: 2/27/2023	API# (if applicable) Nearest well:

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
A	18	23S	34E	Lea

Surface Owner: ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Tribal ☒ Private (Name: Limestone Basin Prop Ranch LLC)

Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) 732 BBL	Volume Recovered (bbls) 731 BBL
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

Cause of Release

Leak at #1 Water Transfer Pump. A 4" hose came off a piping nipple between the water transfer pump and the charge pump. All fluid was released into lined secondary containment, then recovered with a vacuum truck and returned to the tanks. A liner check will be required for the State. (One BW added to volume recovered by vacuum trucks to account for wetted areas with unrecoverable water.).


(Spill calculation will be provided with invoices from vacuum truck company, which are not yet available.)

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release? The volume of the release exceeded 25 BBL of fluid.
If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)? Notice was provided by NOR filed on 2/28/2023 via the NMOCD Permitting Website.	

Initial Response

The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The source of the release has been stopped. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.	
If all the actions described above have <u>not</u> been undertaken, explain why: 	
Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.	
I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD 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 OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD 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.	
Printed Name: Bob Hall Title: Environmental Manager	
Signature: <u></u>	Date: 3/10/2023
email: bhall@btaoil.com	Telephone: 432-682-3753
<u>OCD Only</u>	
Received by: <u>Jocelyn Harimon</u>	Date: <u>03/10/2023</u>

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CONDITIONS

Action 195787

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Operator: BTA OIL PRODUCERS, LLC 104 S Pecos Midland, TX 79701	OGRID: 260297
	Action Number: 195787
	Action Type: [C-141] Release Corrective Action (C-141)

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Created By	Condition	Condition Date
jharimon	When submitting future reports regarding this release, please submit the calculations used or specific justification for the volumes reported on the initial C-141	3/10/2023