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1301 W. Grand Avenue, 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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JUL 29 2013  
NMOCD ARTESIA

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003  
Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

nJMW 1321048564

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company	Oxy Permian Ltd. 192463	Contact	Christopher Jones
Address	1502 W. Commerce Dr., Carlsbad, NM	Telephone No.	(575) 628-4121
Facility Name	Comanche 3 Federal #1	Facility Type	

Surface Owner	BLM	Mineral Owner		API No.	30-015-28720
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
G	3	21S	23E	1650	North	1850	East	Eddy County, NM

Latitude N 32.50486° Longitude W 104.59051°

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Oil and Produced water	Volume of Release	0.5 bbls oil and 25 bbls produced water	Volume Recovered	0 bbls
Source of Release	Failure in 4" poly production line	Date and Hour of Occurrence	07/04/2013	Date and Hour of Discovery	
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher and Jean Marie Warren- OCD, James Amos and Jennifer VanCuren- BLM		
By Whom?	Christopher Jones	Date and Hour	07/05/2013 @ 5:11 pm		
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.\*  
Failure of a 4" poly production flow line caused 0.5 bbls of oil and 25 bbls of produced water to leak onto the ground. No fluids were recovered. The line was repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
The affected area is approximately 60' x 25'. Remediation will be completed in accordance with a plan approved by NMOCD and the BLM.

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:		<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name:	Christopher Jones	Approved by District Supervisor:	Signed By
Title:	HES Specialist	Approval Date:	JUL 29 2013
E-mail Address:	Christopher.Jones@oxy.com	Expiration Date:	
Date:	7-29-13	Conditions of Approval:	Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines, & like approval by BLM. <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION</b>
Phone:	(575) 628-4121	Attached	<input type="checkbox"/>

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:**  
**August 29, 2013**      2RP-1766

## Warren, JeanMarie, EMNRD

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**From:** Kathy Purvis <kathy@bbcinternational.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 29, 2013 11:40 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Warren, JeanMarie, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov; jvancure@blm.gov  
**Cc:** christopher\_jones@oxy.com; cbrunson@bbcinternational.com; kswinney@bbcinternational.com; jgilkey@bbcinternational.com  
**Subject:** Initial C-141, Comanche 3 Federal #1  
**Attachments:** Initial C-141, signed and sent 7-29-13, Comanche 3-1.pdf

Attached is the initial C-141 for a leak occurring at the Comanche 3 Federal #1 on 07/04/2013 in Eddy County, NM. Receipt notification via email is greatly appreciated. Please contact me if you have an questions.

*Kathy Purvis*

BBC International, Inc.

1324 W. Marland

Hobbs, NM 88240

Phone: (575) 397-6388

Fax: (575) 397-0397

Email: [kathy@bbcinternational.com](mailto:kathy@bbcinternational.com)

**From:** Christopher\_Jones@oxy.com  
**Sent:** Friday, July 05, 2013 5:11 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Warren, JeanMarie, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov  
**Cc:** cbrunson@bbcinternational.com; kswinney@bbcinternational.com; kathy@bbcinternational.com; jgilkey@bbcinternational.com  
**Subject:** Comanche leak

This is to inform you that Oxy had a leak at the Comanche Fed 3-1, we released .5 bbls of oil and 25 bbls of produces water, no fluids were recovered. BBC will do some initial sampling and notifications will be given.

REGULATORY LEASE # NM 0384623<tel:0384623> EDDY COUNTY NM SEC 3<x-apple-data-detectors://8/1> T21S R23E FROM CARLSBAD NM TAKE HWY 285 NORTH TURN LEFT ON CR 137 GO TO GRAY OAK ROAD GO NORTH 2 MILES TO LEASE ROAD<x-apple-data-detectors://9> GO 1.5 MILES STAYING TO RIGHT UNTIL ARRIVE NIBU GAS COM 3

Chris Jones  
HES Specialist  
Permian Primary Production  
Carlsbad, NM  
Cell 575-499-3337  
Off 575-628-4121

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## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Van Curen, Jennifer <jvancure@blm.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 08, 2013 8:05 AM  
**To:** Christopher\_Jones@oxy.com; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; JeanMarie.Warren@state.nm.gov; Kathy Purvis; Jennifer Gilkey  
**Subject:** Re: Comanche leak

### Notification Stipulations:

1. The authorized officer on this undesirable event case is:

**Jennifer Van Curen**  
**(575) 361-0042**  
**jvancure@blm.gov**

2. Work Plan will be required within 30 days of receiving notification.

3. Delineation samples for Chlorides on all releases and TPH / BTEX if any oil is released are required to be included in the plan.

JENNIFER E VAN CUREN  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION SPECIALIST  
DOI-BLM-CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE  
320 E GREENE ST. CARLSBAD, NM 88220  
OFFICE- 575-234-5905  
CELL - 575-361-0042  
FAX - 575-234-5927

On Mon, Jul 8, 2013 at 8:00 AM, Amos, James <jamos@blm.gov> wrote:

----- Forwarded message -----

From: <Christopher\_Jones@oxy.com>

Date: Fri, Jul 5, 2013 at 5:10 PM

Subject: Comanche leak

To: [Mike.Bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:Mike.Bratcher@state.nm.us), [JeanMarie.Warren@state.nm.us](mailto:JeanMarie.Warren@state.nm.us), [jamos@blm.gov](mailto:jamos@blm.gov)

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