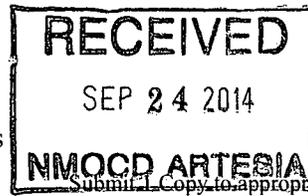


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Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

*NAB1426853142* OPERATOR  Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC <i>229137</i>	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-230-0077
Facility Name: Continental A State Battery	Facility Type: Battery
Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner: State
API No. 30-015-29696	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
C	30	17S	29E	330	North	1409	West	Eddy

Latitude N 32°48.739 Longitude W104°06.993'

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Oil and Produced Water	Volume of Release: Oil 20 bbls; PW 50 bbls	Volume Recovered: Oil 20 bbls; PW 45 bbls
Source of Release: Valve	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 9/9/2014 7:00 am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 9/9/2014 7:00 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher - OCD	
By Whom? Amanda Trujillo	Date and Hour: 9/10/2014 10:49 am	
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.* This release was caused by a damaged valve and contained inside the bermed area. Vacuum trucks were dispatched to recover standing fluids.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* The release was contained within the battery. Concho will have the spill site sampled to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD for approval prior to any significant remediation work.		
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>A Trujillo</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo	Signed By <i>Mike Bratcher</i> Approved by Environmental Specialist	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: <i>9/25/14</i>	Expiration Date: <i>N/A</i>
E-mail Address: <i>atrujillo@concho.com</i>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: September 24, 2014 Phone: 575-748-6940	<b>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules &amp; Guidelines</b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN: 10/25/14**

*229-2514*

**Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Amanda Trujillo <ATrujillo@concho.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 10, 2014 9:49 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Subject:** (Notification) Continental A State Battery (30-015-29696)

Mr. Bratcher,

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Unit C Section 30 Township 17S Range 29E

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This release was caused by a damaged valve and contained inside the bermed area. The site is being evaluated for clean-up and a C-141 submitted. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

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**Subject:** (C-141 Initial)) Continental A State Battery (30-015-29696)  
**Attachments:** 09-09-2014 Contentinal A State Battery (TB) Initial.pdf

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Attached is a C-141 for your consideration.

Thank you,

### **Amanda Trujillo**

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