

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

**NMOC** State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

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 : <i>Conoco Phillips Company</i>	Contact : <i>Dennis Martinez</i>	
Address : <i>3300 N. A St. Midland, TX</i>	Telephone No. : <i>432-741-1818</i>	
Facility Name : <i>H&amp;P Rig 486</i>	Facility Type : <i>Drilling Rig</i>	
Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	API No. <i>30-025-41706</i>

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section <i>16block</i>	Township <i>T26S</i>	Range <i>R32E</i>	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County <i>Lea</i>
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*Lea County, New Mexico Section 16 Block T26S R32E*

Latitude : *32 02' 57.40N"* Longitude : *103 40' 18.97"*

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release : <i>Spill to ground</i>	Volume of Release : <i>15 bbl</i>	Volume Recovered: <i>14bbl</i>
Source of Release : <i>Frac Pit</i>	Date and Hour of Occurrence	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? <i>11/5/2014 @2230 hrs.</i> <i>11/5/2014 @2235hrs.</i>	
By Whom? <i>Tommy Turner</i>	Date and Hour : <i>11/06/2014 @0930 hrs</i>	
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.\*

*None*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

*On Tuesday, November 05, 2014 at approximately 2230 hrs. while transferring drilling mud from the rigs active pit system to storage frac tank, the frac tank was over filled causing approximately 15 bbl of drilling mud (Brine Water) to spill onto the ground. Pumping was stopped and remediation began immediately.*

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

*The area affected was just off the caliche drilling pad where a small stream of fluid flowed. Roustabout company was dispatched to location with a loader to pick up soiled area which was hauled off to disposal site.*

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOC 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 NMOC 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, NMOC 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>Dennis R. Martinez</i>		<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: <i>Dennis R. Martinez</i>		Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: <i>Well Site Safety Rep</i>		Approval Date: <i>11-14-14</i>	Expiration Date: <i>1-14-15</i>
E-mail Address: <i>Dennis.R.Martinez@contractor.conocophillips.com</i>		Conditions of Approval: <i>Sub Sample upon Release 2, include analysis per NMOC guidelines. Submit Form C-141 by 1-14-15</i>	
Date: <i>11/07/2014</i> Phone: <i>432-688-9012</i>		Attached <input type="checkbox"/> <i>IRP-3724</i> <i>o/gid 217812</i> <i>11/14/14 31831520</i> <i>11/14/14 31831724</i>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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