

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

HOBBS OCD 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 August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation		Contact Amber Cannon
Address 104 S. 4 th Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Hilliard B Federal #1		Facility Type Tank Battery
Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	API No. 30-005-20987

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
L	26	15S	30E	1980	South	460	West	Chaves

Latitude 32.98501 Longitude 103.90212

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Crude Oil	Volume of Release 6 B/O	Volume Recovered 0 B/O
Source of Release Heater Treater	Date and Hour of Occurrence 1/4/2015; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 1/4/2015; AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? N/A	
By Whom? N/A	Date and Hour N/A	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully. N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The gas line and BP valves froze on the heater treater and busted, causing the release. Well was shut off and roustabout crews were called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

An approximate area of 40' X 40' was affected. The well was shut down, production equipment was power washed and contaminated soils were removed. Excavated soils will be hauled to a NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX. If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's (site ranking is 0) a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the OCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL's a work plan will be submitted to the OCD. **Depth to Ground Water: > 100' (approximately 185', Section 26, T15S-R30E, per Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0.**

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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: <i>Amber Cannon</i>	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Printed Name: Amber Cannon	Approval Date: <i>1-14-15</i>	Expiration Date: <i>3-14-15</i>
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Agent	Conditions of Approval: <i>Site Specific - require details</i>	
E-mail Address: ACannon@yatespetroleum.com	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> <i>IRP-3509</i>	
Date: January 13, 2015	Phone: 575-748-4111	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

RRP - Contaminated area upon NMOCD guide 5.1.2.1.1 C-141 by 3-14-15

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