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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

NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT
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

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

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1506442486 **192463 OPERATOR** ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: OXY USA WTP Limited Partnership	Contact: Chris Jones
Address: 102 S. Main St. Carlsbad, NM 88220	Telephone No.: 575-628-4121
Facility Name: Winston Gas Com Battery	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:	API No.: Lease #: 30-015-28633
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter B	Section 31	Township 21S	Range 24E	Feet from the 697'	North/South Line North	Feet from the 2146'	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.440530 N Longitude -104.5370 W

NATURE OF RELEASE


Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 10 bbls	Volume Recovered: 6 bbls
Source of Release: Valve on Heater Treater Malfunctioned	Date and Hour of Occurrence 2/17/15	Date and Hour of Discovery 2/17/15
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
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.* A back pressure valve on the heater treater malfunctioned causing a release of 10 barrels of oil. The facility was shut-in, the valve repaired and put back into service. A vacuum truck was immediately called to the location and 6 barrels of oil was recovered. Talon/LPE was contracted to perform an initial site assessment and soil sampling.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* The release left the northwest corner of the location then ran north along the lease road.

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.

Chris Jones Digitally signed by Chris Jones DN: cn=Chris Jones, o, ou, email=cjones888@yahoo.com, c=US Date: 2015.02.27 14:24:02 -0600 Signature: _____	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
Printed Name: Chris Jones	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 
Title: HES Specialist	Approval Date: <u>3/5/15</u> Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: Christopher.Jones@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval: _____ Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 2/23/2015 Phone: 575-628-4121	Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO
LATER THAN: 4/5/15**

2RP-2858

Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

From: Kimberly M. Wilson <kwilson@talonlpe.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 04, 2015 3:53 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Hughes, Solomon
Cc: Robertson, Jeffery; Christopher_Jones@oxy.com; David Adkins
Subject: Winston Gas Com * 30-015-28633 * DOR: 2/17/15
Attachments: 20150304154054867.pdf

Attached is the initial C-141 for the above release at the Winston Gas Com. This release breach the flare pit berm and flowed thru a small portion of the pasture, then following the lease road. The terrain is very rocky in this area. We have sampled the area, just waiting on the lab results.

Thank you.

Kimberly M. Wilson

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