

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT

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

NAB 1509034470

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Apache Corporation	Contact: Bruce Baker
Address: 2350 W Marland Blvd Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No. (432) 631-6982
Facility Name: EAU D 40 Battery	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner COG	Mineral Owner BLM	API No. 30-015-01555
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter P	Section 26	Township 17S	Range 28E	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County Eddy
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Latitude N32.799979 Longitude W104.140076

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: oil	Volume of Release: 30 barrels of oil	Volume Recovered: 21 barrels of oil
Source of Release: Separator	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 3/01/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery: 3/01/2015
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher (NMOCD)	
By Whom? Bruce Baker	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.*

Gasket on 3 phase separator failed. The separator was isolated and a vacuum truck was dispatched to pick-up standing fluid.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The standing fluid was contained to the facility lease pad. An overspray area approximately 2,000 square feet affected the pasture north of the lease pad. The area was mapped and samples were collected and sent to a commercial laboratory for chloride, BTEX, and TPH analysis.

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: Bruce Baker		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Bruce Baker		Approved by Environmental Specialist: [Signature]	
Title: Environmental Technician		Approval Date: 3/31/15	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: larry.baker@apachecorp.com		Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 3/27/2015 Phone: (432) 631-6982		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines

SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO

LATER THAN: 4/30/15

2RD-2922

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

From: Baker, Larry <Larry.Baker@apachecorp.com>
Sent: Friday, March 27, 2015 10:51 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; jlrobertson@blm.gov
Subject: Initial C-141
Attachments: EAU D 40 Battery initial battery.pdf

All,

Attached is the initial C-141 for the EAU D-40 Battery release. Please let me know if you have any questions or wish to discuss and sorry for the delay. Thanks and have a good day.

Bruce Baker
Apache Corporation
Environmental Technician
Northwest District
Email: larry.baker@apachecorp.com
Cell: 432-631-6982

ENVIRONMENTAL RELEASE NOTIFICATION

Call-In Sheet

432 - 031 - 0982

Date: 3/2 3:01 pm

Bruce Baker
(Person Reporting)

from Apache
(Company)

is reporting a release at the BAV D 40 Battery.
(Site)

API# _____, Sec. _____ T _____ - R _____.

Occurred on: 3/1 at _____ AM/PM.
(Date of Occurrence) (Time of Occurrence)

Volume released: 30 bbl

C-141 received: 3/27/15

Volume recovered: 21 bbl

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Briefly Describe Cause of Problem and action taken: some overspray in

pasture

will send more details

(HMP)
(Initials)

FLARE NOTIFICATION

Call-In Sheet

Date: _____

Report Flare for _____ from _____
(Reporting Company) (Person Reporting)

Occurred on: _____ at _____ AM/PM.
(Date) (Time of Occurrence)

C-129/C-141 received: _____

Flared Inlet Gas for: _____

Total MCF: _____

Briefly Describe Cause of Problem and action taken: _____

(_____)
(Initials)