

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
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

Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company: Cimarex Energy Co.	Contact: David Hayes
Address: PO Box 1237, Eunice, NM 88231	Telephone No. 505-394-0613
Facility Name: Mescalero 30 Federal #4	Facility Type: Oil well and tank battery

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	Lease No.: NM-056376
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LOCATION OF RELEASE AP# 30025338130000

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
G	30	19S	34E	1330'	North	1330'	East	Lea

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 30 bbls	Volume Recovered: 0
Source of Release: Wellhead leak	Date and Hour of Occurrence 3-18-07	Date and Hour of Discovery 3-19-07; 7:30 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? X Yes	If YES, To Whom? BLM & OCD	
By Whom? David Hayes	Date and Hour: 3-19-07; 10:00 AM	
Was a Watercourse Reached? X No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

A union on the wellhead began leaking and spraying oil. The well was shut in. The leaking connections were replaced and tightened.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The oil formed a puddle around the wellhead. A fine mist of oil covered 75% of the location and an area of approximately 200' x 200' of the adjoining pasture. The oil contaminated dirt from the location is being scraped up and will be taken to a reclamation site.

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>David Hayes</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: David Hayes	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Title: Assistant Production Foreman	Approval Date: 3-11-07	Expiration Date: 7-11-07
E-mail Address: dhayes@cimarex.com	Conditions of Approval: SUBMITAL OF FINAL C-141 w/ SAMPLE DOCUMENTATION	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 3-20-07 Phone: 505-394-0613		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

incident - nPAC0713534896
application - pPAC0713534993

w/ SAMPLE DOCUMENTATION

RP# 1333

