

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	COG OPERATING, LLC	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 100, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	G.C. Federal 27 Tank Battery	Facility Type	Tank Battery
Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner	
		Lease No. (API#)	30-025-39515

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter I	Section 20	Township 17S	Range 32E	Feet from the 2410	North/South Line SOUTH	Feet from the 265	East/West Line EAST	County LEA
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Latitude 32.815433 Longitude 103.774917

WTR 200'

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Produced water	Volume of Release	205 bbls	Volume Recovered	200 bbls
Source of Release	4 inch poly line	Date and Hour of Occurrence	02/12/2010 10:00 a.m.	Date and Hour of Discovery	02/12/2010 10:00a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mark - OCD Jim Amos - BLM		
By Whom?	Rick Wright	Date and Hour	02/12/2010		
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.\*

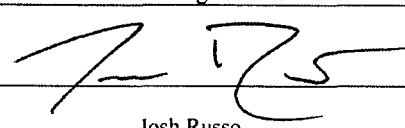
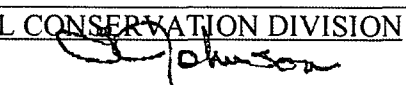
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

A backhoe hit and ruptured an above ground 4 inch poly line while building a caliche road. The 4 inch poly line was repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

205bbls of produced fluid was contained on caliche road by a 30'x60' dike wall that the backhoe operator built immediately after the poly line ruptured. A vacuum truck was called and recovered 200bbls of fluid. The area affected was scraped and the contaminated soils were hauled off. (Covered under one-call from building road). (The nearest location to the spill is the G C. FEDERAL #39) Tetra Tech will then sample the spill site area to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD/BLM for approval prior to any significant remediation work.

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:			
Printed Name:	Josh Russo		
Title:	HSE Coordinator		
E-mail Address:	jrusso@conchoresources.com		
Date:	02/12/2010	Phone:	432-212-2399
		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER	
		Approval Date:	2.19.10
		Expiration Date:	4.19.10
		Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP# 10.2.2430

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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