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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
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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

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Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003  
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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	RICE Operating Company	Contact	Hack Conder
Address	122 W. Taylor St., Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No.	(575) 393-9174
Facility Name	K-6	Facility Type	Salt Water Gathering System

Surface Owner:	BLM	Mineral Owner		Lease No.	
				API Number	30-025-12800

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
K	6	20S	37E					LEA

Latitude: 32°35'939" Longitude: 103°17'585" (NAD 83)

WTR 30'

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release:	PRODUCED WATER	Volume of Release:	700	Volume Recovered:	600
Source of Release:	Junction Box	Date and Hour of Occurrence	6/7/2010	Date and Hour of Discovery	6/7/2010 8:55 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Message left with Larry Johnson, NMOCD			
By Whom?	Hack Conder	Date and Hour 6/7/2010			
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.\*

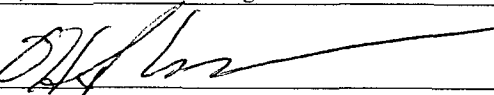
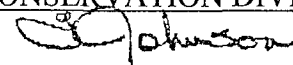
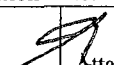
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

A valve connection failure in the K-6 junction caused the box to fill and overflow. Vacuum trucks were dispatched immediately to remove and properly dispose of the released water. The connection was permanently repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

8,100 sq ft of pasture was affected. Wet soil is being scrapped and hauled to an NMOCD approved facility

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Hack Conder	Approved by District Supervisor:  ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER	
Title: Environmental Manager	Approval Date: 6.8.10	Expiration Date: 8.9.10
E-mail Address: hconder@riceswd.com	Conditions of Approval:  Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 6/7/2010	Phone: (575) 393-9174	SUBMIT FINAL C-141 w/ Docs By IRP 10.6.2552

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

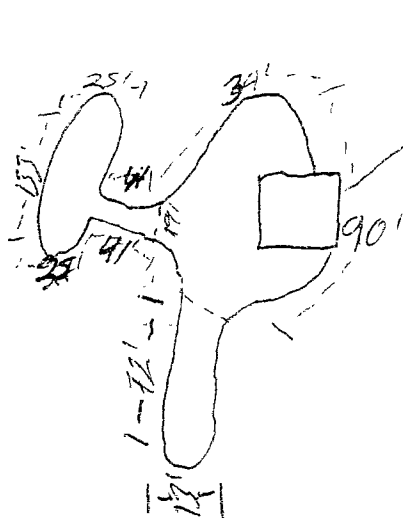
MCWJ 1346  
PLWS 1559

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N

EME Jct K-6 20/37 AD

N 32° 35.939'

W 103° 17.585'



Jct K-6

Area = L x W

P = L + W

3325  
3060  
936  
779

8100 ft<sup>2</sup>