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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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1301 W. Grand Avenue, 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

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC <i>229137</i>	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 100, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Moose Federal 23	Facility Type	Tank Battery
Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner	
		Lease No. (API#)	30-015- <i>25332</i>

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
L	23	16S	28E					Eddy

Latitude 32 54.350 Longitude 104 09.130

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Oil	Volume of Release	65bbbls	Volume Recovered	63bbbls
Source of Release	Swedge inside tank battery	Date and Hour of Occurrence	02/21/2011	Date and Hour of Discovery	02/21/2011 4:30 p.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher—OCD		
By Whom?	Josh Russo	Date and Hour	02/22/2011 3:43 p.m.		
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.*

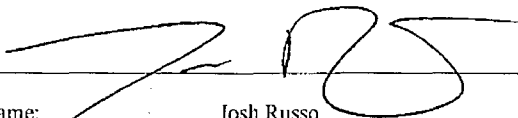
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Swedge failed on circulating line coming off of production tank. The swedge has been replaced with a new one.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Initially 65bbbls of oil was released and completely contained inside the walls of the facility. We were able to recover 63bbbls with a vacuum truck and all standing fluid has been recovered. The contaminated soil has been removed from the facility and the spill area measured 10' x 100'. Tetra Tech will 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:		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name:	Josh Russo	Approved by District Supervisor:	<i>Mike Bratcher</i>
Title:	HSE Coordinator	Approval Date:	3/8/11
E-mail Address:	jrusso@conchoresources.com	Expiration Date:	
Date:	03/02/2011	Phone:	432-212-2399
		Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per OCD Rules &
Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION
PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:**

4/8/11

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