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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., 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 August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

## Release Notification and Corrective Action

### OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-230-0077
Facility Name: Pronghorn SWD #1	Facility Type: SWD

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:	API No. 30-025-32735
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### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
B	24	19S	32E	330	North	1650	East	Lea

Latitude 32.6521148131558 Longitude -103.716550178267

### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 275 bbls	Volume Recovered: 250 bbls
Source of Release: Check Valve Failure	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 3/16/2015 8:23 am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 3/16/2015 8:23 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Tomas Oberding - NMOCD	
By Whom? Amanda Trujillo	Date and Hour: 3/17/2015 4:58 PM	
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.\*

**RECEIVED**

By OCD; Dr. Oberding at 10:04 am, Apr 03, 2015


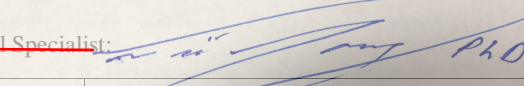
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

This release was caused by check valve failure on facility piping. Vacuum trucks were dispatched to recover all standing fluids and dispose of at an NMOCD approved facility.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The impacted area is to west of the bermed area on the pad area. Concho will have the spill site sampled to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD 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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo	Approved by <del>Environmental</del> Specialist: 	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: 04/03/2015	Expiration Date: 07/03/2015
E-mail Address: <a href="mailto:atrujillo@concho.com">atrujillo@concho.com</a>	Conditions of Approval: Site samples required. Delineate and remediate area as per NMOCD guides.	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: April 1, 2015 Phone: 575-748-6940		1RP-3591 229137

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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