

District I
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

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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	Linn Operating Inc.	Contact	E.L. Gonzales
Address	2130 W Bender Blvd Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No.	575-738-1739
Facility Name	Phillips Lea North & South Battery - closest well Phillips Lea #02	Facility Type	Battery
Surface Owner	State	Mineral Owner	API No. closest well 30-025-02163

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
G	31	17S	34E	2310	North	1650	East	Lea

Latitude 32.7921867 Longitude -103.5967636

NATURE OF RELEASE

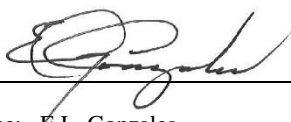

Type of Release	Produced Water / Oil	Volume of Release	20 bbls / 10 bbls	Volume Recovered	20 bbls / 10 bbls
Source of Release	Tank / Sensor Alarm Failure	Date and Hour of Occurrence	12/30/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery	9:00am 12/30/2015
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?			
By Whom?	Date and Hour				
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.* The water tank at the central Battery for Phillips Lea alarm stuck on TankLogix and didn't send an alarm.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Spill was contained within dike with plastic liner.

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: E.L. Gonzales	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 		
Title: Production Supervisor	Approval Date: 01/06/2016	Expiration Date: 03/06/2016	
E-mail Address: elgonzales@linenergy.com	Conditions of Approval: Geotagged photos showing lined facility.		Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP 4075
Date: 01/04/2016	Phone: 505-504-8002		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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