

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

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Amber Cannon
Address 105 S. 4 <sup>TH</sup> Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471	
Facility Name Cigarillo SWD #1	API Number 30-015-21643	Facility Type SWD
		Order Number 2RP-

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. L-4679
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter G	Section 36	Township 23S	Range 27E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line East	County Eddy
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 380 B/PW	Volume Recovered 367 B/PW
Source of Release Water pump	Date and Hour of Occurrence 7/24/2011 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 7/24/2011 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher - NMOCD/Artesia	
By Whom? Amanda Trujillo - Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 7/24/2011 PM (Email)	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* N/A		

**RECEIVED**  
 JUL 27 2011  
**NMOCD ARTESIA**

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
A suction line on the primary water pump ruptured. The suction line was isolated and re-routed. A vacuum truck was called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
An approximate area of 150' X 95'. The impacted area included inside the lined/bermed battery, outside the lined/bermed battery on the well pad site, and outside the fence to the west of the battery off the well pad site. Water also traveled west along Bounds Road. Impacted soils will be excavated and disposed of at an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's (site ranking is 10) a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the OCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL a work plan will be submitted to the OCD. **Depth to Ground Water: 50-99' (67', Section 35, T23S-R27E, NMOSE), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: > 1000', SITE RANKING IS 10.**

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: <i>Amber Cannon</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Amber Cannon	Signed By <i>M. Bratcher</i>	
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent Trainee	Approved by District Supervisor:	
E-mail Address: acannon@yatespetroleum.com	Approval Date: <b>AUG 16 2011</b>	Expiration Date:
Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2011 Phone: 575-748-4111	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:</b>	
	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**9/16/2011**

*2RP-849*



# New Mexico Office of the State Engineer

## Wells with Well Log Information

(quarters are 1=NW 2=NE 3=SW 4=SE)  
(quarters are smallest to largest) (NAD83 UTM in meters)

POD Number	Sub basin	Use	County	Source	q q q			X	Y	Start Date	Finish Date	Log File Date	(in feet)		
					6416 4	Sec	Tws						Rng	Well	Depth
<u>C 00010</u>	IRR	ED	Shallow	1 2 2	25	23S	27E	581129	3572075*	05/17/1964	05/23/1964	06/01/1964	250	103	
<u>C 01473</u>	IRR	ED	Shallow	1 1 3	25	23S	27E	579919	3571254*			06/27/1972			
<u>C 02567</u>	C	DOM	ED	Shallow	2 1 2	26	23S	27E	579314	3572049*	04/01/1998	04/07/1998	05/05/1998	187	89
<u>C 03031</u>	C	DOL	ED	Shallow	1 3 3	35	23S	27E	578315	3569206*	06/10/2004	06/16/2004	06/24/2004	150	67

**Record Count: 4**

**PLSS Search:**

Section(s): 25, 26, 35      Township: 23S      Range: 27E

\*UTM location was derived from PLSS - see Help

The data is furnished by the NMOSE/ISC and is accepted by the recipient with the expressed understanding that the OSE/ISC make no warranties, expressed or implied, concerning the accuracy, completeness, reliability, usability, or suitability for any particular purpose of the data.

**Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD**

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**From:** Amanda Trujillo [atrujillo@yatespetroleum.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, July 24, 2011 6:27 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Jerry Fanning; Lisa Norton; Bob Asher; Amber Cannon; Jeremy Haass

Mr. Bratcher

Yates Petroleum Corp. would like to report the following release.

Cigarillo SWD  
Section 26 Township 23 South Range 27 East  
Unit G SW/NE

380 bbl PW released 368 bbl recovered

C-141 will follow.

Thank you,

Amanda Trujillo  
Environmental Scientist  
[atrujillo@yatespetroleum.com](mailto:atrujillo@yatespetroleum.com)  
575-748-1471