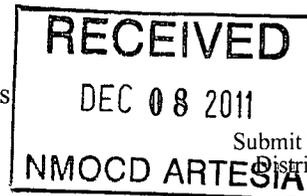


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Form C-141  
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Submit 2 Copies to appropriate District Office in accordance with Rule 116 on back side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

*NMLB/129948229*

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>TH</sup> Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Creek AL Federal #12	API Number 30-015-27775	Facility Type Pumping Unit

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	Lease No. LC-028990B
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter E	Section 25	Township 18S	Range 30E	Feet from the 1405'	North/South Line South	Feet from the 330'	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.72166 Longitude 103.93253

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release 4 B/O & 6 B/PW	Volume Recovered 0 B/O & 0 B/PW
Source of Release Flow Line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 10/6/2011; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 10/6/2011; AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? N/A	
By Whom? N/A	Date and Hour N/A	
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		

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
The flow line ruptured causing release. The well was shut in and a vacuum truck was called to the location, line repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
An approximate area of 10' X 60'. The flow line was repaired; no oil or produced water was recovered. Impacted soils to be scraped up/excavated and hauled to an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chloride delineation/results in soil are for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's, a Form C-141 Final Report will be submitted to the NMOCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL a work plan will be submitted to the NMOCD. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 184'), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Based on enclosed analytical reports, impacted soils excavated/disposed and site ranking of zero (0), Yates Petroleum Corporation requests closure. Upon approval, the excavation area will be backfilled with clean soils.**

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:	<u>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</u>	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approved by:	
Title: Senior Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <b>DEC 15 2011</b>	Expiration Date: <i>N/A</i>
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <i>N/A</i>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Thursday, December 08, 2011 Phone: 575-748-4217	<i>Final</i>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary