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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

NMLB 1135553303

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 TH Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Foster AN Battery	API Number 30-015-26914	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner Fee	Mineral Owner Federal	Lease No.
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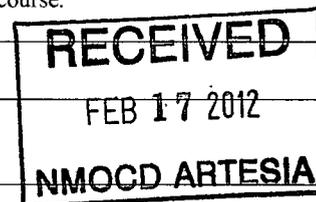
LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
A	1	20S	24E	660	North	660	East	Eddy

Latitude 32.60817 Longitude 104.53428

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 10 B/PW	Volume Recovered 0 B/PW
Source of Release Murphy Switch on Water Pump	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12/6/2011 - PM	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/6/2011 - PM
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.* Water pump froze due to cold weather keeping water from being pumped out of tank to 210-barrel tank.		



Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
An approximate area of 25' x 15' inside battery (unlined). Impacted soils to be scraped up and hauled to an NMOCD approved facility. Initial vertical and horizontal delineation samples with in the impacted area will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for reference). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's 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: >100' (approximately 300', Section 1, T20S-R24E, NMOSE), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Based on enclosed analytical results and impacted soils excavated/hauled, Yates Petroleum Corporation requests closure.**

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: Robert Asher	Signed By Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: Senior Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: MAR 07 2012	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <i>nil</i>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Friday, February 17, 2012 Phone: 575-748-4217	2RP-987	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary