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Form C-141
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

nmlb1214532030 OPERATOR Initial Report Final Report

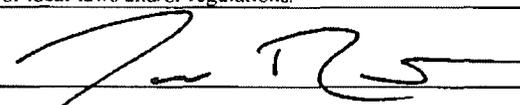
Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC <i>229137</i>	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 100, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Foran State Tank Battery	Facility Type	Tank Battery
Surface Owner	State	Mineral Owner	Lease No. (API#) 30-015-30725 Closest well location

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
H	16	17S	31E					Eddy

Latitude 32 50.237 Longitude 103 52.033

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Produced water	Volume of Release	90bbbls	Volume Recovered	88bbbls
Source of Release	water pump	Date and Hour of Occurrence	04/17/2012	Date and Hour of Discovery	04/17/2012 10:00 a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher-OCD		
By Whom?	Michelle Mullins	Date and Hour	04/18/2012 8:00 a.m.		
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 gasket failed on the water pump filter pod causing a release of fluid inside a lined facility. The gasket has been repaired					
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*					
Initially 90bbbls of produced water was released and we were able to recover roughly 88bbbls with a vacuum truck. This tank battery is a lined facility. All free fluids were removed, contaminated gravel was removed, and clean gravel was added to the facility as necessary. The tank battery has been returned to its prior condition.					
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:					
Printed Name:	Josh Russo	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION Signed By <i>Michelle Bratcher</i> Approved by District Supervisor:			
Title:	HSE Coordinator	Approval Date:	MAY 24 2012	Expiration Date:	NA
E-mail Address:	jrusso@conchoresources.com	Conditions of Approval:	N/A	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date:	04/27/2012	Phone:	432-212-2399		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-1126

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Joshua Russo [jrusso@concho.com]
Sent: Friday, April 27, 2012 9:38 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Subject: C-141 Initial/Final Report - Foran State Tank Battery
Attachments: FORAN STATE TANK BATTERY -- DATE OF RELEASE -- 04-17-2012.pdf

Mr. Bratcher,

Please find attached the C-141 Initial/Final Report for a release that occurred at our Foran State Tank Battery. This is a lined facility.

Thank you,

Joshua Russo
HSE Coordinator
550 W. Texas Ave, Suite 100
Midland, Texas 79701
Phone: (432) 683-7443
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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Michelle Mullins [MMullins@concho.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 18, 2012 7:00 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Joshua Russo
Subject: Foran State #2-Immediate Notification

Mr. Bratcher,

On 4-17-12 at approximately 10:00am, the gasket on the produced water filter pot at the Foran State Battery failed. An estimated 90 bbls of produced water was released. This facility is lined with a 40 mil liner. We will get more details and follow up with a C-141 Report.

GPS coordinates, legal description, and driving directions below.

N32.8372 W103.8672

Foran State #2 1650'FNL & 330'FEL
Sec. 16, T17S, R31E Eddy Co. V-2207
30-015-30725

Turn north off of Highway 82 onto CR 223 (Sweet Gum Road) Travel to T in road, turn right. Take next road to left, Travel . 3 miles , turn right, travel . 2 miles, turn left. Road leads into battery.

Thank you,

Michelle Mullins
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