

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

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

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

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

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

*nMLB 1216754459*

**OPERATOR**  Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company BOPCO, L.P. <i>260237</i>	Contact Tony Savoie
Address 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220	Telephone No. 432-556-8730
Facility Name Poker Lake Unit #261	Facility Type E&P

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	Lease No. NMLC-068431
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

*30-015-34877*

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
J	21	24S	30E	1980	South	1880	East	Eddy

Latitude N 32.201420 Longitude W 103.883103

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Crude oil	Volume of Release: 6 Bbbls crude oil	Volume Recovered: None
Source of Release: Gas Flare Line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 5/24/12 12:53 p.m.	Date and Hour of Discovery 5/24/12 12:53 p.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jim Amos BLM	
By Whom? Tony Savoie	Date and Hour 5/24/12 1:03 p.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.\* A backpressure valve malfunctioned causing gas to go to vent. There was a small amount of crude oil in the gas sales line which went out through the vent line. A valve was shut within minutes of the malfunction, and the backpressure valve was replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*The immediate area around the flare measuring approximately 7500 sq.ft was impacted by the crude oil at approximately 1/2' saturation depth. There was no vegetation in the immediate area around the flare. An area measuring approximately 30,000 sq. ft was affected by a fine mist with a saturation depth of less than 1/8". The vegetation had a very fine mist of oil. At a distance measuring approximately 400 ft. NE of the flare there was no observed misting on the vegetation or soil.

The Site remediation for the crude oil spill will follow the NMOCD guidelines for leaks and spills.

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>Tony Savoie</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Tony Savoie	Approved by District Supervisor	Signed By: <i>Mike Benavidez</i>
Title: Waste Mgmt. & Remediation Specialist	Approval Date: <b>JUN 15 2012</b>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: TASavoie@BassPet.com	Conditions of Approval:	<i>ZRP-1172</i>
Date: 6/4/12	Phone: 432-556-8730	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per OCD Rules &  
Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION  
PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:  
7/15/2012**

**RECEIVED**  
JUN 12 2012  
NMOCD ARTESIA