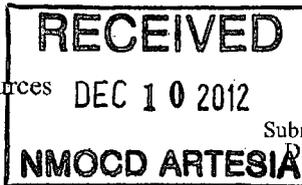


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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003
Submit 2 Copies to appropriate District Office in accordance with Rule 116 on back side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

JMW 1235234054

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Amber Cannon
Address 105 S. 4 TH Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Amole AMM Battery (NDDUP#41)	API Number 30-015-27314	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. LG-864
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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
M	16	19S	25E	760	South	660	West	Eddy

Latitude 32.65569 Longitude 103.49575

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced water / Crude Oil	Volume of Release 20 B/PW; 10 B/O	Volume Recovered 5B/PW, 5 B/O
Source of Release Heater Treater	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12/7/2012; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/7/2012; 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 II	
By Whom? Robert Asher	Date and Hour 12/7/2012; PM	
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 ninety in front of the heater treater had a hole in it, spilling oil and water. The well to the facility was shut in, the leak was isolated.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
An approximate area of 40' X 25' (inside an unlined/earthen berm). The leak was isolated. All impacted soils will be taken to a NMOCD approved disposal 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' (95', Section 16, T19S-R25E, 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>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Amber Cannon	Approved by District Supervisor:	Signed By: <i>Mike Bratcher</i>
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: DEC 17 2012	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: acannon@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Monday, December 10, 2012 Phone: 575-748-4111		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN: January 17th 2013**

ZRP-1454

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Amber Cannon <ACannon@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Monday, December 10, 2012 8:47 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Bob Asher
Subject: FW: Release (Amole AMM Stae Battery)
Attachments: AmoleBattery_C141_120712 Initial.pdf

Mike,

Please find attached an initial C-141 for the below mentioned release.

Thanks,
Amber

From: Bob Asher
Sent: Friday, December 07, 2012 2:20 PM
To: (mike.bratcher@state.nm.us); (Randy.Dade@state.nm.us)
Cc: Amanda Trujillo; Amber Cannon; Jeremy Haass; Jerry Fanning; Lisa Norton; Lupe Carrasco
Subject: Release (Amole AMM Stae Battery)

Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (12/7/2012).

Amole AMM State Battery
30-015-27314
Section 16, T19S-R25E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Released: Approximately 30 B/O; Recovered: Unknown at this time.

Release was from a heater treater within the bermed battery. Vacuum truck, backhoe and roustabout crew called. Remaining oil being recovered, impacted soils excavated/hailed, heater being repaired.

A Form C-141 Initial Report will be submitted with complete information.

Thank you.

Robert Asher
Environmental Regulatory Division
Yates Petroleum Corporation
Artesia, NM 88210
575-748-4217 (Office)
575-365-4021 (Cell)

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Bob Asher <BobA@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Friday, December 07, 2012 2:20 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD
Cc: Amanda Trujillo; Amber Cannon; Jeremy Haass; Jerry Fanning; Lisa Norton; Lupe Carrasco
Subject: Release (Amole AMM Stae Battery)

Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (12/7/2012).

Amole AMM State Battery
30-015-27314
Section I6, T19S-R25E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Released: Approximately 30 B/O; Recovered: Unknown at this time.

Release was from a heater treater within the bermed battery. Vacuum truck, backhoe and roustabout crew called. Remaining oil being recovered, impacted soils excavated/hailed, heater being repaired.

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