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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

NTM 1310253/20

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 105 S. 4 TH Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471	
Facility Name Cigarillo SWD #1	API Number 30-015-21643	Facility Type SWD Battery
Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. VO-7290

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
C	36	23S	27E	1980	North	1980	East	Eddy

Latitude 32.26322 Longitude -104.14136

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 390 B/PW	Volume Recovered 390 B/PW
Source of Release Transfer Pump	Date and Hour of Occurrence 3/18/2013; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 3/18/2013; 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 District II	
By Whom? Robert Asher/ Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 3/20/2013; AM	
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.* Gasket on transfer pump developed leak. Vacuum truck called.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* An approximate area of 30' X 100' (inside bermed and lined battery). All released produced water was recovered. Depth to Ground Water: 50-99' (75', Chevron/Texaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: > 1000', SITE RANKING IS 10. Based on all produced water being recovered and battery is lined, 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: <i>Robert Asher</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Signed By <i>Mike Bratcher</i> Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor	Approval Date: APR 17 2013	Expiration Date: <i>N/A</i>
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <i>N/A</i>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Friday, April 05, 2013 Phone: 575-748-4021	ZRP- <i>Final</i>	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2ZRP-1620



FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

FROM: Robert Asher	TO: Mike Bratcher/NMOCD II
DATE: Friday, April 05, 2013	FAX NUMBER: 9-748-9720
TOTAL NO. OF PAGES INCLUDING COVER: 2	RE: Cigarillo SWD #1
NOTES:	COMMENTS:

URGENT
 FOR REVIEW
 PLEASE COMMENT
 PLEASE REPLY
 PLEASE RECYCLE

NOTES/COMMENTS:

INITIAL & FINAL REPORT.

Report for 3/18/2013 release.

If you have any questions, contact me at 575-748-4217.

Thank you.

Robert Asher

NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Bob Asher <BobA@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2013 10:34 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD
Subject: Release (Cigarillo SWD #1)

Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (3/18/2013).

Cigarillo SWD #1
30-015-21643
Section 36, T23S-R27E
Eddy County, New Mexico

Released: Approximately 390 B/PW; Recovered: Approximately 390 B/O B/PW, battery is lined.

Release (information on cause not obtained yet) within the bermed/lined battery. Vacuum truck(s) were called and recovered all produced water.

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

Thank you.

Thank you.

Robert Asher

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