

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., 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 August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

11AB1434239189

**OPERATOR**  Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC 229137	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-230-0077
Facility Name: Western Hawk State Com #1	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner:	API No. 30-015-33400
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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
N	3	25S	28E					

Latitude 32.1528901138859 Longitude -104.076062808307

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Oil and Produced Water	Volume of Release: 35 bbls Oil; 5 bbls PW	Volume Recovered: 33 bbls Oil; 3 bbls PW
Source of Release: Wellhead	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 11/30/2014 11:20 am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 11/30/2014 11:20 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	
By Whom? Amanda Trujillo	Date and Hour: 12/3/2014 3:54 PM	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

**NM OIL CONSERVATION**

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*  
ARTESIA DISTRICT  
DEC 05 2014

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
**RECEIVED**  
This release was caused by a failure in the stuffing box. Vacuum trucks were dispatched to recover any standing fluid and dispose of at an NMOCD approved facility.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
All fluid stayed on location and impacted an area approximately 36'x14'. Concho will have the spill site sampled to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD for approval prior to any significant remediation work.

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:	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: 12/8/14	Expiration Date: NA
E-mail Address: atrujillo@concho.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: December 5, 2014	Phone: 575-748-6940	

**Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines**  
**SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO**  
**LATER THAN: 1/8/14**

2RP-2647

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

## **Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Amanda Trujillo <ATrujillo@concho.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, December 05, 2014 3:10 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Subject:** (C-141 Initial) Western Hawk State Com #1 (30-015-33400)  
**Attachments:** 11-30-2014 Western Hawk State Com #1 (WH) Initial.pdf

Mr. Bratcher,

Attached is a C-141 for your consideration. Please feel to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

### **Amanda Trujillo**

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**From:** Amanda Trujillo  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 03, 2014 3:54 PM  
**To:** 'Mike Bratcher'; 'Patterson, Heather, EMNRD'  
**Subject:** (Notification) Western Hawk State Com #1 (30-015-33400)

Mr. Bratcher,

COG Operating LLC is reporting a release on the Western Hawk State Com #1 (30-015-33400)  
Unit N Section 3, Township 25S Range 28E  
The release occurred at 3:23 pm on 11/30/2014  
Released: 35 bbls Oil; 5 bbls Produced Water  
Recovered: 33 bbls Oil; 3 bbls Produced Water

The release was caused by a failure in the stuffing box. The site is being evaluated for clean-up and a C-141 will be submitted. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me.

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