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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**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company <b>COG Operating LLC</b>	Contact <b>Robert McNeill</b>
Address <b>600 W. Illinois Ave, Midland, Texas 79701</b>	Telephone No. <b>(432) 685-4332</b>
Facility Name <b>Northwest Central Tank Battery</b>	Facility Type <b>Tank Battery</b>
Surface Owner: <b>Federal</b>	Mineral Owner
Lease No. (API#) <b>30-015-20972</b>	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
N	17	17S	30E					Eddy

Latitude 32 49.817° N Longitude 103 59.765° W

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: <b>Oil and Produced Water</b>	Volume of Release <b>160 bbls</b>	Volume Recovered <b>145 bbls</b>
Source of Release: <b>10,000bbl open top tank</b>	Date and Hour of Occurrence <b>06/25/2012</b>	Date and Hour of Discovery <b>06/25/2012 9:52am</b>
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? <b>Mike Bratcher - OCD, Jim Amos - BLM, Terry Gregston - BLM</b>	
By Whom? <b>Michelle Mullins</b>	Date and Hour <b>06/26/2012 10:02am</b>	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. <b>N/A</b>	

If a Watercourse was Impacted. Describe Fully.\*  
N/A

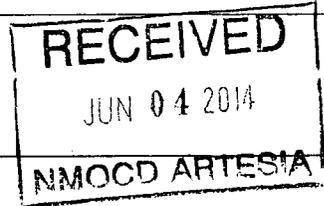
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

10,000bbl open top tank overflowed due to water being diverted to open top instead of tank battery. along with an electrical error on alarm system. The valve has been changed to divert water to the correct Northwest Central tanks and the electrical issue has been corrected

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

Initially 800 bbls of fluid were released from the open top water tank and COG was able to recover 700 bbls with a vacuum truck. The spill was contained on the pad location surrounding the tank and measured an area of roughly 125' x 200'. Tetra Tech inspected site and collected samples to define spills extent. Soil that exceeded RRAL was removed and hauled away for proper disposal. Site was then brought up to surface grade with clean backfill material. Tetra Tech prepared closure report and submitted to NMOCD for review.

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>[Signature]</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: <b>Ike Tavarez (Agent for COG)</b>	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>[Signature]</i> <b>Accepted for Record</b>	
Title: <b>Project Manager</b>	Approval Date: <b>3/13/15</b>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: <b>Ike.Tavarez@TetraTech.com</b>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <b>5-15-15</b> Phone: <b>(432) 682-4559</b>	<i>Contamination left in place - deferred until site closure</i>	

Attach Additional Sheets IF Necessary