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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

**NM OIL CONSERVATION**  
ARTESIA DISTRICT

JUN 12 2015

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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**f JMW1330950158 Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**NAB1516651332**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	Contact Amber Cannon
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street.	Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line	Facility Type Pipeline

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	API No.
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section 1	Township 22S	Range 31E	Feet from the 2310	North/South Line North	Feet from the 2310	East/West Line East	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.42040 Longitude 103.73163

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Crude Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release 5 B/O & 140 B/PW	Volume Recovered 5 B/O & 125 B/PW
Source of Release Flow line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 6/3/2015; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 6/3/2015; 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, Heather Patterson, Randy Dade, and Jim Amos	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 6/3/2015; PM (Email) → <b>A: 3:30 PM - l. mail</b>	
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 produced water flow line ruptured. Pumps were turned off and valves were shut. Vacuum truck(s) and roustabout crews were called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

An approximate pooling area with an area of 0.2152 acres was affected and an area of 0.3168 acres (to the east of the pooling area) was affected by overspray. The majority of the release puddled in a low spot near valves of the flow line. Vacuum trucks were called to recover the spill. The pooling area has been initially scraped 6"-1". Excavated soils are being hauled to a NMOCD approved facility. The overspray area was sprayed with a microblaze solution. 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 0) a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the OCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL's a work plan will be submitted to the OCD. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 150', Section 1, T22S-R31E, per Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0.**

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: <u>Amber Cannon</u>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Amber Cannon	Signed By <u>Mike Bratcher</u> Approved by Environmental Specialist	
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <u>6/15/15</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: ACannon@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: June 12, 2015	<b>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules &amp; Guidelines</b> <b>2RP-3045</b> <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO</b> <b>LATER THAN: <u>7/17/15</u></b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**2RP-3045**

## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Tanna Adams <TCAdams@yatespetroleum.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:05 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov  
**Cc:** Bob Asher; Amber Cannon; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Veronica Alvarado  
**Subject:** Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line C141  
**Attachments:** Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line\_C141\_Initial\_060315.pdf

Good afternoon,

Please find attached the signed C141 Initial for the below listed location:

**Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line  
Section 1, T22S-R31E  
2310 FNL & 2310 FEL  
Eddy County, New Mexico**

Thank you,

*Tanna Adams*  
*Yates Petroleum Corporation*  
*Environmental Tech*  
*Environmental Department*  
*TCAdams@yatespetroleum.com*

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## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Bob Asher <BobA@yatespetroleum.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 03, 2015 4:36 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov  
**Cc:** IncidentReportingNM; Joe Palma; Amber Cannon; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Tanna Adams; Veronica Alvarado  
**Subject:** Release Notification (Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line)

**Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (6/3/2015, 2:30 PM).**

Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line  
Approximately 2310 FNL & Approximately 2310 FEL  
Section 1, T22S-R31E  
Eddy County, New Mexico

**Released: >25 B/PW; Recovered: Unknown at this time.**

Cause of the release is unclear at this time and was in a YPC tinhorn located east/northeast of the Oxy USA INC, Federal 1 #1 location (2310 FSL & 1980 FWL, Section 1, T22S-R31E, Eddy County, New Mexico). An emergency one-call has been placed and clean-up crews have been called. **A Form C-141 with complete information will be submitted.**

Thank you.

**Robert Asher**  
**NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor**  
**Yates Petroleum Corporation**  
105 S. 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Artesia, NM 88210  
575-748-4217 (Office)  
575-365-4021 (Cell)

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