

NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

AUG 17 2015

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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

RECEIVED to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

PAB1523150576 **Release Notification and Corrective Action**

NAB1523150769

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Frontier Field Services, LLC 281431	Contact John Prentiss
Address 65 Mercado Street, Suite 250, Durango, CO 81301	Telephone No. 575-676-3528
Facility Name Abo Gas Facility 16" Inlet	Facility Type Condensate transport line
Surface Owner Frontier Field Services, LLC	Mineral Owner
API No. N/A	

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
	6	18S	28E					Eddy

Latitude 32.780425 N Longitude -104.220458 W

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release LOPC of heavy condensate from buried pipeline	Volume of Release Estimated 10bbl.	Volume Recovered: ~4bbl recovered from surface. Pipeline Repair Underway.
Source of Release Pinhole leak discovered in buried heavy condensate pipeline	Date and Hour of Occurrence Unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery 8/10/15 @ 14:00 hrs
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 mike.bratcher@state.nm.us	
By Whom? Harley Everhart - EHS Technician III	Date and Hour 8/11/15 @ 11:46	
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.*
N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

On 8/10/2015, Frontier received a call from an oilfield employee about a possible leak located at Lat: 32.780425N, Long: -104.220458W. Frontier identified the pipeline in question and immediately blocked in the Abo GP 16" Inlet. Frontier dispatched field personnel to positively identify the leak and upon arriving on site identified a puddle of heavy condensate gathered on the surface above a known underground condensate discharge pipeline. Notifications were made internally to the Environmental Group ~ 14:00 hours.

On 8/11/2015 Frontier estimated the release to exceed 5bbl and made prompt notifications to NMOCD.

On 8/11/2015 Frontier recovered ~4bbl free liquid from the surface with a hydrovac truck. All free liquid recovered was disposed of at an OCD approved facility. Excavation will commence to delineate and remove contaminated soils and to restore integrity of the pipeline.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* OCD Pre-Approved Remediation Plan:

Recover free liquids, Excavate to repair line, Excavate to recover impacted soils, Use handheld PID to direct excavation crews prior to initial sampling, Excavation not to exceed one foot below pipeline, Complete analytical sampling, If above limits, place 20mil plastic barrier, and backfill with the most economical clean soil available.

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Harley Everhart	Accepted for record	
Title: EHS Technician III	Approved by Environmental Specialist NMOCD	
E-mail Address: heverhart@akaenergy.com	Approval Date: 8/19/15	Expiration Date: N/A
Date: 08/17/2015	Phone: 575-513-4922	Conditions of Approval: Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Everhart, Harley <heverhart@akaenergy.com>
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 9:11 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Busch, Greg; Prentiss, John; Calderon, Joe
Subject: Initial_C141 Report_AboGP_16Inlet_Leak_8.11.15
Attachments: Initial_C141 Report_AboGP_16Inlet_Leak_8.11.15.pdf

Mr. Bratcher

Attached is an initial C-141 report for a gas inlet line feeding Frontier Field Services. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Name of Company	Frontier Field Services, LLC
Address	65 Mercado Street, Suite 250, Durango, CO 81301
Facility Name	Abo Gas Facility

Location of the Leak in Eddy County

Latitude 32.780425 N **Longitude** -104.220458 W

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	6	18S	28E

Respectfully,

Harley Everhart

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