

NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

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

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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1617527493

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. 432-683-7443
Facility Name: Liberator Federal Com #1H	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 30-015-37185
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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
A	13	19S	31E	330'	North	380'	East	Eddy

Latitude/Longitude 32.666893,-103.8154984

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 20 bbls oil	Volume Recovered: 18 bbls oil
Source of Release: Tank Over run	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 6/13/2016, unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery: 6/13/2016 11:00 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
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.*
This release was caused when a valve was left closed on the equalizer line after circulating oil to another tank. A vacuum truck was dispatched to recover all standing fluid.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
This release occurred within a lined facility. Concho will have the spill site inspected for 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: <i>Amanda T. Davis</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo Davis	Signed By: <i>M. L. [Signature]</i>	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
E-mail Address: atrujillo@concho.com	Approval Date: <i>6/23/16</i>	Expiration Date: <i>N/A</i>
Date: June 22, 2016 Phone: 575-748-6940	Conditions of Approval:	
	Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines <input type="checkbox"/> Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO
LATER THAN: 7/27/16 ARP-3750

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Amanda Trujillo Davis <ATrujillo@concho.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 22, 2016 3:28 PM
To: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; James_Amos@blm.gov; Shelly Tucker
Subject: (Notification/C-141 Initial) Liberator Federal Com #1H (30-015-37185)
Attachments: 6-13-2016 Liberator Federal Com #1H (TB) Initial.pdf

Mr. Bratcher/Ms. Tucker,

COG Operating LLC is reporting a release on the Liberator Federal Com #1H (30-015-37185)
Unit A Section 13 Township 19S Range 31E
The release was discovered at 11:00 am on 6/13/2016
Released: 20 bbls Oil
Recovered: 18 bbls Oil

This release was caused when a valve was left closed on the equalizer line after circulating oil to another tank. A vacuum truck was dispatched to recover all standing fluid. This release occurred within a lined facility. Attached is a C-141. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

Amanda Trujillo Davis

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