

**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

JUL 01 2016

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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

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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

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Name of Company: BOPCO, L.P.		OPERATOR		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initial Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Final Report
Address: 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220		Contact: Amy Ruth			
Facility Name: JRU #55 Battery		Telephone No. 575-887-7329			
Facility Type: Exploration and Production					
Surface Owner: Federal		Mineral Owner: Federal		API No. 30-015-27589	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
F	17	23S	31E	2060	North	1850	West	Eddy

Latitude 32.306040° Longitude -103.802369°

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Produced Water and Crude Oil	Volume of Release	7 bbls PW 3 bbls oil	Volume Recovered	2 bbls PW 1 bbl oil
Source of Release	Oil circulating line	Date and Hour of Occurrence	6/22/2016 time unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery	6/22/2016 1 pm
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	N/A		
By Whom?	N/A	Date and Hour	N/A		
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	N/A		
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*	N/A				

**Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\***

Leak occurred on the oil circulating steel line in the portion buried in the tank earthen berm. Leak was due to a hole developing in the line due to external corrosion. Line was clamped until section can be repaired.

**Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\***

Leak affected 347 ft<sup>2</sup> of caliche within the tank earthen berm. Standing fluids were recovered.

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: Amy C. Ruth	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: EHS Remediation Specialist	Approval Date: <i>7/1/16</i>	Expiration Date: <i>NIA</i>
E-mail Address: <i>ACRuth@basspet.com</i>	Conditions of Approval: <b>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules &amp; Guidelines</b> Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 7/1/2016 Phone: 432-661-0571	<b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO</b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

LATER THAN: 8/7/16

*2RP-3701*

## **Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Ruth, Amy C. <ACRuth@BassPet.Com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 01, 2016 2:47 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Tucker, Shelly  
**Subject:** JRU 55 Battery 6-22-16 Initial C-141  
**Attachments:** Initial C-141 JRU 55 Battery 6-22-16.pdf

Had a spill within the earthen berm at the tank battery due to line corrosion. Spill was contained within the berm and standing fluids were recovered. Please find the attached initial form C-141. Thank you and have a safe holiday 😊



*Amy C. Ruth*

### **BOPCO, L.P.**

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