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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

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

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>ConocoPhillips Company</b>	Contact <b>Mickey Garner</b>
Address <b>3300 North A St. Bldg 6, Midland, TX 79705-5406</b>	Telephone No. <b>505.391.3158</b>
Facility Name <b>VGEU West Battery</b>	Facility Type <b>Oil and Gas</b>

Surface Owner <b>State of New Mexico</b>	Mineral Owner <b>State of New Mexico</b>	Lease No
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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
<b>A</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>17S</b>	<b>35E</b>					<b>Lea</b>

Latitude **32.79744 N** Longitude **103.48840 W**

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release <b>Crude Oil</b>	Volume of Release 10bbl (10oil, 0water)	Volume Recovered (9oil, 0water)
Source of Release <b>Skimmed Oil Tank</b>	Date and Hour of Occurrence 03-17-2007 10:00 pm	Date and Hour of Discovery 03-17-2007 10:45 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? <b>N/A</b>	Date and Hour <b>N/A</b>	
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**

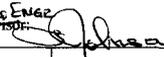
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

**The spill resulted from the Skimmed Oil Tank overflowing due to an automatic valve malfunction. The MSO shut in the lease and called a vacuum truck to pick up free liquids.**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

**A 20' X 50' area of caliche pad was affected. No cattle in the area. The spill site will be delineated and remediated in accordance with NMOCD guidelines.**

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: <b>Mickey Garner</b>	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title: <b>HSER Lead</b>	Approval Date: <b>3-21-07</b>	Expiration Date: <b>6-21-07</b>
E-mail Address: <b>Mickey.D.Garner@conocophillips.com</b>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <b>03-21-2007</b> Phone: <b>505.391.3158</b>	<b>Final C-141 report completed</b>	

• Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Facility - APAC0708127451  
Incident - n PAC0708127518  
Application - p PAC070812760

(RP# 1261