

District I
1625 N. French Dr. Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, El Paso, NM 87008
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

Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company : Chevron	Contact : R C Heredia
Address 9830 SW 4400 Andrews Texas 79714	Telephone No. Office: 432-523-3655 ext 7603 Cell: 432-238-2342
Facility Name : Mexico J & L Well # 4	Facility Type : Tank Battery

Surface Owner : George Willis	Mineral Owner : State	Lease No. : B - 9613
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

A P I 30 025 17368

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
C	5	25 S	38 E	1119	North Line	2322	West Line	Lea

Latitude 32° 9.788' Longitude 103° 4.55'

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release : Oil release with a fire	Volume of Release 2 gallons oil	Volume Recovered 0 recovered
Source of Release : Test Separator Back pressure valve malfunction	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12/08/2008 @ 14:30	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/08/2008 @ 14:30

Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Richard Wallace Chevron OS, Ronnie Hazelwood Plant OS, Barbara Baucum Plant HES
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By Whom? Bert Gallindo	Date and Hour 12/08/2008 @ 14:30
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Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. NA
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If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully *
NA

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*
Back pressure valve on test separator malfunctioned sending 2 gallons of oil out to flare causing fire.
Rented flare is being used due to third party shut in for plant repairs.
Repairs are being made to back pressure valve once completed the facility will be returned to service, flaring to resume until third party completes their repairs.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
Area around flare stack 100 yards long by 25 yards wide North of flare and another area 50 yards long by 10 yards wide East of flare.
Back hoe to clean up area and area to be reseeded

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: Ricky Heredia	 Approved by District Supervisor ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER	
Title: HES Specialist	Approval Date: 12.18.08	Expiration Date: 12.31.08
E-mail Address: rhr@chevron.com	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 12/09/2008 Phone: O: 432-523-3655 ext 6703 C:432-238-2342	SUBMIT FLARE PERMIT FOR APPROVAL BY 12.31.08 FINAC-141	

Attached
IRP# 2033

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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