

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
OCT 28 2009
Oil Conservation Division
HOBBSD 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
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Apache Corporation	Contact Natalie Gladden
Address P.O. Box 1849 Eunice, NM 88231	Telephone No. 575-390-4186
Facility Name EBDU #77	Facility Type Production Well

Surface Owner Paige McNeil	Mineral Owner State of NM	Lease No. 30-025-39273
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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
J	12	21S	37E	1470	South Line	2560	East Line	Lea

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Brine Water	Volume of Release 5bbls	Volume Recovered 3bbls
Source of Release Frac Tanks overflowed	Date 10/19/09	Date 10/19/09
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jeff Leiking	
By Whom? Natalie Gladden	Date and Hour 10/19/09 2pm	
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.*

WATERCOURSE

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Overflow tanks on drilling rig, overflowed releasing 5bbls of brine water. All fluid remained on pad.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Vacuum truck recovered 3bbls of fluid. Once drilling rig was moved off, saturated soil was scrapped up and hauled to Sundance Services. The pulling unit will set production string and pumping unit will be set. Then at that time, we will move in to remediate area.

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>Natalie Gladden</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Natalie Gladden	Approved by: <i>Jeff Leiking</i> ENV. ENGINEER District Supervisor	
Title: EH&S Environmental Tech	Approval Date: 10/29/09	Expiration Date: 12/29/09
E-mail Address: natalie.gladden@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval: DELINEATE TO CLEAN +1. SUBMIT FINAL C-141 BY 12/19/09	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP-09-11-2332
Date: 10/27/09 Phone: 575-390-4186		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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