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District II
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District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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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

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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003
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

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Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Amanda Trujillo
Address 104 S. 4 TH Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471	
Facility Name Sosa Federal #2	API Number 30-015-26087	Facility Type Oil well
	Order Number 2RP-485	

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	Lease No. NM-44532
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30-015-26247

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
P	15	26S	29E	480	SOUTH	660	East	EDDY

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release OIL & WATER	Volume of Release 15	Volume Recovered 0
Source of Release Flowline failure	Date and Hour of Occurrence 11/16/2010	Date and Hour of Discovery 11/16/2010 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher - NMOCD/Artesia	
By Whom? Amanda Trujillo - Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 11/16/2010 pm	
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.*
A plugged flowline pressured up and blew out.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
An approximate size of 150' x 1" was impacted. The impacted area is located on the south side of the location. Soil from the pooling areas will be excavated and disposed of at an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will taken and analysis ran for TPH and BTEX once all contaminated material has been removed. Chlorides analysis upon request. **Depth to Ground Water: >100'** (approx. 100', per New Mexico ChevronTexaco Trend Map); **Wellhead Protection Area: No**; **Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000'**; **SITE RANKING IS 0**. Based on site ground water quality and enclosed analytical results.

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>A Trujillo</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>Mike Bratcher</i>	
Title: Environmental Scientist	Approval Date: NOV 23 2010	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: atrujillo@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Friday, November 19, 2010 Phone: 575-748-4310	REMEDATION per OCD Rules and Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL BY: 12/23/2010	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-485

Note: Remediation proposal to be based on delineation of TPH, BTEX & Chlorides

Note: No water quality info or analytical data was submitted with this form.

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Amanda Trujillo [atrujillo@yatespetroleum.com]
Sent: Monday, November 22, 2010 3:46 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Subject: FW: Sosa Federal #2
Attachments: Sosa Federal 2 (11-16-2010 Inital).pdf

C-141 Attached

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-----Original Message-----

From: Amanda Trujillo
Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2010 4:53 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Jerry Fanning
Subject: Sosa Federal #2

Mr. Mike Bratcher,

Yates Petroleum reports a release at the following location:

Sosa Federal #2
Sec. 15, Township 26 South, Range 29 East
Eddy County
Date of Release: 11-16-2010
Approximately 3 barrels of Oil and 12 barrels of water were released; 0 barrels recovered
Cause of release has been isolated and repairs are in progress
Vacuum truck on site recovered standing fluids
Site will be evaluated and a work plan for remediation will be submitted for consideration

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