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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

AMCB 1112327166 OPERATOR Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company	Oxy Permian LTD. <i>16694</i>	Contact	Dusty Wilson
Address	1017 W. Stanolind Rd	Telephone No.	(575) 397-8247
Facility Name	Sundance Federal CTB	Facility Type	Production/Gathering
Surface Owner	BLM	Mineral Owner	Shared
		Lease No.	

Sundance Fed #8 LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
E	4	24S	31E					Eddy

30-015-27547 Latitude _____ Longitude _____

F-5-24s-31E (PER OPERATOR) NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Produce Water	Volume of Release	400 bbls water	Volume Recovered	395 bbls
Source of Release	Transfer pump shaft separated and High level alarms failed	Date and Hour of Occurrence	04/06/2011 0800 pm	Date and Hour of Discovery	same
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher, NMOCD and Jim Amos, BLM		
By Whom?	Dusty Wilson	Date and Hour	4/7/2011 0630 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.* Transfer pump shaft separated at this site and the high level alarms failed to reach call out. Pump was repaired and alarms reset. This action caused the tanks to run over and 400 bbls of produced water to spill onto the ground. The fluids did stay within the fire walls of the battery and all free standing fluids were recovered via Vac Truck that was in the area at the time of the spill. Remediation efforts continue at this site and will be to NMOCD guidelines.					
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Will Remediate to NMOCD Requirements.					
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>Dusty L. Wilson</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Dusty L. Wilson	Signed By <i>Mike Bratcher</i> Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: HES Specialist	Approval Date: <i>5/3/2011</i>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: dusty_wilson@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 04/27/2011	Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:	

- Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

6/3/2011
2RP-770

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Dusty_Wilson@oxy.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 27, 2011 5:15 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; terry_gregston@nm.blm.gov
Cc: kswinney@bbcinternational.com; cbrunson@bbcinternational.com
Subject: FW: Sundance Federal CTB Recordable Spill
Attachments: img-427151209-0001.pdf

Mike and Terry, here is an electronic copy of the Initial C-141 for the above referenced Reportable spill for Oxy that occurred on 4/6/2011. I will also be mailing a hard copy to you both. BBC International has been directed to put this site on the list to delineate, and should be getting to it soon. They are also being directed to contact you both 48 hrs prior to sampling this site to give you the opportunity to witness, if you so desire. They will let you know when they get it scheduled.

Thanks,

Dusty L. Wilson
HES Specialist
Seminole, Lea County RMT.

"You will never succeed, if not given the chance to fail."

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

From: jamos@blm.gov [<mailto:jamos@blm.gov>]
Sent: Friday, April 08, 2011 6:24 AM
To: Wilson, Dusty L
Cc: mike.bratcher@state.nm.us
Subject: Re: Sundance Federal CTB Recordable Spill

Dusty, Keep me informed as you move foreward. Get me a spill report. The C-141 will work. thanks

<Dusty_Wilson@oxy.com>

04/07/2011 06:36 PM

<mike.bratcher@state.nm.us>,
<jamos@blm.gov>

To

cc

Subject

Sundance Federal CTB Recordable
Spill

Gentlemen, this email is to let you both know of a reportable spill that Oxy had at the above listed battery site last night. The spill information is as follows:

Sundance Federal Central Tank Battery

SEC 4 T24S R31E SW/NW Eddy County

THE SITE IS 2 MILES SOUTH OF 128 ON PURE GOLD ROAD WE RELEASED 400 BBLs OF PRODUCE WATER WHICH WAS CONTAINED WITHIN THE FIREWALLS OF THE BATTERY, AND LUCKILY WE HAD A VAC TRUCK IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO THE SITE AND RECOVERED MOST ALL OF THE FLUID.

THE LEAK WAS DUE TO THE TRANSFER PUMP SHAFT AT THIS LOCATION BROKE IN TWO CAUSING THE TANKS TO FILL AND RUN OVER.

A C-141 WILL BE FOLLOWING THIS EMAIL, AND WE WILL BE GETTING WITH YOU BOTH AS WE MOVE FORWARD ON IDENTIFICATION AND REMEDIATION AT THIS SITE.

LET ME KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER.

Thanks,

Dusty L. Wilson

HES Specialist

Seminole, Lea County RMT.

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