

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

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

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OPERATOR Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company: OXY USA	16696	Contact: Kelton Beard
Address: 1502 W. Commerce	Carlsbad, NM 88220	Telephone No. (O) 575-628-4100
Facility Name: Cimarrón 23-1		Facility Type: Oil well with Battery

Surface Owner: BLM	Mineral Owner:	Lease No. NM-11038 API #: 3001533410
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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
O	23	26S	29E					Eddy

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 16 bbls	Volume Recovered: 5 bbls
Source of Release: Valve	Date and Hour of Occurrence:	Date and Hour of Discovery: 4-25-11 @ 10:30 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? _____	
By Whom? _____	Date and Hour: See above	
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.* 		
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* Cow kicked open a valve causing the leak		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Area Affected was inside the berms around the Battery. A vacuum truck was called to pick up the remaining fluid. The area will be delineated and sampled. A clean-up plan will be submitted for approval		

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 NMOCD ARTESIA

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: Kelton Beard	Signed By: Approved by District Supervisor.	
Title: HES Specialist	Approval Date: 5/10/2011	Expiration Date: _____
E-mail Address: kelton_beard@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 5-3-11	6/10/2011	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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