

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

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144
June 1, 2004

For drilling and production facilities, submit
to appropriate NMOC District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe
office

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☒ No ☐

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☐ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☒

Operator: Yates Petroleum Corporation Telephone: 505-748-4500 e-mail address: mstubblefield@state.nm.us
Address: 105. South 4th street, Artesia, N.M. 88210
Facility or well name: Bleu BBP Fed Com. #1 API #: 30-015-33276 U/L or Qtr/Qtr A Sec 34 T 16s R 27e
County: Eddy Latitude 32.88437 Longitude 104.27241 NAD: 1927 ☐ 1983 X
Surface Owner: Federal ☒ State Private Indian ☐

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Pit
Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐
Work over ☐ Emergency ☐
Lined ☒ Unlined ☐
Liner type: Synthetic ☐ Thickness 12 mil Clay ☐
Pit Volume 25,000 bbl

Below-grade tank
Volume: bbl Type of fluid:
Construction material:
Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not.

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Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal
high water elevation of ground water.)

Less than 50 feet	(20 points)
50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)X
100 feet or more	(0 points)

Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic
water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)

Yes	(20 points)
No	(0 points)X

Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas,
irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)

Less than 200 feet	(20 points)
200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)
1000 feet or more	(0 points)X

Ranking Score (Total Points) 10 Points

If this is a pit closure: (1) Attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location: (check the onsite box if
you are burying in place) onsite ☒ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility. (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including
remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface ft. and attach sample results.
(5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

Additional Comments: Workplan for the Closure of drilling pit. The drilling pit contents will be mixed to stiffen the pit contents. An encapsulation trench will be excavated and
lined with a 12 mil. Synthetic liner on former drilling pit site. Drilling pit contents will then be emplaced into the encapsulation trench. A 20 mil. Synthetic liner will then be
placed over the pit contents with a min. of a 3' over lap of the underlying trench area. The encapsulation trench will then backfilled back to grade using a min. of 3' of clean
soil and like material. A one call & 48 hour notice will be provide to the Oil Conservation Division before pit closure actions began.

Pit Closure actions to begin by NA. Ending date NA. * Mud seal will be applied to former pit site.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank
has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOC District guidelines ☐, a general permit ☒, or an (attached) alternative OGD approved plan ☐

Date: 11/29/2004

Printed Name/Title Mike Stubblefield/Reclamation Agent Signature *Mike Stubblefield* / Environmental Dept.

Your certification and NMOC District approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or
otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or
regulations.

Approval:

Printed Name/Title *Child Sep ID* Signature *Child Sep ID*

Date: DEC 3 2004

Accepted for record - NMOC District

X Assigned to TNT.

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