

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

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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC

Release Notification and Corrective Action

NMLB 1131135151

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Linn Operating 269324 Contact: Joe Hernandez
Address: 2130 W. Bender Hobbs, NM 88240 Telephone No.: 575-738-1739
Facility Name: H.E. West B # 2 Btry- West B 88 Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: BLM Mineral Owner: BLM API No.: 3001528537

LOCATION OF RELEASE

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| Unit Letter D | Section 9 | Township 17S | Range 31E | Feet from the 1309 | North/South Line N | Feet from the 1310 | East/West Line W | County Eddy |
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Latitude: 32° 51' 16.4" Longitude: -103° 52' 47.3"

NATURE OF RELEASE

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| Type of Release: Land Oil & PW | Volume of Release: 110 | Volume Recovered: 98 |
| Source of Release: Oil & Water | Date and Hour of Occurrence: 10/28/2011 11:25am | Date and Hour of Discovery: |
| Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required | If YES, To Whom? No Notification to NMOCB | |
| By Whom? | Date and Hour | |
| 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.*: Bad valves

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*: Vac trucks

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:

Printed Name: Joe Hernandez

Title: Production Foreman

E-mail Address: jhernandez@linnenergy.com

Date: 11/01/2011

Phone: 575-942-9492

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved by District Supervisor:

NOV 07 2011

Approval Date:

Expiration Date:

Conditions of Approval:

Remediation per OCD Rules &
Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION
PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:
12/7/2011

Attached ☐

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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