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Oil Conservation Division  
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Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003  
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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

*njmw 1324632667* OPERATOR  Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC <i>229137</i>	Contact	Robert McNeill
Address	600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Falabella 31 Fee #001H	Facility Type	Well

Surface Owner Private Mineral Owner Lease No. (API#) 30-015-40814

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
M	31	18S	26E					Eddy

Latitude 32.69764 Longitude 104.42860

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Completion fluid	Volume of Release	2340bbbls	Volume Recovered	2210bbbls
Source of Release	Metcalf LT Com #1	Date and Hour of Occurrence	8-12-2013	Date and Hour of Discovery	08-12-2013 08:30am
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		
By Whom?	Robert McNeill	Date and Hour	08-12-2013 08:30am		
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.			

Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
During the completion of the Falabella 31 Fee #1H well, discovered surface release at an adjacent plugged well, Metcalf LT Com #1, formerly plugged by Yates Petroleum. Will re-enter and re-plug well.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
A containment berm was constructed around the plugged well. A 20' x 30' area was affected. To date recovered 2210bbbls of fluid.

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>Robert Grubbs Jr.</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name:	Robert Grubbs Jr.	Approved by District Supervisor:	Signed By <i>Mike Bratcher</i>
Title:	Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date:	SEP 03 2013
E-mail Address:	rgrubbs@concho.com	Expiration Date:	
Date:	08-26-2013	Phone:	432-661-6601

Conditions of Approval:  
Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN: October 03, 2013**

Attached  *2RP-1884*

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary