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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., 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.  
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Appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	Apache Corporation	873	Contact	Bruce Baker	
Address	8 Ellison Lane Eunice, NM 88231			Telephone No.	432-631-6982
Facility Name	Red Lake 36 C State Battery			Facility Type	Battery

Surface Owner	State	Mineral Owner	State	API No.	30-015-33581
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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
C	36	17S	27E	990'	FNL	2130'	FWL	Eddy

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Oil and Produced Water	Volume of Release	19 barrels of water and 1 barrel of oil	Volume Recovered	14.5 barrels of water and 0.5 barrels of oil
Source of Release	Heater Treater	Date and Hour of Occurrence	5/28/2014	Date and Hour of Discovery	5/28/2014 at 8:20 a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Left message with Mike Bratcher		
By Whom?	Bruce Baker	Date and Hour	5/28/2014 at 2:35 p.m.		
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.\*

The fire tube gasket on the heater-treater failed resulting in the loss of fluid. The treater was isolated and the gasket was replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The release impacted inside the bermed facility and lease pad and approximately 3,500 square feet of pasture west to south-west of the facility. A vacuum truck was dispatched to pick-up standing fluid. The area was mapped and field surface samples were collected. A one call was placed for delineation and remediation activities.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCDC 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 NMOCDC 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, NMOCDC 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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: *Bruce Baker*

Printed Name: Bruce Baker

Title: Environmental Technician

E-mail Address: larry.baker@apachecorp.com

Date: 6/2/2014

Phone: 432-631-6982

Approved by Environmental Specialist:

Approval Date: 6/6/14

Expiration Date: NA

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

Remediation per OCD Rule &  
Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION  
PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:**

*7/6/14*

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\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary