

NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

District I
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

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

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
RECEIVED with 19.15.29 NMOC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC <u>229137</u>	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-230-0077
Facility Name: Holder CB Federal #1 Battery	Facility Type: Battery
Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: API No. 30-015-20708

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
E	17	17S	30E	1980	North	660	West	Eddy

Latitude: 32.836441 Longitude: -104.0006332

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Crude Oil/Produced Water	Volume of Release: 2 B/O; 8 B/PW	Volume Recovered: 1 B/O; 5 B/PW
Source of Release: Lightning Strike	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 10-7-2015 7:00 PM	Date and Hour of Discovery: 10-7-2015
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher	
By Whom? Lupe Carrasco	Date and Hour: 10-8-2015 3:55 PM	
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 release was due to a lightning strike resulting in the release of fluid. Once the fire was extinguished, vacuum trucks were dispatched to recover the standing fluid.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The release remained within the bermed facility. Concho will have the spill site sampled to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD for approval prior to any significant remediation work.

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: <u>A. Trujillo</u>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo Davis	Approved by Environmental Specialist <u>[Signature]</u>	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: <u>11/16/15</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: atrujillo@concho.com	Conditions of Approval: <input type="checkbox"/> Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: October 21, 2015 Phone: 575-748-6940	Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines	

• Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO
LATER THAN: 12/17/15

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