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1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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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-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
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30-015-26706

Release Notification and Corrective Action

NC430605-950800

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: Merit Energy Company 14591 Contact: Mike Self  
Address: P.O. Box 69, Loco Hills N.M., 88255 Telephone No.: 505-677-2327  
Facility Name: Turner B # 106 Facility Type: Oil producer

Surface Owner: BLM Mineral Owner: BLM Lease No.: LC-029395-B

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
	17	17S	31E	15	South	1305	East	Eddy

Latitude 32.827615 Longitude 103.887438

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Crude oil w/ produced water	Volume of Release: <5 bbls	Volume Recovered: 0
Source of Release: Poly flow line	Date and Hour of Occurrence: unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery: 08/08/05
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Approximately 75 feet of an arroyo

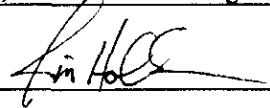

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

Poly flow line failure.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The release from the poly line immediately ran into an arroyo, affecting approximately 75 feet. The affected area was roto-tilled on 3/28/06 to blend and aeriate the soil.

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: 		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Jim Hollon		Approved by District Supervisor: TIM GUM by MB 	
Title: Consultant		Approval Date: 10/17/06	Expiration Date: n/a
E-mail Address: Jim.hollon@sbeglobal.net		Conditions of Approval: n/a	
Date: 09-11-06 Phone: 432-631-5768		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary