

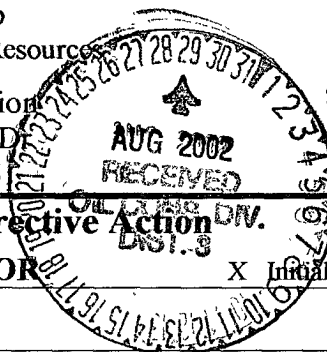
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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
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Form C-141
Revised March 17, 1999

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

X Initial Report

☒ Final Report

Name of Company Richardson Operating Co.	Contact Drew Carnes
Address 3100 La Plata Hwy Farmington, NM 87401	Telephone No. 505-564-3100
Facility Name WF Federal 27-1 & WF Federal 27-2	Facility Type Lease Road

Surface Owner BLM	Mineral Owner Richardson Operating Co.	Lease No. NMNM-87841
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C to G	Section 27	Township 30N	Range 14W	Feet from the 1021	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1940	East/West Line West	County San Juan
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 240 bbl	Volume Recovered 0
Source of Release WF Federal 27-1	Date and Hour of Occurrence 8-22-02 Approx. 2:00 p.m.	Date and Hour of Discovery 8-23-02 07:30 A.M.
Was Immediate Notice Given? X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Frank Chavez	
By Whom? Drew Carnes	Date and Hour 8-23-02 10:00 A.M.	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes X No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.

Water truck driver working for Richardson Operating Co. decided to dump produced water on the lease road from the WF Federal 27-1 to the WF Federal 27-1 to improve road conditions. This action went against direct instructions from management, as well as documented training. The employee was terminated on 8-23-02. All drivers were reminded again not to dump on lease roads.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.

Water evaporated. Road was bladed.

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: Drew Carnes	Approved by: District Supervisor:	
Title: Operations Manager	Approval Date: 8/29/02	Expiration Date:
Date: 8-26-02	Phone: 505-564-3100	Conditions of Approval: Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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