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Form C-141

Revised March 17, 1999

Release Notification and Corrective Action 30-045-30346 **OPERATOR** Initial Report Final Report Name of Company Richardson Operating Company Contact ☐ John Durham Telephone No. □564-3100 Facility Type□ Gas Producer

Address 3100 La Plata Highway, Farmington, NM 87401 Facility Name Ropco 8 #1 Mineral Owner BLM Surface Owner Robert Breckenridge Lease No.

NMSF-079968 LOCATION OF RELEASE Unit Letter Feet from the North/South Line East/West Line Section Township Range Feet from the County 8 29N 14W 850' **FNL** 1850' **FEL** San Juan County, NM NATURE OF RELEASE Type of Release Tank Overflow Volume of Release 12 bbls Volume Recovered □ 0 bbls Source of Release Production Water from Tank Date and Hour of Occurrence Date and Hour of Discoverv□ 1/15/03 9:30 a.m. 1/15/03 9:30 a.m. Was Immediate Notice Given? If YES, To Whom? ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Required By Whom? □ Date and Hour□ Was a Watercourse Reached? If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercours ☐ Yes 🛛 No If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* Tank was not pulled the night before; caused the tank to become full and overflow; upon finding the tank overflowing our ulled the tank immediately Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Area around tank and 70° off location; rake over discolored spot and spread BLM mixture grass seed off location 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. OIL CONSERVATION DIVI Signature: Approved by \square District Supervisor: $\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{O}}$ Printed Name: John Durham Title: Operations Manager Approval Date: **Expiration Date:** Attached

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Phone: 564-3100

Date: 1/16/03

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Conditions of Approval: