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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 March 17, 1999

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

Initial Report

Final Report

Name of Company Richardson Operating Company	Contact Drew Carnes
Address 3100 La Plata Highway	Telephone No. 505 564-3100
Facility Name Salty Dog #2	Facility Type Injection Well

Surface Owner Richardson	Mineral Owner BLM	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter J	Section 5	Township 29N	Range 14W	Feet from the 1495	North/South Line South	Feet from the 1477	East/West Line East	County San Juan
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 360 Bbl	Volume Recovered 0
Source of Release? Reserve Pit	Date and Hour of Occurrence Within days of discovery	Date and Hour of Discovery 07/08/03
Was Immediate Notice Given? X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Denny Foust	
By Whom? John Durham	Date and Hour 07/08/03	
Was a Watercourse Reached? X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Produced water seeped from the pit into the adjacent wash on the East side of location. Approximately 360 Bbls of water was lost due to evaporation and loss.

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

John Durham noticed that the wash below the pit was wet. Upon further inspection, the pit on the Salty Dog #2 was found to be leaking due to pipe that was thrown into the pit by an unknown party. The pit has been emptied.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The wash East of the location has a white crust that will be raked. Area will be reseeded.

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 <input type="checkbox"/> District Supervisor:	
Title: Operations Manager		Approval Date: 7/24/03	Expiration Date:
Date: 07/21/03	Phone: 505-564-3100	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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