

District I  
1625 N French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
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

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Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Linn Operating	269324	Contact: Joe Hernandez
Address: 2130 W. Bender Hobbs, NM 88240		Telephone No.: 575-738-1739
Facility Name: Turner A Battery- Turner A #51		Facility Type: WaterFlood
Surface Owner: BLM	Mineral Owner: BLM	API No.: 3001528758

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter I	Section 19	Township 17S	Range 31E	Feet from the 2632	North/South Line North	Feet from the 75	East/West Line East	County Eddy
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Latitude: N32° 49' 16.2" Longitude: W103° 44' 48.2"

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 100	Volume Recovered: 70
Source of Release: Pipeline	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 01/24/2012 9:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 01/24/2012 9:30am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? M. Bratcher -NM OCD Terry Gregston-BLM	
By Whom? Joe Hernandez	Date and Hour 01/24/2012 3:00pm	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

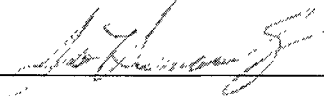
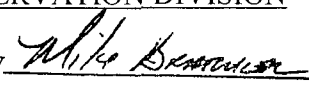
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*:

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken \*: Bolts on clamp rotted. Transfer pump was running and caused water to leak and run down lease road south about 100 yards. Shut down leases and replaced with new piece of pipe and two clamps on both sides. Next day pressure up and no leaks.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*: Loco Hills East on 82 to mile marker 137, turn north .3miles leak on west side of lease road. Sucked up water.

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 DIVISION

Signature: 	Signed By 	
Printed Name: Joe Hernandez	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: Production Foreman	Approval Date: FEB 14 2012	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: jhernandez@linenergy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 2/01/2012 Phone: 575-942-9492	Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN: 3/14/2012	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Theresa McCracken [TMcCracken@linnenergy.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 01, 2012 8:36 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Terry Gregston (tgregsto@blm.gov)  
**Cc:** Daniel Frick  
**Subject:** Linn- Initial C-141 Turner A Battery-Turner A #51  
**Attachments:** Turner A Battery-Turner A #51.pdf

Please find attached the Initial C-141 for the above referenced location.

*Theresa McCracken*

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