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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  
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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 October 10, 2003

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

nJMW 1234652228

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company	OXY USA Inc. 116696	Contact	Brenda Hodges
Address	1017 W. Stanolind Rd.	Telephone No.	(575) 397-8247
Facility Name	Federal 29 #8	Facility Type	Oil Well

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.	API 30-015-27266
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
M	29	23S	31E	330	S	760	W	Eddy

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Flare	Volume of Release	771 MCF	Volume Recovered	0
Source of Release	Temp. Flare	Date and Hour of Occurrence	9-27-12 @10:00AM	Date and Hour of Discovery	9-71-12 @10:00 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher/ Jim Amos		
By Whom?	Brenda Hodges, HES Administrative Assistant	Date and Hour	10-01-12 @10:58AM		
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	n/a		

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\* n/a

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\* Oxy began flaring at the Federal 29 #8 location on 9-27-12 due to DCP having high line pressure and equipment problems

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\* Return to sales upon purchaser opening their lines

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: Brenda Hodges	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION		
Printed Name: Brenda Hodges	Accepted for record NMOCD		
Title: HES Administrative Assistant	Approved by District Supervisor:	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: Brenda_Hodges@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 10-01-12 Phone: (575) 397-8247			

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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## **Hodges, Brenda K (Preferred Personnel )**

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**From:** Hodges, Brenda K (Preferred Personnel )  
**Sent:** Monday, October 01, 2012 10:58 AM  
**To:** 'mike.bratcher@state.nm.us'; 'jamos@blm.gov'; Summers, Chancey J  
**Subject:** Flaring

Good morning,

This is to inform you that Oxy began flaring at the Pure Gold A-13, Pure Gold D-1, Mobil Federal #1 and Federal 29-8 due to high line pressure. These flares ended on 9-30-12. I will be sending the C-141 and Sundry reports today in the mail.

Thank you,

*Brenda Hodges*

OXY HES Administrative Assistant  
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