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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

JMH 1304537252
Name of Company: Linn Operating 269324
Address: 2130 W. Bender Hobbs, NM 88240
Facility Name: Friess Federal Battery - Turner B #92
Surface Owner: BLM
Mineral Owner: BLM
API No.: 3001526596

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Contact: Joe Hernandez

Telephone No.: 575-738-1739

Facility Type: WaterFlood

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
N	20	17S	31E	1305	South	1350	West	Eddy

Latitude: N 32 49' 30.0" Longitude: W 103 53' 52.9"

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 3	Volume Recovered: 0
Source of Release: Valve	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 1/24/2012 10:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 01/24/2012 10:30am
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.*: 3" check valve at header just north of injection line, valves blew hole due to corrosion. Shut down transfer pump and closed valves replaced check valve with new.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* : Further remedial action pending..

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: *Joe Hernandez*

Printed Name: Joe Hernandez

Title: Production Foreman

E-mail Address: jhernandez@linenergy.com

Date: 02/01/2012

Phone: 575-942-9492

Approved by District Supervisor:

Signed By *M. Bratcher*

Approval Date: FEB 14 2013

Expiration Date:

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

Remediation per OCD Rule &
Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION
PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:

March 14, 2013

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-1558

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Theresa McCracken [TMcCracken@linnenergy.com]
Sent: Wednesday, February 01, 2012 1:43 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Terry Gregston (tgregsto@blm.gov)
Cc: Daniel Frick
Subject: Linn- Rev Initial C-141 Friess Fed Battery- Turner B #92
Attachments: Friess Fed Battery- Turner B 92.pdf

Please find revised copy of the Initial C-141 for the above referenced location.

Thank you,

Theresa McCracken

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tmccracken@linnenergy.com

Warren, JeanMarie, EMNRD

From: Warren, JeanMarie, EMNRD
Sent: Tuesday, February 12, 2013 9:19 AM
To: 'tmccracken@linenergy.com'
Subject: 3 releases from Linn

Theresa,

Here is my email address. And per our conversation I will note that these releases for the API's 30-015-26596, and 30- will have **no** recoveries for the 3 barrel releases dated on 1/24/2012.

*Jean-Marie Warren
Business Operations Specialist
NM-OCD, Artesia
District II
811 S. First St.
Artesia, NM 88210
(575) 748-1283 ext. 101*

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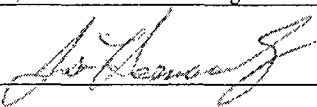
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Printed Name: Joe Hernandez	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: Production Foreman	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: jhernandez@linenergy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 02/01/2012 Phone: 575-942-9492		

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