

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., 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 August 8, 2011

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

NMOCD ARTESIA

### Release Notification and Corrective Action

*NTMW* 1318352908

#### OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	Oxy Permian Ltd.	Contact	Chancey Summers
Address	1017 W. Stanolind Rd, Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No.	(575) 397-8216
Facility Name	Lost Tank 3 Federal #14	Facility Type	Well location

Surface Owner	BLM	Mineral Owner		API No.	30-015-37918
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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
J	3	22S	31E	1450	South	1700	East	Eddy

Latitude N 32.41723°

Longitude W 103.76251°

#### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Oil and Produced Water	Volume of Release	30 bbls oil, 250 bbls produced water	Volume Recovered	50 bbls water
Source of Release	Failure of the stuffing box	Date and Hour of Occurrence	06/17/2013	Date and Hour of Discovery	06/17/2013
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher-NMOCD; Jennifer Van Curen, James Amos- BLM		
By Whom?	Chancey Summers	Date and Hour	06/18/2013 @ 1:18 pm		
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.\*

Failure of the stuffing box caused 30 bbls of oil and 250 bbls of produced water to leak onto the ground. 50 bbls of produced water were recovered via vacuum truck. The stuffing box was repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The area affected was approximately 100' x 150' on location and 25' x 150' off location. Remediation will be conducted in accordance with a plan approved by NMOCD and the BLM.

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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Chancey Summers	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	Signed By
Title: HES Specialist	Approval Date: <b>JUL 02 2013</b>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: Chancey.Summers@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines, & like approval by BLM. <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION</b>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <b>6-24-13</b>	Phone: (575) 397-8216	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:

**August 2, 2013**

**2RP-1698**

## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Kathy Purvis <kathy@bbcinternational.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 24, 2013 12:31 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov; jvancure@blm.gov  
**Cc:** C J Summers; cbrunson@bbcinternational.com; kswinney@bbcinternational.com; jgilkey@bbcinternational.com  
**Subject:** Initial C-141s for Harroun 9-1 and Lost Tank 3 Fed #14  
**Attachments:** Initial C-141, Harroun 9-1.pdf; Initial C-141, signed 6-24-13- Lost Tank 3-14.pdf

Attached are the initial C-141s for a leak occurring at the Harroun 9-1 on 6/13/13 in Eddy County, NM and a leak occurring at the Lost Tank 3 Federal #14 on 6/17/13 in Eddy County, NM. Receipt notification via email is greatly appreciated.

*Kathy Purvis*

BBC International, Inc.  
1324 W. Marland  
Hobbs, NM 88240  
Phone: (575) 397-6388  
Fax: (575) 397-0397  
Email: [kathy@bbcinternational.com](mailto:kathy@bbcinternational.com)

## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Chancey\_Summers@oxy.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 18, 2013 1:18 PM  
**To:** jamos@blm.gov; Jennifer\_VanCuren@blm.gov; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD;  
cbrunson@bbcinternational.com; jgilkey@bbcinternational.com;  
kathy@bbcinternational.com; kswinney@bbcinternational.com  
**Subject:** LOST TANK 3 FEDERAL 014

All, this is to inform you Oxy Permian NM South had a leak at the Lost Tank 3 Federal 14 on June 17, 2012. Oxy released 250 bbls of produced water, 30 bbls of oil (unsure as to how much total release due to large amounts of rain water included), Oxy recovered 50 bbls of water before it dried up. Fluid did leave location. The release was due to failure of the stuffing box. Release is located in Sec3 T22S R31E of Eddy county. Oxy will conduct some initial remediation, C-141 to follow. BBC will delineate at a later date. If you have any questions let me know.

Driving directions: 61/180 and WIPP Road go south 7 miles, turn left sign says Federal 3-5, drive to batter, turn right go one mile, take second right to well.

Thank You  
C.J. Summers  
HES Advisor  
Cell # 575-631-9436  
Office # 575-397-8216  
Chancey\_Summers@oxy.com

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**Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD**

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**From:** Van Curen, Jennifer <jvancure@blm.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 18, 2013 3:47 PM  
**To:** Chancey Summers; Christopher\_Jones@oxy.com  
**Cc:** Jim Amos; Jennifer Van Curen; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Brunson; Jennifer Gilkey; Kathy Purvis; kswinney@bbcinternational.com; Jeffery Robertson; Michael Burton  
**Subject:** Re: LOST TANK 3 FEDERAL 014

CJ and Chris,

**I would like to get a list from BBC on all spills that are pending, where they are in the planning, and when we are going to start the clean up. I have visited with them about the time frame that it is taking on starting the clean-up. After visiting with Mike Bratcher, I would like to be sure that when a plan is sent to the OCD, one is sent to the BLM also. I can review the plan and get with Mike to see if he has anything he wants to add in order to get the approvals/COA's out the door and reclamation started. This will lessen the load on Mike / OCD, who is greatly under staffed.**

**The below stipulations will be attached to all future spill events which will go hand in hand with the State.**

**Notification Stipulations:**

1. The authorized officer on this undesirable event case is: (this will change according to area)  
**Jennifer Van Curen**  
**(575) 361-0042**  
**jvancure@blm.gov**
2. Work Plan will be required within 30 days of receiving notification.
3. Delineation samples for Chlorides on all releases and TPH / BTEX if any oil is released are required to be included in the plan.

Thanks,

JENNIFER E VAN CUREN  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION SPECIALIST  
DOI-BLM-CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE  
320 E GREENE ST. CARLSBAD, NM 88220  
OFFICE- 575-234-5905  
CELL - 575-361-0042  
FAX - 575-234-5927

On Tue, Jun 18, 2013 at 1:17 PM, <[Chancey\\_Summers@oxy.com](mailto:Chancey_Summers@oxy.com)> wrote:

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