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Release Notification and Corrective Action

nHMP 1415732350

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 TH Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471	
Facility Name Chamaeleon BIN State Com #1-H	API Number 30-015-37942	Facility Type Battery
Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. V-7653, V-7639, VO-7654

LOCATION OF RELEASE


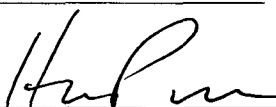
Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
B	25	26S	27E	200'	North	1780'	East	Eddy

Latitude 32.01979 Longitude 104.14041

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 300 B/PW	Volume Recovered 260 B/PW
Source of Release Water transfer pump	Date and Hour of Occurrence 5/11/2014; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 5/11/2014; 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/NMOCD II	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 5/12/2014; AM	
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.* Poly line from the discharge pump ruptured. Vacuum truck(s), roustabout and backhoe crew called.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* An approximate area of 20' X 60' and 100' X 8' (partial released water was contained in lined/bermed battery), 50' X 200' (partial released area outside of battery). Water discharge poly line ruptured, valves were shut and vacuum trucks were called to vacuum up the spill, roustabout crew called to repair line, backhoe crew called to scrap up impacted soils on pad area (impacted soils taken to an NMOCD approved facility. Further excavation work to be conducted impacted soils will be taken to an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples outside of battery will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the NMOCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL a work plan will be submitted to the NMOCD. Depth to Ground Water: <50' (approximately 25', per the ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 20.		
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: 	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approval Date: 6/6/14	Expiration Date: N/A
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor	Conditions of Approval:	
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN: 7/6/14	
Date: Friday, May 30, 2014 Phone: 575-748-4217	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-2326

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Tanna Adams <TCArms@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Friday, May 30, 2014 4:17 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Bob Asher
Subject: Chamaeleon BIN State Com #1-H
Attachments: Chamaeleon-Initial.pdf

Mr. Bratcher,

Please find attached the C141 Initial for the below listed location.

Chamaeleon BIN State Com #1-H
30-015-37942
Section 25, T26S-R27E
200 FNL & 1780 FEL
Eddy County, New Mexico

Thank you,

Tanna Adams
Yates Petroleum Corporation
Environmental Tech
Environmental Department
TCArms@yatespetroleum.com

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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Katie Parker <Katie@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Monday, May 12, 2014 4:02 PM
To: Bob Asher; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD
Cc: Amber Cannon; Chase Settle; Manuel Gonzalez; Tanna Adams
Subject: Release Notification (Chameleon BIN State Com. #1-H)

Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (5/11/2014).

Chameleon BIN State Com. #1-H
30-015-37942
Section 25, T26S-R27E
200 FNL & 1780 FEL
Eddy County, New Mexico

Released: 100 B/PW; Recovered: Unknown at this time.

Release cause unknown at time of notification, additional information will be submitted when official report received.

Thank you.

Katie Parker

Environmental Compliance & Reporting Manager
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