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Form C-141
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report | Final Report

Name of Company Apache Corporation	Contact Natalie Gladden
Address P.O. Box 1849 Eunice, NM 88231	Telephone No. 575-390-4186
Facility Name EBDU #87	Facility Type Production well site
Surface Owner Lucille Bryant	Mineral Owner State of NM/BLM
Lease No. 30-025-39406	

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
P	11	21S	37E	1185'	FSL	1060'	FEL	Lea

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Hydrocarbons/Produced Water	Volume of Release 60bbbls	Volume Recovered 55bbbls
Source of Release Back Pressure Regulator	Date and Hour of Occurrence 04/05/2010 830am	Date and Hour of Discovery 04/05/2010 830am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Larry Johnson	
By Whom? Natalie Gladden	Date and Hour 04/05/2010 10:15am	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

DTW=28'

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Packing leak, well was in test, back pressure regulator was hit with pressure and was full with paraffin. A vacuum truck was dispatched out immediately to recover the standing fluid. Once fluid was recovered, emergency one-call was made and the excavation of the contaminated soil began.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The contaminated soil will be excavated and hauled to Sundance Disposal. Once final samples are achieved backfilling of the excavation will begin.

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: <i>Natalie Gladden</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Natalie Gladden	<i>Jeffrey Sekim</i> Approved by District Supervisor Environmental Specialist	
Title: EH&S Environmental Tech	Approval Date: 7/26/12	Expiration Date: -
E-mail Address: natalie.gladden@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval: -	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 04/9/10 Phone: 575-390-4186		IRP- 10-4-2496

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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EBDU #87

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Unit P, 11, 21S, 37E

1185' FSL and 1060' FEL

API# 30-025-39406

Release Date 04/05/2010

Prepared by: Natalie Gladden

Apache Corporation

Dear NMOCD and BLM,

Attached you will find a copy of the original C141, Final C141, a diagram of the contamination area along with the sample points with the sample results and final analyticals taken from this site.

With this information that is provided, Apache Corporation respectfully requests your review and approval of the Closure Document for the hydrocarbon and produced water release that occurred at the Apache EBDU #87.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Natalie Gladden". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "N".

Natalie Gladden

EH&S Environmental Tech

Permian New Mexico District

The purpose of this report is to document the remediation activities and present supporting analytical data to the NMOCD and the BLM; requesting closure of the referenced hydrocarbon and produced water release incident in accordance with the Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases.

On April 5th 2010, the well was in test, the back pressure regulator was hit with pressure and was full of paraffin which caused the stuffing box to leak. 60bbls of fluid was released and 55bbls of fluid was recovered. All of the fluid was released onto the location pad, no damage to pasture area.

The contaminated soil was excavated, 402 cubic yards of contaminated soil was excavated and hauled to Sundance Services. 424 cubic yards of caliche was purchased from a local landowner for backfill. Final samples of the bottom of the excavation area, was taken to Cardinal Labs for confirmation.

Based on the analytical results of the confirmation soil samples collected from the excavation and which confirmed that the soil was less than the Standard of 250-ppm chlorides. Consequently, no further action is recommended or planned for this site at this time and on behalf of Apache Corporation we respectfully request that the NMOCD grant closure for the EBDU #87 release.

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Signature: <i>Natalie Gladden</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Natalie Gladden	<i>L. Johnson</i> Approved by District ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER	
Title: EH&S Environmental Tech	Approval Date: 4-28-10	Expiration Date: 6-28-10
E-mail Address: natalie.gladden@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval: SUBMIT FINAL C-141 w/DOCS BY	
Date: 04/9/10 Phone: 575-390-4186	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP# 10.4.2496	

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PHONE (575) 393-2326 • 101 E. MARLAND • HOBBS, NM 88240

April 14, 2010

Natalie Gladden
Apache Corporation
P.O. Box 1849
Eunice, NM 88231

Re: EBDU #87

Enclosed are the results of analyses for sample number H19640, received by the laboratory on 04/09/10 at 2:15 pm.

Cardinal Laboratories is accredited through Texas NELAP for:

Method SW-846 8021	Benzene, Toluene, Ethyl Benzene, and Total Xylenes
Method SW-846 8260	Benzene, Toluene, Ethyl Benzene, and Total Xylenes
Method TX 1005	Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons

Certificate number T104704398-08-TX. Accreditation applies to solid and chemical materials and non-potable water matrices.

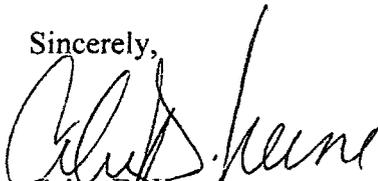
Cardinal Laboratories is accredited through the State of Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment for:

Method EPA 552.2	Haloacetic Acids (HAA-5)
Method EPA 524.2	Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)
Method EPA 524.2	Regulated VOCs (V2, V3)

Accreditation applies to public drinking water matrices.

Total Number of Pages of Report: 3 (includes Chain of Custody)

Sincerely,



Caley D. Keene
Laboratory Director

This report conforms with NELAP requirements.



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CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY AND ANALYSIS REQUEST

Company Name: APACHE CORPORATION				BILL TO				ANALYSIS REQUEST																						
Project Manager: NATALIE GLADDEN				P.O. #:																										
Address: P.O. BOX 1849				Company:																										
City: EUNICE		St NM		Zip #		Attn:																								
Phone #: 575-390-4186		Fax #:		Address:																										
Project #:		Project Owner:		City:																										
Project Name: EBDU #87				State:				Zip:																						
Project Location:				Phone #:																										
Sampler Name: NATALIE GLADDEN				Fax #:																										
FOR LAB USE ONLY																														
Lab I.D.		Sample I.D.		# CONTAINERS	G/RAB OR (C)OMP.	MATRIX				PRESERV.			SAMPLING		CHLORIDES															
						GROUNDWATER	WASTEWATER	SOIL	OIL	SLUDGE	OTHER :	ACID/BASE:	ICE / COOL	OTHER :	DATE		TIME													
H19640-1		SP1						X							4/9		4PM		X											
-2		SP2						X							4/9		415PM		X											
-3		SP3						X							4/9		421PM		X											
-4		SP4						X							4/9		430PM		X											
-5		SP5						X							4/9		441PM		X											

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Relinquished By:		Date: 4/9/2010		Received By:		Phone Result: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Add'l Phone #:	
NATALIE GLADDEN		Time:		★ CB J		Fax Result: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Add'l Fax #:	
Relinquished By:		Date: 4/9/10		Received By:		REMARKS: EMAIL TO natalie.gladden@apachecorp.com			
Natalie Gladden		Time: 2:15P		★ CB J					
Delivered By: (Circle One)		Sample Condition		CHECKED BY:					
Sampler - UPS - Bus - Other:		Cool Intact		(Initials)					
13°C #26		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		★ B					

EBDU #87

Release Date: 04/05/2010

