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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

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 NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

SEP 11 2014

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OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Clayton Williams	Contact: Luis Gonzales
Address: 6-Desta Drive Suite 1100 Midland, TX 79705	Telephone No: 432-661-4708
Facility Name: State 20 B Battery	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner:	Lease No. 3001530918
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter A	Section 20	Township 17s	Range 29E	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County: Eddy County
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Latitude 32.826973 Longitude -104.088396

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water/Oil	Volume of Release: 55	Volume Recovered: 45
Source of Release: Flow line leak	Date/Hour of Occurrence: 9/9/14	Date/Hour of Discovery: 9/9/14
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher	
By Whom? Eric Garcia	Date and Hour: 9/10/2014	
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.*
9/9/2014
The cause of the problem was a leak in the flow line from the battery to the Jenna Com SWD. The line was repaired. Also, vacuum truck removed the standing fluid. Recovered approx. 45 barrels. Hauled the fluid to the disposal. Finally, a crew installed a barb wire fence around the spill site. Pictures of the site were taken for future reports, and a one call was performed.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
The area affected was pasture. The area measures approx. 2000 sq ft. One call was performed on 9/10/2014 by Republic Backhoe Service LLC. Once the one call clears a backhoe will be used to begin the delineation process. NMOC D will be notified to witness the sampling at the site. The contaminated soil will be hauled off and disposed at R360. Then clean soil will be hauled in to back fill the area. The remediation process will adhere to the NMOC D guideline for spills.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOC D 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 NMOC D 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, NMOC D 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: <u>DAVE DUNLAP</u>		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: <u>DAVE DUNLAP</u>		Approved by District Supervisor: <u>Mike Bratcher</u>	
Title: <u>Prod. Foreman</u>		Approval Date: <u>9/12/14</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: <u>ddunlap@claytonwilliams.com</u>		Conditions of Approval: Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines. Attached	
Date: <u>9-11-14</u>	Phone: <u>525-390 2062</u>	SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN: <u>10/12/14</u>	

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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: eric garcia <ericgarcia62@hotmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 11, 2014 12:37 PM
To: lgonzalez@claytonwilliams.com; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; eric garcia
Subject: C-141 Form State 20 B Battery
Attachments: C141 State 20 B Battery.pdf

Mr. Bratcher,

On 09/10/2014, I called you to give verbal notification of the spill by the State 20 B Battery operated by Clayton Williams. The following attachment contains the C-141 form. IF you have any questions please call me at (575) 631-0131 or Luis Gonzalez at (432) 661-4708.

Thank You

Eric Garcia
Republic Backhoe Service LLC.

Bustamante, Amalia, EMNRD

From: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Sent: Thursday, September 11, 2014 3:42 PM
To: Bustamante, Amalia, EMNRD
Subject: FW: C-141 Form State 20 B Battery

Amalia,

Since we can't enter ½ bbls, just call it 2 bbls oil released w/1 bbl recovered. Thanks – Mike

From: Gonzalez, Luis [<mailto:LGonzalez@claytonwilliams.com>]
Sent: Thursday, September 11, 2014 3:14 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Subject: RE: C-141 Form State 20 B Battery

Hi Mike! I finally reached our field foreman and asked him about the amount of oil loss, he stated that it was a very thin layer of oil, He figured that it was anywhere from 1 to 2 Bbls Max. I would call it 2bbls oil loss and recovered, I would think a barrel and a half.



Clayton Williams Energy Inc.

Luis Gonzalez

Environmental Regulatory Manager

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From: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD [<mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us>]
Sent: Thursday, September 11, 2014 3:53 PM
To: eric garcia; Gonzalez, Luis
Cc: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bustamante, Amalia, EMNRD
Subject: RE: C-141 Form State 20 B Battery

Louis,

This C-141 lists 55 bbls PW & Oil released with 45 bbls recovered. Can you give us an idea on how much of the fluid was oil and how much was PW? We need it broken out for data entry.

Thanks in advance,

Mike Bratcher
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