

# NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

Form C-141

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

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## Release Notification and Corrective Action

Name of Company <u>LRE Operating, LLC</u>		OPERATOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initial Report <input type="checkbox"/> Final Report
Address <u>1111 Bagby St. Ste. 4600, Houston, TX 77002</u>		Contact <u>Michael Barrett</u>
Facility Name <u>Kersey St. # 8</u>		Telephone No. <u>575-623-8424</u>
Surface Owner <u>Concho</u>		Facility Type <u>Flowline</u>
Mineral Owner <u>State</u>		API No. <u>30-015-42163</u>

## LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter I	Section 32	Township 17S	Range 28E	Feet from the 1650	North/South Line FSL	Feet from the 330	East/West Line FEL	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.786646 Longitude -104.190679

## NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release <u>Produced Water</u>	Volume of Release <u>32bbls</u>	Volume Recovered <u>15bbls</u>
Source of Release <u>3" Polyline Split</u>	Date and Hour of Occurrence <u>A/M 11-9-14</u>	Date and Hour of Discovery <u>11/9/2014 8:00 A/M</u>
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, To Whom? <u>NMOC - Mike Bratcher / Heather P.</u>	
By Whom? <u>Sheldon Hitchcock / Talon/LA</u>	Date and Hour <u>11/11/14 @ 9:44am</u>	
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.\*

A flowline leak caused the release of 32bbls of produced water. The flowline was repaired and put back into service. Talon/LPE mobilized personnel to conduct an initial site assessment and to perform soil sampling within the impacted area. Upon receipt of laboratory results from the soil sampling activities a remediation work plan will be generated and submitted to the OCD

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

A flowline leak caused the release of 32bbls of produced water. A vacuum truck was immediately dispatched to begin recovering fluid. 15bbls of fluid were recovered. The fluid flowed from the release point south across the pasture for approximately 339'. Remedial activities will commence upon regulatory approval of a work plan.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOC 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 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 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>Michael Barrett</u>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Michael Barrett	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <u>Hubert</u>	
Title: Production Supervisor	Approval Date: <u>11/12/14</u>	Expiration Date: <u>NA</u>
E-mail Address: <u>mbarrett@timerockresources.com</u>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <u>11-10-14</u>	Phone: <u>575-628-424</u>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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## **Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Sheldon Hitchcock <slhitchcock@talonlpe.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 11, 2014 9:44 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Subject:** LRE Operating, LLC (Lime Rock): Kersey St. #8 30-015-42163  
**Attachments:** 20141111093543068.pdf

Mike,

Lime Rock had a flowline leak at the Kearsey St. #8 (C-141 attached). They lost 32bbls of PW in the pasture (recovered 15bbls). I took samples yesterday, we will follow up with a work plan when we get lab data back. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

Respectfully,

**Sheldon L. Hitchcock**  
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Talon/LPE  
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Artesia, New Mexico 88210  
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ICIC and Business Week- Top 100: 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007, 2006  
Inc. 500/5000: 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007

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