

NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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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

RECEIVED
Submit Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC

FAB1502855527 Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1502857017 303900 OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Memorial Production Operating LLC	Contact: Heather Dolphin
Address: 1301 McKinney St, Suite 2100, Houston, TX 77010	Telephone No.: 832-797-1334
Facility Name: Diverse Federal Battery	Facility Type: Production

Surface Owner: BLM	Mineral Owner:	API No.: N/A
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter D	Section 24	Township 26S	Range 29E	Feet from the	North/South Line NW1/4	Feet from the	East/West Line NW1/4	County Eddy
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Latitude: 32.032475 Longitude: -103.943377

NATURE OF RELEASE

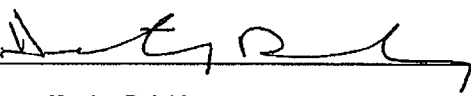
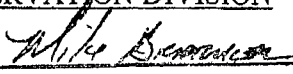
Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 170	Volume Recovered: 1
Source of Release: Tanks	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 12/21/14	Date and Hour of Discovery: 12/22/14
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jeff Robertson & Jim Amos	
By Whom? Heater Dolphin Sr. Regulatory Specialist	Date and Hour 12/22/14	
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.*: As a transport truck drive drove across the Diverse Federal Battery location, he noticed there was oil all over the ground and found that the valves to the oil tanks has been opened. The initial thought was the release was caused by cattle in the area. However, after further investigation, it appears that this was an act of vandalism. There were a total of 3 valves opened and footprints leading away from the valves that were not from any personnel that work or access the site.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*: The release migrated west northwest off of the site following a shallow drainage. Estimated length is approximately 900 linear feet. Corrective action plan to follow after the completion of the assessment.

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Heather Dolphin	Signed By:  Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: Sr. Regulatory Specialist	Approval Date: 1/28/15	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: heather.dolphin@memorial.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 01/05/2014 Phone: 832-797-1334		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines
SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO
LATER THAN: 2/28/15

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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Fred Holmes <fred@etechenv.com>
Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 11:26 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Toby Nivens
Subject: Memorial Production Operating Initial C-141
Attachments: Diverse Fed Battery Initial C-141 122214.pdf

Mike:

Please find attached the corrected copy of the initial C-141 for the Memorial Production Operating, Diverse Fed Battery release. I will be sending the corrective action plan to you shortly. In the interim, when you generate the RP Number, could you do me a favor and send it to me?

Thanks for all of your help.

Fred Holmes
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