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NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT

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Form C-141
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Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
conformance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	Oxy Permian Ltd.	Contact	Chancey Summers
Address	6 Desta Drive, Midland, TX 79705	Telephone No.	(432) 685-5824
Facility Name	Neff Federal #1 and #3 SWD Battery	Facility Type	Battery
Surface Owner	BLM	Mineral Owner	
		API No.	30-015-28281

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
NW ¼	25	22S	31E					Eddy County, NM

Latitude N 32.36766° Longitude W 103.73389°

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Oil and Produced water	Volume of Release	8 bbls oil, 380 bbls produced water	Volume Recovered	7 bbls oil, 360 bbls produced water
Source of Release	Electrical outage caused the tanks to spill over	Date and Hour of Occurrence	05/28/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery	
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher and Heather Patterson, NMOCD and Jeffery Robertson, BLM		
By Whom?	Kathy Purvis, BBC International	Date and Hour	05/29/2015 @ 11:31 am		
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.*

An electrical outage caused the tanks to spill 8 bbls of oil and 380 bbls of produced water onto the ground. Power was restored and approximately 7 bbls of oil and 360 bbls of produced water were recovered via vacuum truck.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The affected area is approximately 105' x 30' inside the firewall of the battery on location. Remediation will be completed in accordance with a remediation plan approved by NMOCD and the BLM.

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: Chancey Summers	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <u>Mike Bratcher</u>	
Title: HES Lead	Approval Date: <u>7/17/15</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: <u>Chancey.Summers@oxy.com</u>	Conditions of Approval: <u>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: <u>7-13-15</u> Phone: (432) 685-5824	SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

LATER THAN: 8/20/15

2RP-3124

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Kathy Purvis <kathy@bbcinternational.com>
Sent: Tuesday, July 14, 2015 2:10 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov
Cc: C J Summers; Susan Miller; cbrunson@bbcinternational.com;
kswinney@bbcinternational.com; jgilkey@bbcinternational.com
Subject: Initial C-141, Neff Federal #1 & #3 SWD Battery
Attachments: Initial C-141, Neff Federal #1 & #3 SWD Battery.pdf

Attached is the initial C-141 for a leak that occurred at the Neff Federal #1 & #3 SWD Battery on 05/28/2015 in Eddy County, NM. Receipt notification via email is greatly appreciated.

Kathy Purvis

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Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

From: Kathy Purvis <kathy@bbcinternational.com>
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2015 11:31 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
Cc: C J Summers; cbrunson@bbcinternational.com; kswinney@bbcinternational.com; jgilkey@bbcinternational.com; Kathy Purvis
Subject: Neff Federal 1 and 3 SWD Battery

This is to inform you that Oxy Permian had a leak at the Neff Federal 1 and 3 SWD Battery on May 28, 2015. Oxy spilled 8 bbls of oil and 380 bbls of produced water due to an electrical outage causing the tanks to spill over. The preliminary report shows the leak measuring approximately 75' x 20' inside the containment. A vacuum truck recovered approximately 7 bbls of oil and 360 bbls of water. The release is located in the northern area of Section 25, T22S, R31E of Eddy County, NM. BBC International will remediate the location at a later date and an initial C-141 will follow. Driving directions: From C29, go East on Mills Ranch Rd for 0.5 mile to first battery on the left. API# 30-015-28281, GPS coordinates: N 32.36778° W 103.73385°

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