

**GW-325**

**Release Report/ General  
Correspondence**

**Trans western Pipeline**

**Date: 2015**

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: Transwestern Pipeline Company	Contact: Julian Ruiz	
Address: 21 Speedway Drive, Gallup NM 87301	Telephone No. 505-863-4104-Cel 505-870-9421	
Facility Name: Gallup Comp. Station	Facility Type: Natural Gas Comp. Station	
Surface Owner: Transwestern Pipeline Co.	Mineral Owner: Transwestern Pipeline Co.	API No.

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C	Section 8	Township 15N	Range 17W	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County McKinley
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Latitude N 35.54864

Longitude W 108.66235

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Natural Gas Release into Atmosphere	Volume of Release: 68.0 MCF	Volume Recovered: None
Source of Release: Station Blow Down Stacks	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 09/09/2015 @ 10:28 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery: 09/09/2015 @ 10:28 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Cory Smith 505-334-6178 ext. 115 Cell 505-419-2627 09/10/2015 @ 09:00 AM By Phone e-mail cory.smith@state.nm.us	
By Whom? Julian Ruiz	Date and Hour: 09/10/2015 @ 11:00 Hours <u>Mailed Report</u>	
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


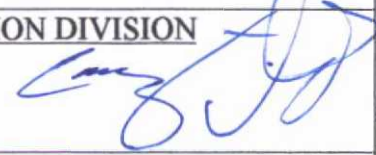
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

At 10:28 am on 09/09/2015 blow down of natural gas into atmosphere through blow down stacks at the Gallup Compressor Station (1 Unit Blow Down). We changed a bad programming card that caused the natural gas was released into the atmosphere and unit was restarted on demand

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

Transwestern Pipeline Company Gallup Compressor Station. There was no clean up action taken because the natural gas was released into the atmosphere.

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: Julian Ruiz 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Julian Ruiz	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Mech. Tech. B	Approval Date: <u>11/9/15</u>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: julian.ruiz@anarostotfer.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

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Date: 09/09/2015

Phone: 505-863-4104

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



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Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Cory Smith 505-334-6178 ext. 115 Cell 505-419-2627 09/18/2015 @ 3:20 PM By Phone e-mail cory.smith@state.nm.us	
By Whom? Julian Ruiz	Date and Hour: 09/19/2015 @ 09:30:00 Hours <u>Mailed Report</u>	
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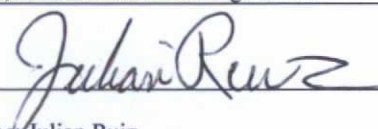

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