

NM OIL CONSERVATIONDistrict I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

ARTESIA DISTRICT

State of New Mexico

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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division

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1220 South St. Francis Dr.

Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141

Revised August 8, 2011

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: Linn Energy	Contact: EL Gonzales
Address: 2130 W Bender, Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No. 575-738-1739
Facility Name: HE West B #071	Facility Type: Oil Producer

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 30-015-28573
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter I	Section 9	Township 17S	Range 31E	Feet from the 1335	North/South Line South	Feet from 15	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude: 32° 50' 42.30" N Longitude: 103° 51' 58.03" W

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 2 - 3 bbls	Volume Recovered: 1 bbl
Source of Release: Stuffing Box	Date and Hour of Occurrence	Date and Hour of Discovery 01/06/2011
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? NMOCD	
By Whom? Kimberly Wilson	Date and Hour: 01/06/2011	
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.*

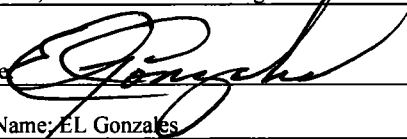
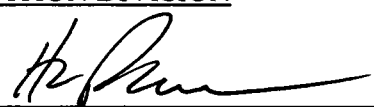

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Stuffing box leak. Removed contaminated dirt and exported. Re-packed stuffing box.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.

The contaminated soil was removed from the site and properly disposed of at a NMOCD approved facility. The excavation was backfilled with clean, imported soil to ground surface and contoured to the surrounding area.

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: EL Gonzales	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Production Supervisor	Approval Date: 10/6/16	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: elgonzales@linenergy.com	Conditions of Approval: 	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 9/7/2016 Phone: 575-504-8002		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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