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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
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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

NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT

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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

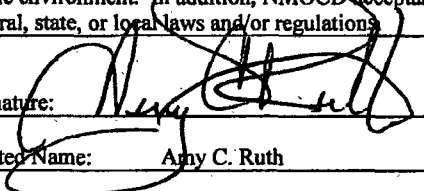
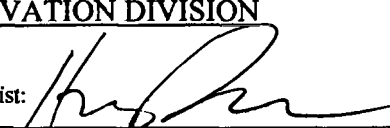
NAB 1629851823
OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report
Name of Company: BOPCO, L.P. **200737** Contact: Amy Ruth
Address: 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220 Telephone No. 575-887-7329
Facility Name: Big Eddy Unit #039 Facility Type: Exploration and Production
Surface Owner: Federal Mineral Owner: Federal API No. 30-015-20945

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
G	29	21S	28E	1980	North	1980	East	Eddy

Latitude 32.453064° Longitude -104.106857°

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Produced Water	Volume of Release	32 bbls	Volume Recovered	30 bbls
Source of Release	Well head	Date and Hour of Occurrence	10/4/2016 time unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery	10/4/2016 approx. 7 am
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		
By Whom?	Amy Ruth	Date and Hour	10/5/2016 12:59 pm		
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.* Fluids released from wellhead due to tubing valve having been closed. Leaked wellhead stuffing box was repaired.					
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* The leak affected approximately 845 square feet of caliche pad surrounding wellhead. Free standing fluids were recovered via vacuum truck.					
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: 		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION			
Printed Name: Amy C. Ruth		Approved by Environmental Specialist: 			
Title: EHS Remediation Specialist		Approval Date: 10/24/16		Expiration Date: N/A	
E-mail Address: ACRuth@basspet.com		Conditions of Approval: Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines <input type="checkbox"/> SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO			
Date: 10/21/2016 Phone: 432-661-0571		LATER THAN: 11/2/16			

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

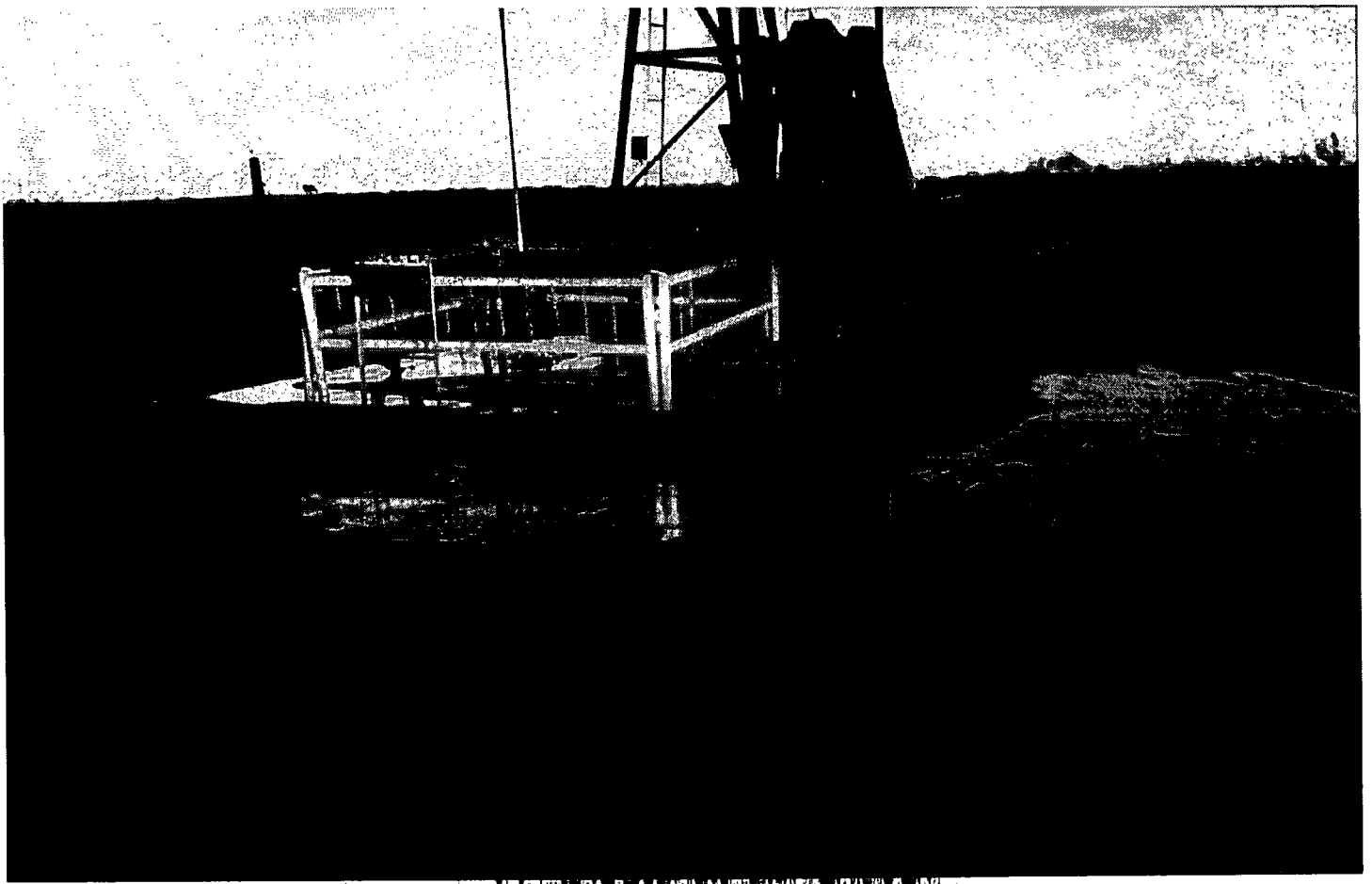
From: Ruth, Amy C. <ACRuth@BassPet.Com>
Sent: Friday, October 21, 2016 2:08 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
Cc: jamos@blm.gov; Tucker, Shelly
Subject: RE: Big Eddy Unit 039 10-4-16 Release Notification
Attachments: Initial C-141 BEU 039 10-4-16.pdf

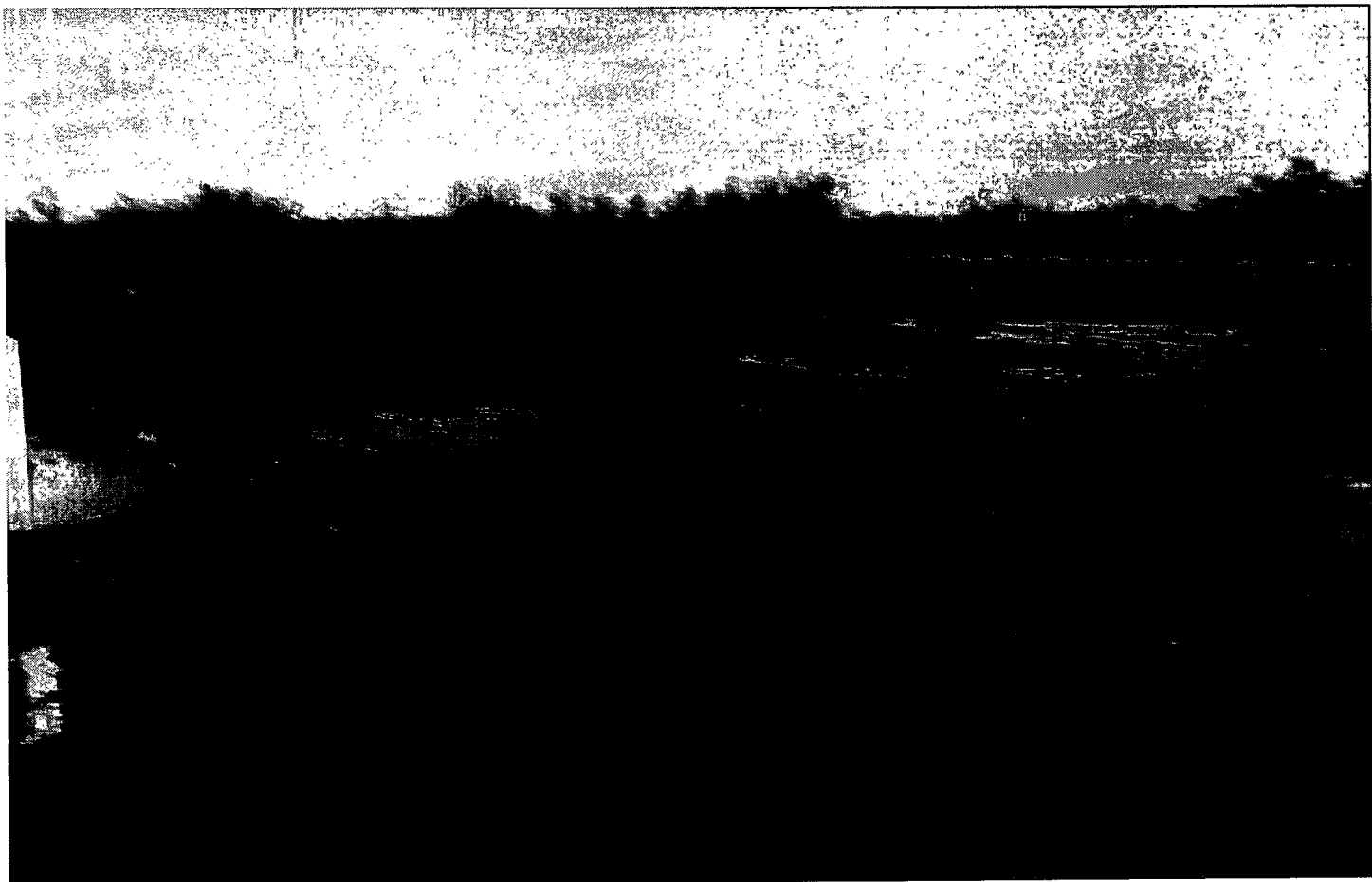
As stated in my earlier email with the Hudson Battery C-141, here is the associated initial form C-141 for the leak discussed below. Please call with any questions and pardon the omission to the BLM on the initial notification below, as it was unintentional. It happened with the rash of leaks that week for me, it appears! Most of the fluids for this leak seemed to have been contained within the cellar of the well head, thank goodness, so not much got on the ground. We will address soon. Thank you...

From: Ruth, Amy C.
Sent: Wednesday, October 05, 2016 12:59 PM
To: Mike Bratcher; Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us
Subject: Big Eddy Unit 039 10-4-16 Release Notification

Please note the BEU 039 well head experienced accidental release from the stuffing box yesterday. PW fluids recovered were near 30 bbls pw, mostly from the area of the cellar. Estimating about 2 bbls pw remain in the caliche on the well pad. An initial form C-141 will be submitted. Thank you.

Name: big eddy unit 039 bopco, l.p.
Description: API: 3001520945
Latitude: 32.453064
Longitude: -104.106857





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