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Oil Conservation Division  
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OCD-ARTESIA

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

24558

Release Notification and Corrective Action

30-015-04915 closest facility

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	Walsh + Watts	Contact	Richard Jones
Address	PO Box 1227, Denver City TX	Telephone No.	806-215-0830
Facility Name	North Square Lake Plenum	Facility Type	Oil

Surface Owner	FEDERAL	Mineral Owner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lease No.	NM 0162
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ZIP 79323

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
W	6	16 S	31 E					Eddy

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Flow line leak	Volume of Release	3 oil/water	Volume Recovered	X
Source of Release	oil + water	Date and Hour of Occurrence		Date and Hour of Discovery	
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?			
By Whom?		Date and Hour			
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.\*

Cleaned contaminated soil worked in  
fresh soil

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

leak in Flow line at header (ran approx 65' + 18" w roadway)  
Scraped up oily soil put fresh dirt and worked in  
in Edge of road way (Changed out Flow line)

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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature:	Horace De Long	Approved by District Supervisor:		T. Gunn Ing SB
Printed Name:	Horace DeLong	Processed	Approval Date:	02-26-08
Title:	Cont. Pumpman	Expiration Date:		
E-mail Address:	PO Box 7, Loco Hills NM	Conditions of Approval:	REMEDATION	
Date:	2/13/08	Phone:	513-0504	
		WORK PLAN DUE BY		3-26-08

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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PSEB 0805754531

2RP-134



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Director

**Oil Conservation Division**

February 26, 2008

Walsh & Watts, Inc  
1111 Seventh Street  
Wichita Falls, TX 76301

ATTN: Environmental Department

Reference: North Square Lake Premier Unit 002 6-16S-31E API: 30-015-04815  
Eddy County New Mexico  
2RP-134

Operator,

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division District 2 Office (OCD) is in receipt of an Initial Report Form C-141 reporting a release of crude oil and produced water that occurred on or about February 8, 2008 at the above referenced well site.

Please submit a work plan proposal (plan) for remediation, removal and/or clean up of contaminants that may be present at this site. The plan is to be formulated based on vertical and horizontal delineation of contamination, site ranking, and OCD Rules and Guidelines. This plan is to be submitted to the OCD District 2 office no later than **March 26, 2008**. Please include any remedial or clean up actions that have already been performed.

A publication outlining OCD guidelines and requirements for site ranking and spill remediation can be found on the OCD website as follows: <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/oed/index.htm> Click on each of the following items as they appear:

- Publications
- Environmental Handbook
- Miscellaneous Guidelines
- Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases

Information regarding approvals and/or stipulations can be found on the OCD website as follows:  
<http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/oed/index.htm> Click on each of the following items as they appear:

- OCD Online
- Imaging
- Administrative & Environmental Orders
- Under **Specific Information Heading**, next to *Order Type*, click on drop down arrow and select 2R-Remediation Permit-Artesia-(2RP). Next to *Order Number/Amendment* in the **first** box only, type the digits following the 2RP (this 2RP number is listed beneath the facility name in the 'reference' section of this letter).
- Click on the continue button. You should be able to view documentation ie approvals, work plan approvals, stipulations, etc regarding this specific incident. Click on the document and click open. Due to the scanning process, should the document not be available, please check back later.

Remediation requirements may be subject to other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations. Additionally, please be advised that OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment.

Thank you for your attention to these matters. If I can be of assistance, please don't hesitate to contact me at the contact information listed below

Sincerely,



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