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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

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

### Release Notification and Corrective Action

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#### OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>TH</sup> Street	Telephone No. 505-748-1471	
Facility Name Medano VA State #4	API Number 30-015-26633	Facility Type Well

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. VO-0120
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#### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter L	Section 16	Township 23S	Range 31E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line South	Feet from the 330	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.30252 Longitude 103.78976

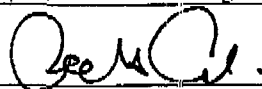

#### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 50 B/PW	Volume Recovered 30 B/PW
Source of Release Main water line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 6/14/2008, AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 6/14/2008, 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/NMOCD District II, (Voicemail)	
By Whom? Mike Stubblefield/YPC Environmental Department	Date and Hour 6/14/2008, 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.* Main produce water line northeast of Medano VA State #4 ruptured. Isolated line, shut down well(s), called vacuum truck and repaired line.		

#### Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

An approximate area of 180' X 10'. Vacuum truck picked up remaining produced water. Vertical and horizontal delineation will be made and analysis ran for TPH/BTEX and chlorides (for reference purposes). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are over RRAL's a work plan will be submitted. If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the OCD requesting closure. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approx. 125'). Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0.**

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCID 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 NMOCID 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, NMOCID 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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approved by District Supervisor: 	Remediation Actions to be completed and Final C-141 submitted with confirmation analyses/documentation on or before the Expiration Date.
Title: Environmental Regulator/ Agent	Approval Date: <b>7-10-08</b>	Expiration Date: <b>9-10-08</b>
E-mail Address: boba@ypcnm.com	Conditions of <b>DELINEATION REQUIRED</b> until contamination reaches background levels or a site specific acceptable level. As warranted, a work plan may be required.	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> <b>2RP-185</b>
Date: Wednesday, June 18, 2008 Phone: 505-748-1471	Within 30 days, on or before <b>8-11-08</b> , completion of a remediation work plan based on delineation should be finalized and submitted for approval to the Division summarizing all actions taken and/or to be taken to mitigate environmental damage.	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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Notify OCD 48 hours prior to obtaining samples where analyses are to be presented to OCD