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New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
Wayne Price, Environmental Bureau Chief  
1220 South St. Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

**Subject: Release Notification  
Val Verde Gas Gathering LP**

Dear Mr. Price,

Enclosed is the written notification in accordance to Subsection B, Paragraph (1), and Subparagraph (d) of 19.15.3.116 NMAC for a release that occurred in San Juan County, NM.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call Chris Gauthier, our area environmental engineer, at 303-330-7952 or me directly at 713-880-6518.

Yours truly,

Mary E. Hebert  
Director, Environmental Compliance

/sjn

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cc: Brandon Powell, Deputy Inspector, NMOCD/Aztec, NM



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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

#### OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company	Val Verde Gas Gathering LP	Contact	Chris Gauthier
Address	c/o Environmental Dept. P.O. Box 2521	Telephone No.	303 330-7952
Facility Name	Val Verde Treater	Facility Type	Natural Gas Processing Facility

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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#### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter UTM Zone 13	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County San Juan, approximately 1.5 miles northwest of Bloomfield, New Mexico
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Latitude UTMH 236.05 km Longitude UTMV 4068.72 km

#### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Methane	Volume of Release	797 mscf	Volume Recovered	0 mscf
Source of Release	Facility vent stacks	Date and Hour of Occurrence	08:20; 08 July 08	Date and Hour of Discovery	08:20; 08 July 08
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	OCD District 3 – Brandon Powell, Environmental		
By Whom?	Chris Gauthier	Date and Hour	10:00; 08 July 08		
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	N/A, gas / vapor release.		

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

N/A, gas / vapor release.

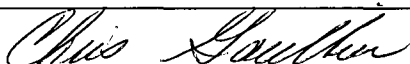
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

Uninterruptable Power Supply (UPS) low voltage fault resulted in facility Emergency Shutdown (ESD). Reset low voltage system.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

Facility Vent Stack Area. No cleanup action necessary.

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: 	<u>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</u>		
Printed Name: Chris Gauthier	Approved by District Supervisor:		
Title: Environmental Engineer – Western Region	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:	
E-mail Address: CAGAUTHIER@epco.com	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 7/21/2008 Phone: 303-330-7952			

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary