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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
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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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC 229137	Contact	Kanicia Carrillo
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 1300 Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-685-4332
Facility Name	GJ WEST COOP UNIT #47	Facility Type	Injection well

Surface Owner	S	Mineral Owner		Lease No. API#	30-015-10822
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30-015-10822

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
C	21	17-S	29-E	660	North	1980	West	Eddy

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release- Water/oil	Volume of Release- 20bbls	Volume Recovered- 8bbls
Source of Release- Flowline	Date and Hour of Occurrence- 9/30/08 5:30am	Date and Hour of Discovery 9/30/08 3:00 pm
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher	
By Whom? Kanicia Carrillo	Date and Hour 10/01/2008 9:10 am	
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.*


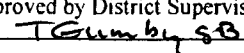
Contractor Truck turned corner too sharp and ran over steel swing in flowline.
We replaced the damaged piece of flowline.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Leak was contained to side of lease road and middle of lease road. All liquid was picked up and sand was spread on affected area on the road. Tetra Tech will submit soil samples and our final report.

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: 	Approved by District Supervisor: 		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remediation Actions to be completed and Final C-141 submitted with confirmation analyses/documentation on or before the Expiration Date. ↓
Printed Name: Kanicia Carrillo	Approval Date: 10-17-08	Expiration Date: 12-18-08	
Title: Regulatory Analyst	Conditions of Approval: STIPULATIONS		Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
E-mail Address: kcarrillo@conchoresources.com			

Date: 10/01/2008 Phone: 432-685-4332

Within 30 days, on or before 11-18-08, 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



New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Division Director
Oil Conservation Division



October 17, 2008

COG Operating LLC
ATTN: Kanicia Carrillo
550 W Texas, Suite 1300
Midland, TX 79701

RE: GJ West Coop Unit 047 30-015-10822
C-21-17S-29E Eddy County, New Mexico
2RP-253

Dear Operator:

This office is in receipt of your C-141 regarding the produced water and oil release at this facility.

NMOCD Rule 19.15.3.116 states in part, "...The responsible person must complete **division approved corrective action** for releases which endanger public health or the environment. Releases will be addressed in accordance with a **remediation plan** submitted to and approved by the division or with an abatement plan submitted in accordance with Section 19 of 19.15.1 NMAC."

A guide document intended to provide direction for remediation of soils and fresh waters contaminated as a result of leaks, spills, or releases of oilfield wastes and products is found on OCD's web site at the following link:

http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/oed/documents/7C_spill1.pdf

The following actions are **required** to be addressed in the **remediation plan**:

- Horizontal and vertical delineation of the spill by soil sampling. Delineation is required until contamination reaches background levels or a site specific acceptable level. Any constituent(s) of concern—to include but not limited to TPH, BTEX, and chlorides—are to be addressed in the delineation and remediation plan.
- Submit a sketch of the site indicating where and at what depths the samples were taken.



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- Submit laboratory results of sampling and the work plan proposal (plan) for remediation, removal and/or clean up of contaminants that may be present at the site.

Notify the OCD 48 hours prior to obtaining samples where analyses of samples obtained are to be submitted to the OCD. Notification is to include date and time of sample event.

Within 30 days, **on or before November 18, 2008**, completion of a remediation work plan should be finalized and submitted to the Division summarizing all actions taken or to be taken to mitigate environmental damage related to the leak, spill or release for approval.

Please be advised that NMOCD acceptance and/or approval of documents or work plans 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 and/or approval of documents or work plans do not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If I may be of further assistance with this matter or should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



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