

District I  
1625 N French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

**RECEIVED** State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
**HOBBSD** 1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

**HOBBSD** 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	Contact Kanicia Carrillo
Address 550 W. Texas, Suite 100 Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-685-4332
Facility Name - Pronghorn SWD #1	Facility Type- Central booster station

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner	Lease No. 30-025-32735
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#### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter B	Section 24	Township 19S	Range 32E	Feet from the 330	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1650	East/West Line East	County Lea
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Latitude 32.65220 Longitude 103.71675

#### NATURE OF RELEASE


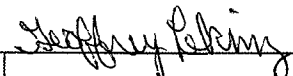
Type of Release- Produced water	Volume of Release-1500 bbls	Volume Recovered- 1300 bbls
Source of Release- 1x4 swedge	Date and Hour of Occurrence- 11/20/09 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 11/20/09 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Paul Evans/ BLM, Maxey Brown/ OGD	
By Whom? Pat Ellis, Kanicia Castillo	Date and Hour 11/20/09 3:38pm, 4:37pm	
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.\*  
  
WATER @ 315'

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
A 1x4 swedge broke off the discharge of the pump going to the Pronghorn well. Replaced with a heavy duty metal swedge.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
About 25% of the battery pad was covered with produced water. The majority of the produced water went off location south of the battery into the pasture. Tetra Tech will sample the spill site area to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD/BLM for your approval prior to any significant remediation work.

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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Kanicia Carrillo	Approved by <del>District Supervisor</del> 	
Title: Regulatory Analyst	Approval Date: 01/07/10	Expiration Date: 03/08/10
E-mail Address: kcarrillo@conchoresources.com	Conditions of Approval: DECONTAMINATE TO CLEAN + 1, REMEDIATE PER APPROVED WORKPLAN, INCLUDE CONFIRMATION SAMPLING W/ PHOTOS W/ THE FINAL C-141 BY 03/08/10.	
Date: 11/25/09 Phone: 432-685-4332	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP-10-1-2384	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary.

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