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Oil Conservation Division
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

X Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	Oxy USA WTP	Contact	Dusty Wilson
Address	1017 W. Stanolind Rd	Telephone No.	(575) 397-8247
Facility Name	South Mattix Ellenburg Battery	Facility Type	Gathering
Surface Owner	Bill Grobe	Mineral Owner	
		Lease No.	NM-19582

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Nearby well MLMU 249
API # 30-025-11083-00-00

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
G	15	24s	37e					Lea

Latitude N32.13.022 Longitude W103.08.962

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Oil	Volume of Release	15 bo	Volume Recovered	5 bo
Source of Release	Power failure at air compressor for free water KO	Date and Hour of Occurrence	07/10/2010 1100 am	Date and Hour of Discovery	same
Was Immediate Notice Given?	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Jeff Leking and Trish Badbear		
By Whom?	Dusty Wilson	Date and Hour	07/13/2010		
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes X 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.*

Power failure at air compressor for free water knock out at Battery caused tanks to run over, and putting above listed fluids out and onto location. Remediation efforts are in progress, and will be determined according to NMOCD requirements. Vac truck was deployed and recovered most of released fluids.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Remediate to NMOCD Requirements.

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:	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION		
Printed Name: Dusty L. Wilson	APPROVED BY: District Supervisor:	Jeffrey Leking	
Title: HES Specialist	Approval Date: 07/28/10	Expiration Date: 09/28/10	
E-mail Address: dusty_wilson@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval: SUBMIT FINAL		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 06/23/2010 07/21/10	C-141 BY 09/28/10.		IRP-11-10-2649
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- Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary