

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

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division

1220 South St. Francis Dr.

Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003Submit 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 Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 TH Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name New Mexico DB State Com. #1	API Number 30-015-23682	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. LG-2040
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C	Section 7	Township 19S	Range 24E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.67737 Longitude 104.62953

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release 103 B/O & 3 B/PW	Volume Recovered 21 B/O & 0 B/PW
Source of Release Production Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 3/1/2011, PM	Date and Hour of Discovery 3/1/2011, 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/NMOCD II	Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
By Whom? Robert Asher/YPC Environmental	Date and Hour 3/1/2011, PM (telephone & e-mail)	
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.*
Hole in production tank. Vacuum truck called, crew called to remove tank.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

An approximate area of 45' X 60'. Remaining oil recovered and no produced water was recovered. Tank moved and impacted soils being excavated (to an approximate depth of 4 feet) and hauled to an NMOCD approved facility. After impacted soils are removed, vertical/horizontal delineation samples will be taken to determine any further extent of impacted soils. Samples will be tested for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the NMOCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL a work plan will be submitted to the NMOCD. Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approx. 480' per New Mexico Office of the State Engineer). 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 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:	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approval Date: 3/17/11	Expiration Date:
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent	Conditions of Approval: Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com		
Date: Friday, March 11, 2011	Phone: 575-748-4217	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

REMEDATION per OCD Rules and
Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION
PROPOSAL BY: 4/17/11

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