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NMOCD Artesia

Form C-141
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District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., 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

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company Apache Corporation	Contact Bruce Baker
Address 2350 W Marland Street, Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No. (432) 631-6982
Facility Name Randy Federal Water Station (near the Randy Federal #6 well)	Facility Type Battery
Surface Owner BLM	Mineral Owner
API No. 30-015-36361	

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
G	22	17S	30E	1750'	FNL	2310'	FEL	Eddy

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 20 barrels of water	Volume Recovered 0 barrels
Source of Release flow-line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 5/29/2014	Date and Hour of Discovery 5/29/2014 at 2:00 p.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Left Message for Mike Bratcher (NMOCD) and Jeffery Robertson (BLM)	
By Whom? Bruce Baker	Date and Hour 5/30/2014 at 7:34 a.m. (BLM) and 9:00 a.m. (NMOCD)	
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.*

A hole in the transition on the poly flow line resulting in fluid loss. The pump at the water station was shut in and a new transition was installed.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* The release covered 218 square feet of pasture land. RECS personnel were on site beginning on June 20th, 2014. The release was photographed and mapped. Based on a visual inspection of the release, the release area was excavated down to 4 ft bgs. Once the excavation was completed, final wall and bottom grab samples were taken and field tested for chlorides and organic vapors. The wall samples were taken to a commercial laboratory for analysis. All wall samples returned chloride values below 250 mg/kg, except for South Wall 2 and South Wall 3, which abutted the DCP buried line. The bottom samples returned chloride field data above regulatory standards. On July 23rd, 2014, a Path Forward was submitted to NMOCD and BLM. NMOCD approved the Path Forward on July 31st, 2014, and BLM verbally approved the Path Forward. On August 25th, 2014, a 20-mil reinforced poly liner was installed and properly seated into the base of the excavation. All the excavated soil was taken to a NMOCD approved facility for disposal. Clean top soil was imported to the site to replace all soils taken for disposal. The excavation was backfilled with the clean top soil and contoured to the surrounding location. On September 15th, 2014, the site was seeded with LPC mix, and the seed was raked into the site.

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: <i>Bruce Baker</i>		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Bruce Baker		Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Environmental Technician	Approval Date: 10/10/2014	Expiration Date: NA	
E-mail Address: larry.baker@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 10-7-14	Phone: (432) 631-6982	FINAL	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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