

NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT

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

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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit **RECEIVED** appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Linn Operating **204324** **Contact:** EL Gonzales

Address: 2130 W Bender, Hobbs, NM 88240 **Telephone No.:** 575-738-1739

Facility Name: Skelly Unit 276 **Facility Type:** Oil Producer

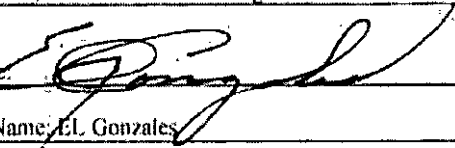
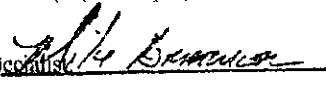
Surface Owner: Federal **Mineral Owner:** **API No:** 30-015-29225

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
D	27	17S	31E	687	North	1183	West	Eddy

Latitude 32.8109503533785 Longitude -103.862221362993

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Spill: Produced Water / Oil	Volume of Release: 20 bbls / 20 bbls	Volume Recovered: 0 bbls / 10 bbls
Source of Release: 3" Polyline	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 05/05/2014	Date and Hour of Discovery: 05/05/2014 0730
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? M. Burton - BLM	
By Whom? Brian Wall	Date and Hour: 05/06/2014 0640	
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.* Flow line from well head to battery broke, spilling 40 bbls of fluid, cause of accident was age/wear on the line, 10 barrels of oil was picked up by vacuum truck, 30 barrels lost.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Leak ran west 1.5'x30' on lease road.		
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: EL Gonzales	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Production Supervisor	Approval Date: 5/10/16	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: elgonzaless@linnenergy.com	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: Phone: 575-504-8002	SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

LATER THAN: 10/12/16

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