

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

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**

nAB1619352674

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

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| Name of Company<br>Yates Petroleum Corporation (EOG Y Resources, Inc.) | Contact<br>Robert Asher       |
| Address<br>104 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street                               | Telephone No.<br>575-748-1471 |
| Facility Name<br>Chamaeleon BIN State Com #1-H                         | Facility Type<br>Battery      |

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| Surface Owner<br>State | Mineral Owner<br>State | API No.<br>30-015-37942 |
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

| Unit Letter | Section | Township | Range | Feet from the | North/South Line | Feet from the | East/West Line | County |
|-------------|---------|----------|-------|---------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|--------|
| B           | 25      | 26S      | 27E   | 200           | North            | 1780          | East           | Eddy   |

Latitude 32.01979 Longitude 104.14041

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

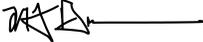
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| Type of Release<br>Oil & Produced Water  | Volume of Release<br>15 B/O & 290 B/PW       | Volume Recovered<br>15 B/O & 290 B/PW       |
| Source of Release<br>Horizontal Knockout   | Date and Hour of Occurrence<br>4/25/2016; AM | Date and Hour of Discovery<br>4/25/2016; AM |
| Was Immediate Notice Given?<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required | If YES, To Whom?<br>Mike Bratcher/NMOCD II   |   |
| By Whom?<br>Chase Settle/Yates Petroleum Corporation   | Date and Hour<br>4/25/2016; PM (e-mail)      |   |
| Was a Watercourse Reached?<br><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.\*  
Malfunction in a pop-off valve on a horizontal knockout, causing the release. Vacuum truck(s) and roustabout crews were called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
An approximate area of 40' x 40' within the lined and bermed battery and 40' x 120' (oil misted outside of location on east side of location). The knockout was repaired after a vacuum truck recovered all of the released crude oil and produced water. The area outside of the battery was scraped and micro blaze was applied. **Depth to Ground Water: 50-99' (approximately 54', per ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 10. Based on the battery is bermed/lined with no oil/produced water escaped the lined battery and the over sprayed area had impacted soils excavated/hailed (to an NMOCD approved facility) and enclosed analytical results, Yates Petroleum Corporation (EOG Y) requests closure.**

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.

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| Signature:  | <u>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</u>  |                                   |
| Printed Name: Robert Asher   | Approved by Environmental Specialist:  |                                   |
| Title: Environmental Supervisor  | Approval Date: 1/20/17  | Expiration Date: N/A              |
| E-mail Address: Robert-Asher@eogresources.com  | Conditions of Approval: N/A   | Attached <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Date: January 19, 2017 Phone: 575-748-4217   | 2RP-3773 FINAL  |                                   |

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary