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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC 229/37	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 100, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Aoudad water transfer line	Facility Type	Water transfer line

Surface Owner	State	Mineral Owner		Lease No.	V-6248
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Coyote State #1 30-015-32419

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
F	36	17S	31E					Eddy

Latitude 32 47.501 Longitude 103 49.553

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Produced water	Volume of Release	15bbbls	Volume Recovered	13bbbls
Source of Release	Union on water transfer line	Date and Hour of Occurrence	03/05/2012	Date and Hour of Discovery	03/05/2012 9:45 A.M.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?			
By Whom?		Date and Hour			
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.*

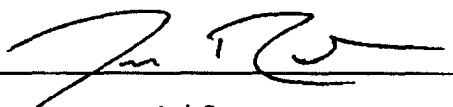
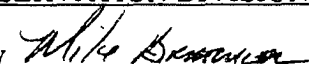
The union came apart on the Aoudad water transfer line. The union and nipples have been replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Initially 15bbbls of produced water was released from the transfer line and we were able to recover 13bbbls with a vacuum truck. The spill was concentrated into two main areas, a 20' x 65' area, and a 20' x 25' area. The closest location to the release is the Coyote State #1 (API#) 30-015-36029. All fluids have been recovered. Tetra Tech will sample the spill site area to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will submit a work plan to the NMOCD prior to any significant remediation work.

30-015-32419

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:	Josh Russo	Signed By 	
Title:	HSE Coordinator	Approved by District Supervisor:	
E-mail Address:	jrusso@conchoresources.com	Approval Date:	MAR 26 2012
Date:	03/12/2012	Expiration Date:	
Phone:	432-212-2399	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per OCD Rules &
Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION
PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:
4/26/2012

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