

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

Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

30-015-32834

Release Notification and Corrective Action

n MLB0518747941

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	HARVEY E. YATES COMPANY	Contact	Jen Atkinson
Address	PO Box 1933, Roswell 88202-1933	Telephone No.	(505) 623-6601
Facility Name	CHOLLA 1 FEDERAL #4	Facility Type	WELL
Surface Owner	USA	Mineral Owner	BLM
		Lease No.	NMMN106718

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
H	1	18S	31E	2260'	NORTH	400'	EAST	EDDY COUNTY, NM

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Major	Volume of Release	appx 70 bbls	Volume Recovered	50 bbls
Source of Release	back pressure valve	Date/Hour of Release	6/18 - 6/19 unknown	Date/Hour Discovered	6/19/05 10 am
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Paul Evans, Bureau of Land Management, Carlsbad Resource Office		
By Whom?	Jen Atkinson	Date and Hour	6/20/05 9:06 am		
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

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JUN 21 2005

ODD-AMT-05-04

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Pulling unit did not screw gauge in back pressure valve. Well pressured up and blew fluids out the hole. Equipment was checked and is in proper working order now.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Spill both on and off location. Have recovered 50 bbls (48 bbls water & 2 bbls oil). Applied 3% MicroBlaze (402 gallons water + 12 gallons MicroBlaze) on 6/20/05 and turned soil to aerate.

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.

Jen Atkinson Signature:	Digitally signed by Jen Atkinson DN: CN = Jen Atkinson, C = US, O = Harvey E. Yates Company, OU = Production Date: 2005.06.20 15:14:08 -0600	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Jen Atkinson	Approved by District Supervisor:	TIM GUM by MB	
Title: Production Analyst	Approval Date: 7/6/05	Expiration Date: N/A	
E-mail Address: jatkinson@heyco.org	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 6/20/2005	Phone: (505)623-6601		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Harvey E. Yates Co. Cholla 1 Federal #4 30-015-32834

C-141 submitted for release occurring on 6/19/2005. Conditions of approval are as follows:

Remediation of site per OCD guidelines and RRAL and/or BLM requirements.

Notify OCD District office 24 hours prior to commencement of operations.

Notify OCD District office 24 hours prior to obtaining samples where analysis of samples will be submitted to OCD.

"Final Report" C-141 submitted to OCD district office upon completion of project.

Like approval by BLM.

Acceptance of C-141 or remediation work plan 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 reports or work plans does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

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