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1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
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Form C-141  
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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**JMW 1828339979** OPERATOR  Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC <b>229137</b>	Contact	Robert McNeill
Address	600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Skelly Unit #989	Facility Type	Tank Battery
Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner	
		Lease No. (API#) 30-015-36498	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
F	23	17S	31E					Eddy
				Latitude 32.82191		Longitude 103.84353		

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Produced water	Volume of Release	130bbbls	Volume Recovered	130bbbls
Source of Release	Tank Battery	Date and Hour of Occurrence	10-07-2013	Date and Hour of Discovery	10-07-2013 07:30am
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher - NMOCD		
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.*					
Water pump tripped the master reset and the alarm system failed. Called Deans Electric out to inspect the system.					
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*					
Initially 130bbbls of produced water were released. We were able to recover 130bbbls with a vacuum truck. All free fluid has been recovered. The spill was contained within the lined facility. Contaminated gravel has been removed and we have replaced with fresh gravel as necessary. This location has been returned to its prior condition.					
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.					

**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Signature:	<i>Robert Grubbs</i>	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Printed Name:	Robert Grubbs J.	Signed By <i>Mike Bratcher</i>	
Title:	Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date:	OCT 10 2013
E-mail Address:	rgrubbs@concho.com	Expiration Date:	
Date:	10-09-2013	Phone:	432-661-6601
		Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

**Like approval by  
BLM**

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\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary