

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
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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

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company - Oxy USA	Contact - Kelton Beard
Address - P O Box 1988 Carlsbad, NM 88221	Telephone No. - 575-887-8337
Facility Name - Cypress 33 Fed #1H	Facility Type - Drilling Pit

Surface Owner - Federal	Mineral Owner - Federal	Lease No.
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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
P	33	23S	29E					Eddy

Latitude 32° 15.333' N Longitude 103° 58.948' W

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

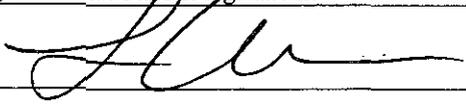
Type of Release - Drilling Fluids	Volume of Release - N/A	Volume Recovered - N/A
Source of Release - Drilling Pit	Date and Hour of Occurrence NA	Date and Hour of Discovery 1-8-09
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not 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.\* Drilling pit leaked into underlying soil.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\* Pit bottoms were tested and delineated to the standards in the pit closure plan. Confirmation samples were sent to a third party lab. Remediation plan is to excavate all chloride impacted soil above 1,000 ppm and haul to CRI Disposal. The site will be backfilled and seeded per the original pit closure plan. A final report will be sent with the Final C-144 once the pit closure is complete.

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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Logan Anderson	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title: Consultant	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: la_elkeenv@yahoo.com	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 1-12-09 Phone: 432-366-0043	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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