

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 June 10, 2003

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

API 30-045-05343

OPERATOR

X Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Elm Ridge Exploration CO LLC	Contact: Amy Mackey
Address: PO BOX 156 Bloomfield, NM 87413	Telephone No. 505-632-3476 x 201
Facility Name: Carson Unit Tank Battery (Water side)	Facility Type: Injection Well

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.:
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter N	Section 18	Township 25N	Range 11W	Feet from the 660'	North/South Line South	Feet from the 1930'	East/West Line West	County San Juan
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil and water mixture	Volume of Release 5 bbls	Volume Recovered 5 bbls
Source of Release: Split Pipe	Date and Hour of Occurrence 7-12-07 approx: 10 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery: Same
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No X Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes X No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

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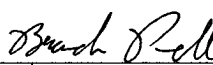
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

A pipe cracked where the valve and the pipe connect. The kills failed and sucked oil down into the pump. The dirt was taken out and will be sent to Envirotech's Land farm. It is approximately 5 yards of contaminated dirt.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The leak stayed in the berm. It was approximately 1.5 bbls of oil and water mixed. It was mostly oil. Took contaminated dirt out of the Berm and will send it to the land farm when a truck is available.

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: Amy Mackey		Approved by District Supervisor:  For: Charlie Perrin	
Title: Production Technician		Approval Date: 7-26-07	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: amackey1@elmridge.net	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date:	Phone: 505-632-3476 x 201		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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