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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division  
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Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

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District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

nMLB/031340286

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 100, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Wild Cap State Com #5H	Facility Type	Tank Battery

Surface Owner	State	Mineral Owner	Lease No. (API#) 30-015-37144
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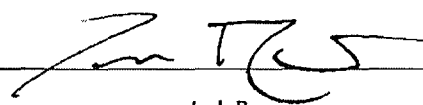
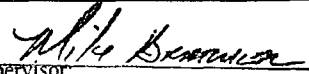

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
C	36	19S	31E	330	North	2260	West	Eddy

Latitude 32.62332 Longitude 103.82390

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Oil	Volume of Release	10bbls	Volume Recovered	10bbls
Source of Release	Oil tank thief hatch	Date and Hour of Occurrence	10/17/2010	Date and Hour of Discovery	10/17/2010 5:30 p.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.*					
Oil was release out of the thief hatch on top of the oil tank due to an unexpected increase in production.					
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*					
Initially 10bbls were released from the hatch on top of the oil tank and we were able to recover all 10bbls with a vacuum truck. All of the released fluid was contained inside the dike walls of the facility, which is lined with a 40 mil liner. The contaminated soil has been removed from the facility and clean gravel has been added as necessary. The facility 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.					

Signature: 		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Josh Russo		Signed By:  Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: HSE Coordinator		Approval Date: NOV 15 2011	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: jrusso@conchoresources.com		Conditions of Approval: N/A	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 11/14/2011 Phone: 432-212-2399			

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Joshua Russo [jrusso@concho.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, November 14, 2011 1:58 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Subject:** Wild Cap State Com #5H Tank Battery  
**Attachments:** img-Y14155358-0001.pdf

Mr. Bratcher,

Please see attached the C-141 Final report for a release that occurred last year on 10/17/2010. According to my records a Final Report had not yet been submitted for this spill. I wanted to be sure you had one for your files.

Thank you,

### **Joshua Russo**

HSE Coordinator  
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