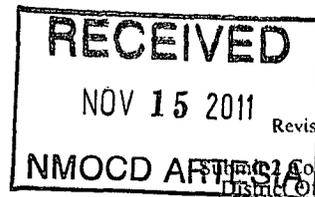


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side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

nMLB1034155127 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	Skelly 989 Tank Battery	Facility Type	Tank Battery

Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner		Lease No.	NMNM-029418A (API#) 30-015-36498
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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
F	23	17S	31E	1980	North	1649	West	Eddy

Latitude 32 49.316 Longitude 103 50.617

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Oil	Volume of Release	24bbbls	Volume Recovered	23bbbls
Source of Release	Oil tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence	11/13/2010	Date and Hour of Discovery	11/13/2010 8:00 a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required				
By Whom?	If YES, To Whom?				
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No				
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*					
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*					
The float inside the oil tank blocked the equalizer line causing the tank to overflow. The float has been inspected and the tank has been returned to service.					
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*					
Initially 24bbbls of oil was released from the tank and we were able to recover 23bbbls with a vacuum truck. All fluid was contained inside the facility firewall, which is lined with a 40 mil plastic liner. The contaminated gravel has been removed and we replaced with clean gravel 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			Approved by District Supervisor:		
Title: HSE Coordinator			Approval Date: NOV 15 2011		Expiration Date: NA
E-mail Address: jrusso@conchoresources.com			Conditions of Approval: NA		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 2:41 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov  
**Cc:** Gregston, Terry G  
**Subject:** C-141 Final Report - Skelly 989 TB  
**Attachments:** img-Y14163458-0001.pdf

Please see attached the C-141 Final Report for a release that occurred last year on 11/13/2010. My records did not indicate that I had sent a Final Report for this specific release and I wanted to be sure that you had one for your files.

Thank you,

### **Joshua Russo**

HSE Coordinator  
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