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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Form C-141  
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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Citation X Federal Com #1H	Facility Type	Tank Battery
Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner	
		Lease No. (API#)	30-025-39960

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
O	8	19S	32E					Eddy, LEA

Latitude 32 40.240 Longitude 103 47.158

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Produced water	Volume of Release	80bbbs	Volume Recovered	75bbbs
Source of Release	Filter pot	Date and Hour of Occurrence	10/26/2012	Date and Hour of Discovery	10/26/2012 12:30 p.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher-OCD		
By Whom?	Josh Russo	Date and Hour	10/29/2012 12:40 p.m.		
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.\*

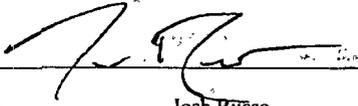
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

The 1 inch drain line threads on the filter pot valve failed causing the release of fluid into the facility. The valve and pipe have been replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

Initially 80bbs were released into the lined facility at the Citation X Federal Com #1H Tank Battery. We were able to recover 75bbbs with a vacuum truck. All free fluid has been recovered from the release. All free fluid remained inside the lined facility. We have removed the contaminated gravel, steam cleaned the liner, and replaced fresh gravel throughout the facility 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:		<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name:	Josh Russo	Approved by District Supervisor	
Title:	Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date:	11/7/12
E-mail Address:	jrusso@concho.com	Expiration Date:	-
Date:	11/05/2012	Phone:	432-212-2399
		Conditions of Approval:	-
		Attached:	<input type="checkbox"/>
		IRP-11-12-2863	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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