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1220 S St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

KMW 1109453503

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 TH Street		Telephone No. 505-748-1471
Facility Name Creek AL Federal #12	API Number 30-015-27775	Facility Type Pumping Unit

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	Lease No. LC-028990B
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter E	Section 25	Township 18S	Range 30E	Feet from the 1405'	North/South Line South	Feet from the 330'	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.72166 Longitude 103.93253

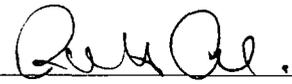
NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release 40 B/O & 40 B/PW	Volume Recovered 30 B/O & 10 B/PW
Source of Release Flow Line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 2/14/2009; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 2/14/2009, AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher/NMOCD	
By Whom? Mike Stubblefield/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 2/14/2009; AM	RECEIVED APR 11 2011 NMOCD ARTESIA
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* N/A		

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*
The new flow line was being installed (from 1/29/2009 rupture). The well was put back into production after being told new line was ready for service. It was discovered that one weld was not complete leaving line open ended and causing release. Vacuum truck and backhoe crew called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
An approximate area of 20' X 20'. The flow line was repaired and remaining oil and produced water recovered. Impacted soils were excavated and hauled to an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX. Chlorides will be documented. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 184'), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Based on recovered amounts of oil & produces water, soils excavated/removed and enclosed analytical results, Yates Petroleum Corporation requests closure.**

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: Robert Asher	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <u>11/16/12</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <u>N/A</u>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Thursday, September 24, 2009	Phone: 505-748-4217	2RP-289 <u>702</u> 

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary