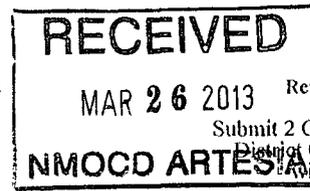


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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003
Submit 2 Copies to appropriate District Office in accordance with Rule 116 on back side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Apache Corporation	873	Contact Natalie Gladden
Address PO Box 1849 Eunice, NM 88231		Telephone No. 575-390-4186
Facility Name D State Battery (D State #21)		Facility Type Facility

Surface Owner Unknown	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. 30-015-30975
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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
1	25	17S	28E	2310'	FSL	330'	FEL	Eddy

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil/Produced Water	Volume of Release 25	Volume Recovered 24
Source of Release Fire-tube gasket failed	Date and Hour of Occurrence 09/25/12	Date and Hour of Discovery 09/25/12
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher	
By Whom? Natalie Gladden	Date and Hour 10/01/12	
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 fire tube gasket on the heater treater ruptured. Standing fluid was recovered from inside the burned facility.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
Remediation will begin once the NM One-Call is cleared. Site will be hand excavated to meet the NMOCD Standard.

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: <i>Natalie Gladden</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Natalie Gladden	Approved by District Supervisor:	Signed By: <i>Mike Bratcher</i>
Title: Sr. Environmental Tech	Approval Date: APR 08 2013	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: natalie.gladden@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 10/01/12 Phone: 575-390-4186	Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

May 8, 2013

28P-1602

Release Notifications

Warren, JeanMarie, EMNRD

Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 10:03 AM**To:** Natalie.Gladden@apachecorp.com**Cc:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you on behalf of Mike Bratcher. We are attempting to follow up regarding a few release notifications that was given to our office, by you, on: 1/22/2013, 12/10/2012, 10/01/2012, 07/19/2012, 06/14/2012, 05/23/2012

Release Date/Location:

- 1/21/2013, Raven 12 H
- 12/09/2012, Tony Federal #46
- No specific Date, D state Btry (closest well #21)
- 7/18/2012, NB Tween #25
- 6/10/2012, Empire ABO Unit G312
- 5/23/2012, Tony Federal Btry (Tony Federal #10)

We have no record of having received an initial C-141, please advise the status of this release and submit an initial C-141 to Mr. Bratcher.

Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,

*Jean-Marie Warren
Business Operations Specialist
NM-OCD District II, Artesia
(575) 748-1283, ext. 101*

C141

Gladden, Natalie [Natalie.Gladden@apachecorp.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 3:04 PM
To: Warren, JeanMarie, EMNRD
Cc: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Attachments: 20130326155559088.pdf (440 KB)

Here you go. If you need me to put them back in the mail, I can do that also.

Natalie Gladden
Apache Corporation
Sr. Environmental Tech
New Mexico District
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Office: 575-394-1503 x 1258
Fax: 575-394-2425
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-----Original Message-----

From: ricoh.service@apachecorp.com [mailto:ricoh.service@apachecorp.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 2:56 PM
To: Gladden, Natalie
Subject:

This E-mail was sent from "mideunr33511" (Aficio MP 3351).

Scan Date: 03.26.2013 15:55:58 (-0400)
Queries to: ricoh.service@apachecorp.com

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Gladden, Natalie <Natalie.Gladden@apachecorp.com>
Sent: Monday, October 01, 2012 9:41 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Subject: D State Battery

Mike,

Sorry this is late.

D State Battery (closest well #21)
30-015-30975
I-S25, T17S, R28E
2310' FSL and 330' FEL
Eddy County

The fire tube gasket on the heater treater ruptured.

10bbbls of oil and 15bbbls of produced water released

9.5bbbls of oil and 14.5bbbls of produced water was recovered

All fluid stayed inside the falcon containment, but we believe that maybe some exit the containment. Not sure if it was just from all the rain. We are pulling samples to determine that.

Thanks, C141 to follow.

Natalie Gladden

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