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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

NJM 1322834078

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC 229137	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Burch Keely Unit #205	Facility Type	Pasture
Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner	
		Lease No. (API#)	30-015-03133

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
O	26	17S	29E					Eddy

Latitude 32 48.163 Longitude 104 02.567

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Produced water	Volume of Release	75bbbs	Volume Recovered	50bbbs
Source of Release	Fiberglass line	Date and Hour of Occurrence	08-14-2013	Date and Hour of Discovery	08-14-2013 11:00am
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?	Michelle Mullins	Date and Hour	08-15-2013 10:03am		
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.*

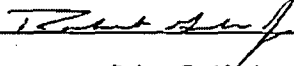
A fiberglass fitting came loose. Replaced the fitting a new fitting.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Initially 75bbbs of produced water were released due to a fitting came loose on a fiberglass line. We were able to recover 50bbbs with a vacuum truck. All free fluid has been recovered. The spill was located in the pasture. Tetra Tech will sample the spill site area to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a work plan to the NMOCD/BLM for approval prior to any significant remediation work.

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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: 
Printed Name: Robert Grubbs Jr.
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator
E-mail Address: rgrubbs@concho.com
Date: 08-15-2013 Phone: 432-661-6601

Approved by District Supervisor: Signed By 

Approval Date: AUG 16 2013 Expiration Date:

Conditions of Approval:
Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines, &
like approval by BLM. SUBMIT REMEDIATION
PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:

Attached ☐

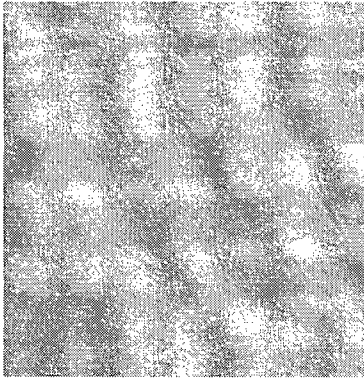
* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Sept. 16, 2013

2RP-1835

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Robert Grubbs <RGrubbs@concho.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 11:39 AM
To: Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Robert McNeill; Tavarez, Ike; Kujawski, Marcus (Marcus.Kujawski@tetrattech.com)
Subject: C-141 Initial Report - Burck Keely Unit #205
Attachments: Burch Keely Unit #205 -- Date Of Release -- 08-14-2013.pdf



Gentlemen,

Please see attached the C-141 Initial release that occurred at our Burck Keely Unit #205 on 08-14-2013 in Eddy County New Mexico. We plan to assess the spill area timely.

Thank you,

Robert Grubbs Jr.
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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Michelle Mullins <MMullins@concho.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 9:03 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Robert Grubbs
Subject: BKU #205 (nearest well)-Immediate Notification

Mr. Bratcher:

At approximately 9:00 a.m. on 08/14/2013, a produced fluid release was discovered near the above-referenced well. An estimated 75 bbls of produced fluid was released. The cause of the release is currently under investigation. We will follow up within 15 days with a C-141 Report. GPS coordinates, legal description and driving directions are listed below.

32.80008 104.04331

BKU #205 (nearest well)

Unit O

Sec 26 T17S R29E

660' FNL & 1980' FEL

Eddy County, NM

API 30-015-03133

From the Highway 82, turn south on General American Road. Travel 1 mile to Road "E", and turn west. Go 1.3 miles and turn south. Travel .1 mile and spill is on the west side of road.

Michelle Mullins

HSE Field Technician

COG Operating, LLC

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