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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

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**AMLB 1417059578**  Initial Report  Final Report

<b>OPERATOR</b>	
Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575
Contact Robert Asher	
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>TH</sup> Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Jester SWD #4	API Number 30-015-35217
Facility Type Production Pad	
Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal
Lease No. NM-105 213	

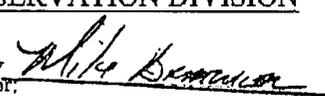
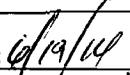
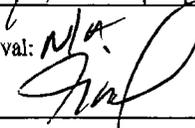
**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
C	12	24S	29E	990	North	1650	West	Eddy

Latitude 32.23657 Longitude 103.94079

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 130 B/PW	Volume Recovered 130 B/PW
Source of Release Produced water tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 4/2/2014, PM	Date and Hour of Discovery 4/2/2014 PM
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 II & Duncan Whitlock/BLM CFO	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 4/7/2014, AM	
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.* Power failure at battery, transfer pumps not running causing tank to overflow. Vacuum truck(s) called.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* An approximate area of 100' X 50' within the bermed and lined battery. All produced water was recovered. Power restored to pump/battery. Depth to Ground Water: <50' (approximately J8', Section 16, T24S-R29E, per NMOSE), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 20. Based on battery is bermed/lined and all released produced water recovered, 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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Signed By  Approved by District Supervisor:
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date:  Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: boba@ypcnm.com	Conditions of Approval:  Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Thursday, April 17, 2014 Phone: 575-748-4217	2RP-

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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**FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET**

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**FROM:**  
Robert Asher

**TO:**  
Mike Bratcher/NMOCD II

**DATE:**  
Thursday, April 17, 2014

**FAX NUMBER:**  
9-748-9720

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**RE:**  
Jester SWD #4

**NOTES:**

**COMMENTS:**

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  PLEASE REPLY   
  PLEASE RECYCLE

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**NOTES/COMMENTS:**

**INITIAL & FINAL REPORT.**

Report for 4/2/2014 release.

If you have any questions, contact me at 575-748-4217.

**Thank you.**

**Robert Asher**

**NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor**