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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
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NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

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Submit Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

**NAB/43094-8520**

<b>OPERATOR</b>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initial Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Final Report
Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	Contact Robert Asher		
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street	Telephone No. 575-748-4171		
Facility Name Cigarillo SWD System	Facility Type Buried Flow Line		
Surface Owner State		Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-015-36913

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
	27	25S	28E					Eddy

Latitude 32.60096 Longitude -104.56909

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water and Oil	Volume of Release 20 B/O & 500 B/PW	Volume Recovered 15 B/O & 375 B/PW
Source of Release Buried flow line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 10/10/2014; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 10/10/2014; 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 II	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 10/10/2014; AM (Email)	
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.\*

Buried flow line ruptured; vacuum truck(s) and roustabout crew called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

An approximate area of 1500 X 300', on embankment and draw area. Vacuum trucks were called to recover remaining oil and produced water, roustabout crews fenced off impacted area. Impacted soils being excavated and will be hauled to a NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation). **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 228', per ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0.**

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 Asher

Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor

E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com

Date: November 4, 2014

Phone: 575-748-4217

Approved by Environmental Specialist:

Approval Date: 11/5/14

Expiration Date: NA

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines  
SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO  
LATER THAN: 12/5/14

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-2580

## **Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Bob Asher <BobA@yatespetroleum.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 04, 2014 9:39 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Subject:** Form C-141 Initial Report (Cigarillo SWD System)  
**Attachments:** Cigarillo SWD System.pdf

Attached is the Initial C-141.

Thank you.

**Robert Asher**  
**NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor**  
**Yates Petroleum Corporation**  
105 S. 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Artesia, NM 88210  
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**Patterson, Heather, EMNRD**

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**From:** Bob Asher <BobA@yatespetroleum.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 16, 2014 8:47 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Amber Cannon; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Manuel Gonzalez; Tanna Adams  
**Subject:** Release Notification (Cigarillo Water System, south of the Bonbon BNN State Com. #1-H)

**Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (10/15/2014; 3:30 PM).**

Cigarillo Water System (south of the Bonbon BNN State Com. #1-H)  
Section 34, T25S-R28E  
Eddy County, New Mexico

**Released: Unknown B/PW; Recovered: In progress**

Cause of release was unknown at this time. Vacuum truck(s) called and in process of recovering release produced water. A Form C-141 with full detailed information will be submitted.

Thank you.

**Robert Asher**  
**NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor**  
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