

NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1432450261

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 th Street	Telephone No. 575-748-4171
Facility Name Bodacious BSM Federal #1-H	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	API No. 30-015-41158
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter M	Section 1	Township 26S	Range 26E	Feet from the 510	North/South Line South	Feet from the 660	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.06567 Longitude 104.25284

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 80 B/PW	Volume Recovered 80 B/PW
Source of Release Produced water tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 9/27/2014; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 9/27/2014; 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 9/28/2014; 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.*

Tank overflowed because power failure to transfer pump and access was unattainable from rains and flooding to reactivate pump or have produced water hauled off; vacuum truck(s) called.

An approximate area of 60' X 25' (inside bermed and lined battery). All released produced water was recovered. **Depth to Ground Water: <25' (25', ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: > 1000', SITE RANKING IS 20. Based on all released produced water recovered and battery is lined and liner intact, 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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: 	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Printed Name: Robert Asher		
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor	Approval Date: <u>4/19/14</u>	Expiration Date: <u>NA</u>
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <u>Enrol</u>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: November 19, 2014	Phone: 575-748-4217	2RP-

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-2417

Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

From: Bob Asher <BobA@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Wednesday, November 19, 2014 8:51 AM
To: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
Cc: Amber Cannon; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Manuel Gonzalez; Tanna Adams; jamos@blm.gov; dwhitloc@blm.gov; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Bustamante, Amalia, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Release Notification (Bodacious BSM Federal #1-H)
Attachments: Bodacious BSM Federal 1H (9-27-2014).pdf

My apologies, this release occurred during all the flooding at that time and area, I had the draft C-141 completed, but the report had not been submitted.

Thank you.

Robert Asher
Yates Petroleum Corporation
NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor
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boba@yatespetroleum.com

From: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD [<mailto:Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us>]
Sent: Wednesday, November 19, 2014 8:25 AM
To: Bob Asher
Cc: Amber Cannon; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Manuel Gonzalez; Tanna Adams; jamos@blm.gov; dwhitloc@blm.gov; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Bustamante, Amalia, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Release Notification (Bodacious BSM Federal #1-H)

Notice

The OCD has not received a form C-141 for this event.

Heather Patterson
Environmental Specialist
NMOCD District II
(575)748-1283 ext.101

From: Bob Asher [<mailto:BobA@yatespetroleum.com>]
Sent: Sunday, September 28, 2014 7:54 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Dade, Randy, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov; dwhitloc@blm.gov
Cc: Amber Cannon; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Manuel Gonzalez; Tanna Adams
Subject: Release Notification (Bodacious BSM Federal #1-H)

Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (release discovered: 9/27/2014; 5:00 PM).

Bodacious BSM Federal #1-H
30-015-41158
Section 1, T26S-R26E
510 FSL & 660 FWL

Eddy County, New Mexico

Released: Approximately 80 B/PW mixed with rainwater; Recovered: Unknown at this time.

Cause of release is unknown. Because of rains/flooding access to location did not occur until Saturday, September 27, 2014.

A Form C-141 with full detailed information and exact numbers or released/recovered produced water will be submitted. The battery is bermed and lined and release did not leave containment.

Thank you.

Robert Asher
NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor
Yates Petroleum Corporation
105 S. 4th Street
Artesia, NM 88210
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