

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

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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit **RECEIVED** to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

FAB1434354066 Release Notification and Corrective Action

n AB1434354515 OPERATOR ☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC 229137	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-230-0077
Facility Name: GJ West Coop #92 Battery	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner:	API No. 30-015-26624
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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
J	28	17S	29E					Eddy

Latitude 32.80259 Longitude 104.07849

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil and Water	Volume of Release: 9 bbls Oil; 14 bbls PW	Volume Recovered: 8 bbls Oil; 10 bbls PW
Source of Release: Gasket Failure	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 11/20/2014 8:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 11/20/2014 8:00am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom? Amanda Trujillo	Date and Hour:	
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.* This release was caused by a gasket failure on a heater treater. The process equipment was repaired and vacuum trucks were dispatched to pick up any standing fluid. All fluid was disposed of at an NMOCD approved facility.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Most of the released fluid was contained within the lined facility, however there was some impact outside of the lined area to the east of the facility o the pad. Concho will have the spill site sampled to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD 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.		

Signature: <i>A Trujillo</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo	Signed By <i>Mike Brown</i> Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: 12/4/14	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: atrujillo@concho.com	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: December 3, 2014 Phone: 575-748-6940	Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN: 114115	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Amanda Trujillo <ATrujillo@concho.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 04, 2014 10:47 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
Subject: (Notification/C-141) GJ West Coop #92 Battery
Attachments: 11-20-2014 GJ West Coop #92 Battery (TB) Initial.pdf

Mr. Bratcher,

COG Operating LLC is reporting a release on the GJ West Coop #92 Battery
Unit J Section 28, Township 17S Range 29E
The release occurred at 5:32 pm on 11/20/2014
Released: 9 bbls Oil; 14 bbls Produced Water
Recovered: 8 bbls Oil; 10 bbls Produced Water

The release was caused by a failed gasket on a heater treater. Attached is a C-141 for your consideration. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

Amanda Trujillo

Senior Environmental Coordinator
COG Operating LLC
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Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

From: Lupe Carrasco <GCarrasco@concho.com>
Sent: Friday, November 21, 2014 1:18 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
Subject: (Notification)GJ West COOP #92 Battery

Mr. Bratcher,

COG Operating LLC is reporting a release on the GJ West Coop #92 Battery
Section 28, Township 17S Range 29E
The release occurred at 8:00 am on 11/20/2014
Released: 9 bbls Oil, 24 bbls Produced Water
Recovered: 8 bbls Oil, 20 bbls Produced Water

The release was caused by a gasket failure on the fire tube of the heater treater. The release impacted the location and the surrounding pasture with the majority of the fluid release contained within the lined facility. The site is being evaluated for clean-up and a C-141 will be submitted. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me.

Thanks!

Lupe Carrasco

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