

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

**NM OIL CONSERVATION**  
ARTESIA DISTRICT Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011  
**MAY 13 2015**  
Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.  
**RECEIVED**

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company: BOPCO, L.P.	Contact: Tony Savoie
Address: 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220	Telephone No. 575-887-7329
Facility Name: Big Eddy Unit DI-9 Tank Battery (Vessel for #34H) FWKO	Facility Type: Exploration and Production
Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner: State and Federal
API No. 30-015-42008	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County:
P	2I	21S	30E					Eddy

Latitude N 32.456585 Longitude W 103.879241

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Crude oil and produced water	Volume of Release: 40 bbls crude oil and 37 bbls produced water	Volume Recovered: 3 bbls crude oil and 2 bbls produced water
Source of Release: Heater-treater	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 2/9/15 time unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery: 2/9/15 at approx. 8:29 a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Heather Patterson, in person.	
By Whom? Tony Savoie	Date and Hour: 2/9/15 at 10:20 a.m.	
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 gasket failed on the free water knock out man-way plate. The vessel was by-passed and the gasket was replaced. All free standing fluid was removed with a vacuum truck.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* The spill impacted an area that had just been backfilled on a remediation for spill reference 2RP-2615. Basin Environmental and a roustabout crew started removing the impacted soil the day of discovery. The equipment has been washed-down; the misted pasture area will be washed and treated with micro-blast. The remediation activity will continue until the site meets the NMOCD remediation requirements established in the original remediation plan. <b>The spill remediation was continued on 2/9/15, the field activities were completed on 3/6/15, following backfill approval on 3/4/15. Please find the attached Soil Closure Request prepared by Basin Environmental dated May 2015.</b>		
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: <u>Tony Savoie</u>		<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Tony Savoie		Approved by Environmental Specialist: <u>[Signature]</u>	
Title: Waste Management and Remediation Specialist		Approval Date: <u>5/13/15</u>	Expiration Date: <u>NA</u>
E-mail Address: <u>tasavoie@basspet.com</u>		Conditions of Approval: <u>Fined</u>	Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Date: <u>5/13/15</u>	Phone: 432-556-8730		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**2RP-2810**