

**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

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

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

*NAB1601227198*

**OPERATOR**       Initial Report     Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC <i>229137</i>	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-230-0077
Facility Name: GRAVE DIGGER STATE COM #008H	Facility Type: Well

Surface Owner: Fee	Mineral Owner: State	API No. 30-015-43397
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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
N	2	20S	25E	170'	South	1610'	West	Eddy

Latitude 32.5956523 Longitude -104.45835101

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 19 bbls PW	Volume Recovered: unknown
Source of Release: Frac Tank Valve	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 12/21/2015 12:00 am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 12/21/2015 6:00 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	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.\*  
A leak from the frac tank valve was discovered on the backside of the tank.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
The release ran off the backside of the location into the pasture. This release occurred on fee surface and was caused by a third party working on location. PIMA Tanks is taking responsibility for the clean-up. 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>Amanda T. Davis</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo Davis	Signed By <i>Mike Escobedo</i> Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: <i>1/12/16</i>	Expiration Date: <i>NIA</i>
E-mail Address: <i>atrujillo@concho.com</i>	Conditions of Approval: <b>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules &amp; Guidelines</b> Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 1/4/2015    Phone: 575-748-6940	<b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO</b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**LATER THAN:** *2/12/16*      *2RP-3488*

**Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD**

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**From:** Amanda Trujillo Davis <ATrujillo@concho.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, January 11, 2016 6:28 PM  
**To:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Austin Weyant  
**Subject:** (Notification/C-141) GRAVE DIGGER STATE COM #008H (30-015-43397)  
**Attachments:** 12-21-2015 Grave Digger State Com #8H (WH) Initial.pdf

Mr. Bratcher,

COG Operating LLC is reporting a release on the GRAVE DIGGER STATE COM #008H (30-015-43397)  
Unit N Section 2, Township 20S Range 25E  
The release occurred at 12/21/2015 at 12:00 am  
Released: 19 bbls PW  
Recovered: unknown

A leak from the frac tank valve was discovered on the backside of the tank. The release ran off the backside of the location into the pasture. This release occurred on fee surface and was caused by a third party working on location. Pima Tanks is taking responsibility for the clean-up. Souder, Miller, & Associates will be handing the clean up on behalf of Pima Tanks Services and Concho. Attached is a C-141 for your consideration. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

**Amanda Trujillo Davis**  
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