

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

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1619442597

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	25575	Contact Amber Griffin
Address 104 S. 4 th Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Perdomo BMP State Com #1H		Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-015-36499
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter L	Section 24	Township 24S	Range 27E	Feet from the 1650	North/South Line South	Feet from the 660	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.20029 Longitude 104.15024

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Crude Oil	Volume of Release 39 B/O	Volume Recovered 39 B/O
Source of Release Production Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 7/4/2016; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 7/4/2016; 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, Heather Patterson, Ian Dolly, Amber Groves, Mathew Hagman, Mark Naranjo, & Dana Strang	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 7/4/2016; 5:23 PM (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.*

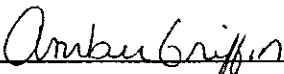
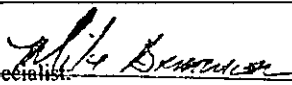
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The tank that was being produced into developed a leak out of the hatch. Production was switched to a different tank and the hatches were opened on the leaking tank to release pressure. Vacuum trucks were called to recover crude oil.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The release impacted the area inside of the lined berm. Oil was recovered from within the berm and the gravel is being removed and replaced. Depth to Ground Water: 50-99' (approximately 70', per ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 10. Based on recovery of all crude oil and the battery being bermed/lined, Yates Petroleum 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.

Signature: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Amber Griffin	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Environmental Representative	Approval Date: 7/12/16	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: agiffin@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: FINAL	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: July 8, 2016 Phone: 575-748-4111	2RP-	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-3775

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Amber Griffin <AGriffin@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Friday, July 08, 2016 1:28 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Amber Groves
Cc: Bob Asher; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Veronica Alvarado
Subject: FW: Release Notification (Perdomo BMP State Com. #1H)
Attachments: PerdomoBMPStateCom1H_C141_070416 Initial_Final.pdf

Please find attached an Initial/Final C-141 for the release mentioned below.

Thank you,
Amber Griffin

From: Bob Asher
Sent: Monday, July 04, 2016 5:23 PM
To: mike.bratcher@state.nm.us; heather.patterson@state.nm.us; NMSLO (Carlsbad/Ion Dolly); NMSLO (Hobbs/Amber Groves); NMSLO (Hobbs/Mathew Hagman); NMSLO (Roswell/Mark Najanjo); NMSLO (Santa Fe/Dana Vackar Strang)
Cc: IncidentReportingNM; Amber Griffin; Chase Settle; Katie Parker; Veronica Alvarado
Subject: Release Notification (Perdomo BMP State Com. #1H)

Yates Petroleum Corporation is reporting a release at the following location (7/4/2016, 11:08 AM).

Perdomo BMP State Com. #1
30-015-36499
Section 24, T24S-R27E
1650 FSL & 660 FWL
Eddy County, New Mexico

Released: 39 B/O; Recovered: 39 B/O.

Cause of the release is uncertain but oil was observed coming out of the hatch with all EQ valves opened, causing the tank to overrun. **All released oil was contained within the lined/bermed battery.** Vacuum truck(s) were called and all released oil recovered. A Form C-141 with complete information will be submitted.

Thank you.

Robert Asher
Sr. Environmental Supervisor
Health & Environmental Department
Yates Petroleum Corporation
105 S. 4th Street
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575-748-4217 (Office)
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Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

From: Bob Asher <BobA@yatespetroleum.com>
Sent: Monday, July 04, 2016 5:23 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; NMSLO (Carlsbad/Ion Dolly); NMSLO (Hobbs/Amber Groves); NMSLO (Hobbs/Mathew Hagman); Naranjo, Mark M.; NMSLO (Santa Fe/Dana Vackar Strang)
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