

RP. 1275

# Apache Corporation

## Final Report

NMGSAU # 11-9Y

Flowline Release

API # 30-025-05735

Unit I Section 29, T. 19 S., R. 37 E.

Lea County, New Mexico



Prepared for Apache Corporation by:

**Hungry Horse, LLC**

Environmental Services

3709 S. Eunice Hwy, P.O. Box 1058, Hobbs, New Mexico 88241

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October 18, 2007

NMOCD Environmental  
ATTN: Larry Johnson  
1625 N. French Drive  
Hobbs, NM 88240

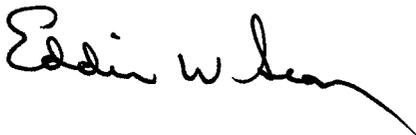
RE: Apache Corporation  
NMGSAU #11-9Y  
Unit I Sec. 29, T. 19 S., R. 37 E.

Mr. Johnson:

This report is being submitted on behalf of Apache Corporation and Hungry Horse, LLC, by Eddie Seay Consulting. Apache has completed the backfill and leveling verbally authorized by NMOCD at the above mentioned spill site. All contaminated soil was removed and relocated to an OCD approved landfarm (J&L). Affected areas were shaped and contoured to reflect original condition. Please find the attached photos and the final report form C-141 awaiting your approval.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call.

Regards,



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cc: Apache Corporation  
Hungry Horse, LLC

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with Rule 116 on back  
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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company - Apache Corporation	Contact - Mike Warren
Address - P.O. Box Drawer D, Monument NM 88265	Telephone No. - 432-556-2184
Facility Name - NMGSAU # 119Y	Facility Type - Producing Well

Surface Owner - State of New Mexico	Mineral Owner	Lease No. NMGSAU # 713
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

*API 30 025 05735*

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County - Lea
<i>I</i>	29	19S	37 E					

Latitude N 32° 37.814' Longitude W 103° 16.093'

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release - Production Fluids	Volume of Release - 60 bbls	Volume Recovered - None
Source of Release - Flow line	Date and Hour of Occurrence - unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery - 1/22/07 8:30 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Larry Johnson - NMOCD	
By Whom? Jerry Brian/Hungry Horse Environmental	Date and Hour - 1/22/07 9:30 am	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

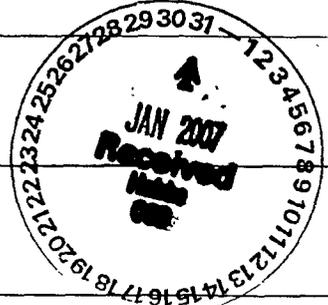
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
Flow line leak occurred, Backhoe was immediately moved to site and initial excavation around pipeline began

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
The majority of the fluids remained on location. Preliminary removal of impacted material around flow line was removed. Location will be bermed to contain and prevent any additional fluids migrating off of location once ground thaws.

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>Mike Warren</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: <i>MIKE WARREN</i>	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Title: <i>SR. PROD. FOREMAN</i>	Approval Date: <i>1-31-07</i>	Expiration Date: <i>4-1-07</i>
E-mail Address:	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <i>1-25-07</i> Phone: <i>505-393-2144</i>	<i>FINAL REPORT UPON COMPLETION</i>	



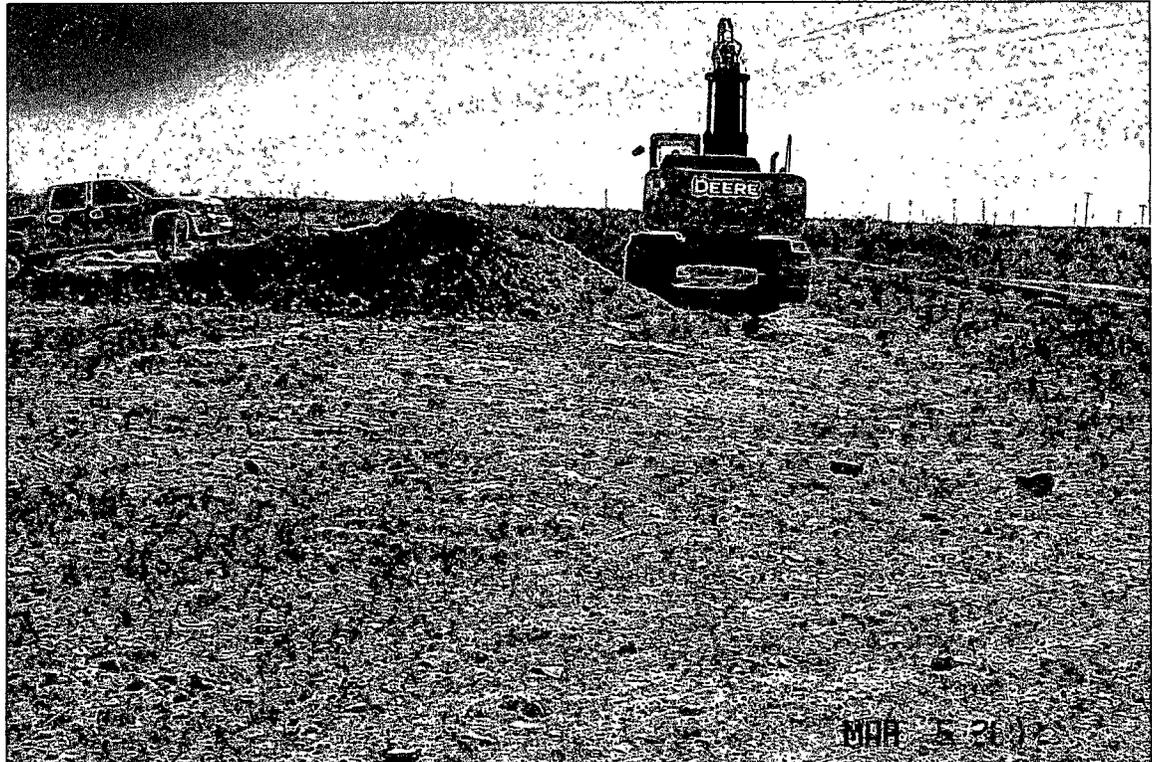
\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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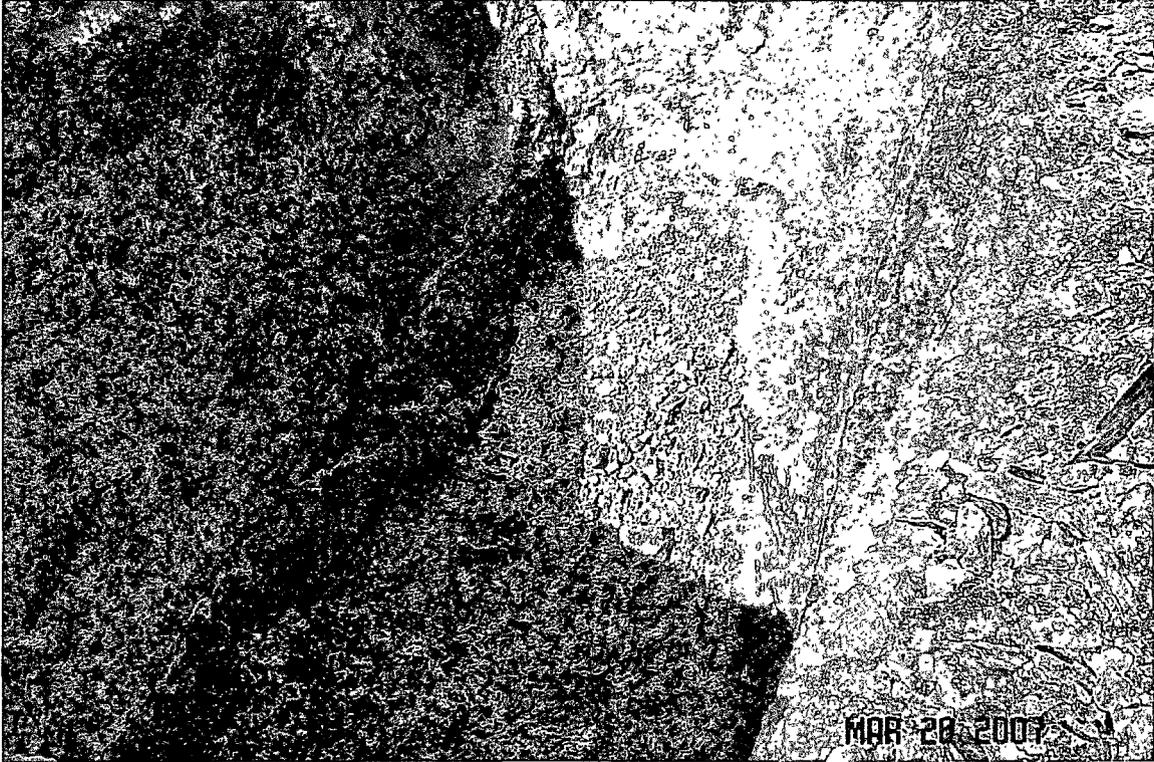
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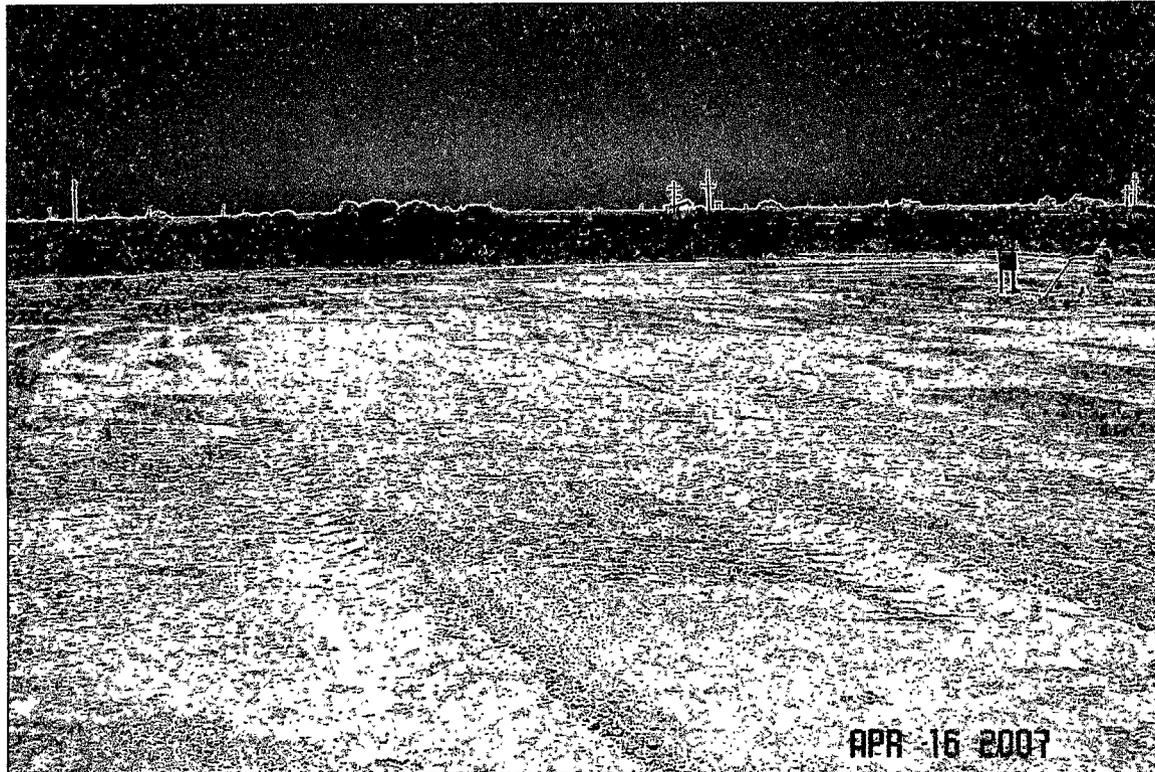
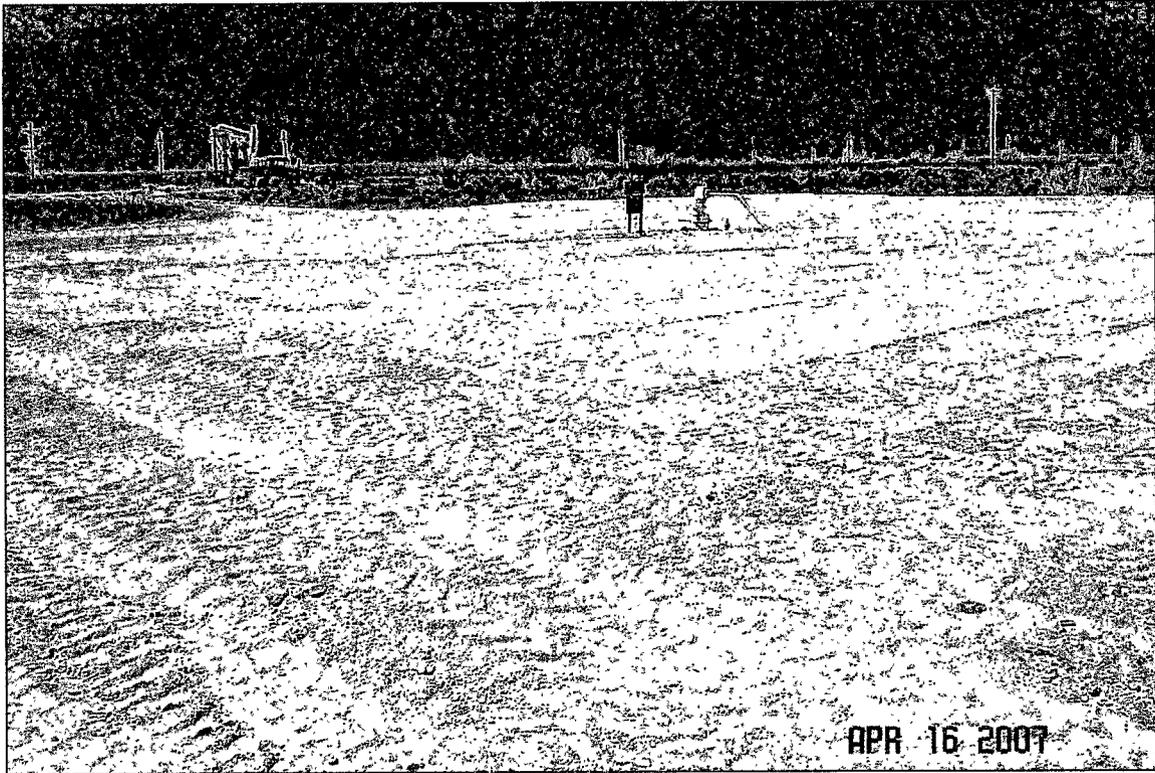


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Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*  N/A		
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* Flowline ruptured, well was shut down while backhoe was transported to site for cleanup.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* Affected area was limited to location. Area was bermed to prevent additional migration of fluids as removal of impacted soil was conducted. Affected soil was transported off location for disposal in accordance with NMOCD guidelines.		

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Signature: <i>Eddie W Seay</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Eddie W Seay	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>Chris Williams</i>	
Title: Agent	Approval Date: 10/23/07	Expiration Date: 10/23/07
E-mail Address: seay04@leaco.net	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 10/22/2007 Phone: 392.2236	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

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