

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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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

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

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SEB0812648306  
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**OPERATOR**

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company OXY USA WTP LP	Contact Rick Kerby
Address PO Box 1988 102 S Main Carlsbad NM 88220	Telephone No. (O) 505-887-8337 (C) 505-631-4972
Facility Name Mckittrick Hill CTB	Facility Type Indian Basin

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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30-015-21010

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section 14	Township 22 S	Range 24 E	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County EDDY
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Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Oil	Volume of Release 132.48	Volume Recovered 0
Source of Release Oil Leak	Date and Hour of Occurrence 10:00 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 10:30 AM
Was Immediate Notice Given?  Required  By Whom? Rick Kerby	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher NMOCD Jim Amos BLM	
Was a Watercourse Reached?  If a Watercourse was impacted, Describe Fully.*	Date and Hour 1:40 PM 5-1-2008 If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* Hole in the bottom of the tank allowed fluid to leak out on the ground. All fluid contained inside secondary containment.
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Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* All fluid contained inside berm and work plan will be formulated and forwarded to appropriate government agencies
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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.
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Signature: <i>Rick Kerby</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Rick Kerby	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>Thumby SB</i>	
Title: HES Tech	Approval Date: 5-5-08	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: rick.kerby@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval: REMEDIATION	Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Date: 4-11-08	Phone: 631-4972	WORK PLAN DUE by 6-9-08

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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SEB0812648690

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# New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Oil Conservation Division



May 5, 2008

OXY USA WTP LP  
PO Box 1988  
Carlsbad, NM 88220

Reference: McKittrick Hill Central Tank Battery H-14-22S-24E  
API: 30-015-21010 Eddy County New Mexico  
2RP-163

Operator,

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division District 2 Office (OCD) is in receipt of an Initial Report Form C-141 reporting a release of crude oil that occurred on or about May 1, 2008 at the above referenced tank battery. Please submit a work plan proposal (plan) for remediation, removal and/or clean up of contaminants that may be present at this site. The plan is to be formulated based on vertical and horizontal delineation of contamination, site ranking, and OCD Rules and Guidelines.

A publication outlining OCD guidelines and requirements for site ranking and spill remediation can be found on the OCD website as follows: <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/oed/index.htm> Click on each of the following items as they appear:

- Publications
- Environmental Handbook
- Miscellaneous Guidelines
- Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases

Please submit this plan to the OCD District 2 office on or before **June 9, 2008**. Please include any remedial or clean up actions that have already been performed.

Please be advised that NMOCD acceptance and/ or approval of documents or work plans 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 and/or approval of documents or work plans do not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and /or regulations.

Should you have any questions, or if I can be of assistance, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Sherry Bonham  
NMOCD District 2  
1301 W Grand Ave.  
Artesia, NM 88210  
(505) 748-1283 Ext.109

