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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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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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OCD-ARTESIA

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

NSEB0900254386

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC	Contact	Kanicia Carrillo
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 1300 Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-685-4332
Facility Name - Aoudad State #1		Facility Type-	Battery

Surface Owner	BLM	Mineral Owner		Lease No./API#	30-015-32365
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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
E	36	17S	31E	2310	North	330	West	Eddy

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF RELEASE

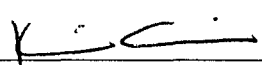
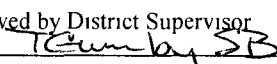
Type of Release- Water	Volume of Release-60 bbls	Volume Recovered- 55bbls
Source of Release- 3" poly line	Date and Hour of Occurrence- 12/08/08- 2.30pm	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/08/08-2 30 pm
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher w/OCD	
By Whom? Kanicia Carrillo	Date and Hour December 8,2008, 4.56pm	
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.\*  
Leak on the 3" poly line Repaired poly line with new connections

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken \*  
The area affected was 20' x 100' in the pasture. 200 yards SE of the #1 well. We have a vacuum truck on location and will remove any contaminated soil Tetra Tech will turn in soil samples and final report.

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 Kanicia Carrillo		Approved by District Supervisor 	
Title Regulatory Analyst		Approval Date. 1-2-09	Expiration Date: 3-2-09
E-mail Address. kancicarrillo@conchoresources.com		Conditions of Approval	
Date. 12/09/08 Phone 432-685-4332		Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Stipulations

2RP - 287

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



# New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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Oil Conservation Division



January 2, 2009

COG Operating LLC  
550 West Texas, Suite 1300  
Midland, TX 79701

RE: Aoudad State 001 30-015-32365  
N-36-17S-31E Eddy County, New Mexico  
2RP-287

Dear Operator:

This office is in receipt of your C-141 regarding the produced water release at this facility.

NMOCD Rule 19.15.3.116 NMAC states in part, "The responsible person must complete division approved corrective action for releases which endanger public health or the environment. Releases will be addressed in accordance with a remediation plan submitted to and approved by the division or with an abatement plan submitted in accordance with Section 19 of 19.15.1 NMAC."

A guide document intended to provide direction for remediation of soils and fresh waters contaminated as a result of leaks, spills, or releases of oilfield wastes and products is found on OCD's web site at the following link:  
[http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/oecd/documents/7C\\_spill1.pdf](http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/oecd/documents/7C_spill1.pdf)

The following actions are **required** to be addressed in the **remediation plan**:

- Horizontal and vertical delineation of the spill by soil sampling. Delineation is required until contamination reaches background levels or a site specific acceptable level. Any constituent(s) of concern—to include but not limited to TPH, BTEX, and chlorides—are to be addressed in the delineation and remediation plan.
- Prepare a sketch of the site indicating where and at what depths the samples were taken.
- Submit laboratory results of sampling and the work plan proposal (plan) for remediation, removal and/or clean up of contaminants that may be present at the site.

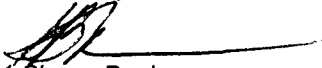
Notify the OCD **48** hours prior to obtaining samples where analyses of samples obtained are to be submitted to the OCD. Notification is to include date and time of sample event.

Within 30 days, **on or before February 2, 2009**, completion of a remediation work plan should be finalized and submitted to the Division summarizing all actions taken or to be taken to mitigate environmental damage related to the leak, spill or release for approval.

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.

If I may be of further assistance with this matter or should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Sherry Bonham  
NMOCD District II  
575.748.1283 X109

