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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

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

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report

☒ Final Report

Name of Company	Apache Corporation	Contact	Natalie Gladden
Address	P.O. Box 1849 Eunice, NM 88231	Telephone No.	575-390-4186
Facility Name	Mark Owen Battery well # 2	Facility Type	Production Facility
Surface Owner	Clay Osborne	Mineral Owner	NMOCD
		Lease No.	30-025-07038

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
M	35	21S	37E	660'	FSL	660'	FWL	Lea

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Produced water/oil	Volume of Release	25	Volume Recovered	20
Source of Release	FWKO failure	Date and Hour of Occurrence	03/28/10 930am	Date and Hour of Discovery	03/28/10 930am
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Larry Johnson		
By Whom?	Natalie Gladden	Date and Hour	03/28/10 130pm		
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.*

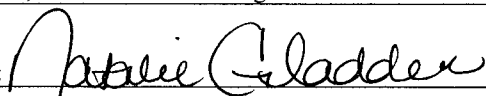
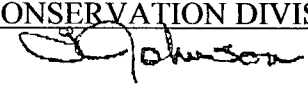
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

FWKO caught pressure and released the fluid. All of the fluid was released inside the bermed area.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Vessals were steamed off and fluid was recovered from steaming. Local gang hand dug out the contamination and hauled to Sundance Services, a total depth of 2' was excavated. The battery was backfilled with fresh caliche. When this facility is abandoned, Apache Corporation will remediate this site using the NMOCD Rules and Regulations.

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: Natalie Gladden	Approved by District Supervisor  ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER	
Title: EH&S Environmental Tech	Approval Date: 4-28-10	Expiration Date: _____
E-mail Address: natalie.gladden@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP# 10-4-2495
Date: 04/14/10 Phone: 575-390-4186		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary