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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	Linn Operating	Contact	Dennis Potter
Address	13694 Lovington Hwy. Loco Hills, N.M. 88255	Telephone No.	505-206-7673
Facility Name	Turner B #104	Facility Type	Producing well

Surface Owner	B.L.M.	Mineral Owner	Fed. Gov't.	Lease No.	NMLCD 29395B
				API #	3001526696

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
	20	17S	31E		160' FSL		1370' FWL	EDDY

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

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	OIL & WATER	Volume of Release	8 BBLS	Volume Recovered	7 BBLS
Source of Release	PRODUCING WELL	Date and Hour of Occurrence	9/17/10 3:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery	9/17/10 8:00am
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required				
By Whom?	Dennis Potter	If YES, To Whom?	Terry Gregston		
Was a Watercourse Reached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Date and Hour	9/17/10 9:00am	
			If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.		

**RECEIVED**

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**NMOCD ARTESIA**

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

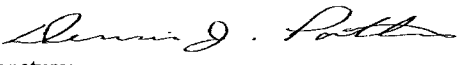
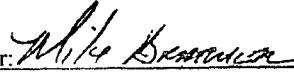
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

The flow line valve somehow was shut during the night causing the well to pressure up and blow out the stuffing box. Approx. 8 bbls. total fluid was released. I immediately called a vacuum truck to pick up fluids and a backhoe to pick up contaminated soil. Immediately flowing this I notified our office and called the BLM office.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

affected area was the location and a small amount had run off the pad. The fluid was picked up and the contaminated soil was also picked up and placed onto some plastic. Talon LPE was called to come out to get soil samples and they were sent to cardinal labs. Further soil remediation will be determined after tests results are received.

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: 		<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Dennis J. Potter		Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title: Production Specialist / Asst. Production Foreman		Approval Date: 3/9/11	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: dpotter@linenergy.com		Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:</b>	

Attached ☐

**PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:**

4/9/11

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