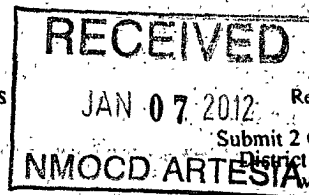


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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

NMB/203331448

**OPERATOR**

☒ Initial Report

☒ Final Report

Name of Company	COG OPERATING LLC 229137	Contact	Pat Ellis
Address	550 W. Texas, Suite 100, Midland, TX 79701	Telephone No.	432-230-0077
Facility Name	Coffin State 1	Facility Type	Tank Battery

Surface Owner	State	Mineral Owner	Lease No. (API#) 30-015-37935
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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
1	30	19S	26E					Eddy

Latitude 32 38.238 Longitude 104 25.698

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	Produced water	Volume of Release	80bbbls	Volume Recovered	79bbbls
Source of Release	3/8" at back pressure valve	Date and Hour of Occurrence	12/31/2011	Date and Hour of Discovery	12/31/2011
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Mike Bratcher-OCD		
By Whom?	Josh Russo	Date and Hour	01/03/2012 11:00 a.m.		
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.\*

A 3/8" plug corroded at back pressure valve causing the release of fluid. The backpressure valve has been removed from service.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

Initially 80bbbls were release inside the tank battery. We were able to recover 79bbbls with a vacuum truck. Contaminated gravel has been removed. Clean gravel has been added to the facility as necessary. The tank battery has been returned to its prior condition.

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:	Josh Russo	Signed By:	
Title:	HSE Coordinator	Approved by District Supervisor:	
E-mail Address:	jrusso@conchoresources.com	Approval Date:	FEB 02 2012
Date:	01/06/2012	Expiration Date:	N/A
Phone:	432-212-2399	Conditions of Approval:	N/A
		Attached	<input type="checkbox"/>

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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