

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
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 August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

nJMW 1224147936

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company Apache Corporation 873	Contact Natalie Gladden
Address PO Box 1849 Eunice, NM 88231	Telephone No. 575-390-4186
Facility Name State D Battery (well #21)	Facility Type Production Facility

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-015-30975
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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
I	25	17S	28e	2310	FSL	330	FEL	Eddy

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced water	Volume of Release 12	Volume Recovered 11
Source of Release Y-strainer	Date and Hour of Occurrence 07/29/12	Date and Hour of Discovery 07/29/12
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher	
By Whom? Natalie Gladden	Date and Hour Next business day 07/30/12 9:52am	
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.*

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Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The plug blew out on the y-strainer off of the water tank releasing fluid into the lined facility. Standing fluid was recovered

NMOCD ARTESIA

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The plug was replaced on the y-strainer. This facility is lined, consequently no further action is recommended or planned for this site at this time and on behalf of Apache Corporation, we respectfully request that the NMOCD grant closure for this release.

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: <u>Natalie Gladden</u>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Natalie Gladden	Approved by Environmental Specialist	Signed By: <u>Mike Bratcher</u>
Title: EH&S Environmental Tech	Approval AUG 28 2012	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: natalie.gladden@apachecorp.com	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 07/30/12 Phone: 575-390-4186		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:

9/28/12

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