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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

# NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

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Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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## Release Notification and Corrective Action

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### OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471	
Facility Name Corral Draw AQH Federal #2	Facility Type Battery	

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	API No. 30-015-34257
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### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter F	Section 13	Township 24S	Range 29E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.21925 Longitude 103.93973

### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Crude Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release 5 B/O & 10 B/PW	Volume Recovered 4 B/O & 9 B/PW
Source of Release Pressure gauge on pumping unit	Date and Hour of Occurrence 3/14/2015; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 3/14/2015; AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? N/A	
By Whom? N/A	Date and Hour N/A	
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.\*

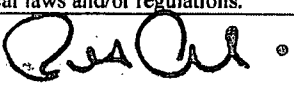
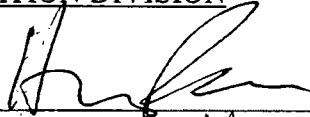
The top of the pressure gauge failed, causing the release. Vacuum truck(s) and roustabout crews were called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

An approximate area of 25' X 20' (on well pad) and 50' X 5' (off of well pad). The valves were closed, the pressure gauge was replaced, and remaining released oil/produced water was recovered (4 B/O & 9 B/PW). Well pad impacted soils will be excavated/hailed to a NMOCD approved facility. Off pad impacted soils will be remediated in-place. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation) are under RRAL's (site ranking is 10) a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the NMOCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL's a work plan will be submitted to the NMOCD. Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 125', per ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0.

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.

### OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: 	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approval Date: <u>3/31/15</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor	Conditions of Approval:	
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines	
Date: March 27, 2015	Phone: 575-748-4217	

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SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO  
LATER THAN: 4/31/15

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