

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

NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT

APR 29 2015

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

NAB 1512155495

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: OXY USA INC	Contact: Chris Jones
Address: 102 S. Main St. Carlsbad, NM 88220	Telephone No.: 575-628-4121
Facility Name: Conoco 10 State #1	Facility Type: Well

Surface Owner: Private	Mineral Owner:	API No.: 30-015-23066
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter 1	Section 10	Township 19S	Range 29E	Feet from the 1980'	North/South Line South	Feet from the 660'	East/West Line East	County Eddy
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Latitude **32.6733232 N** Longitude **-104.05632011 W**

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Mix Fluids	Volume of Release: 10 bbls PW 2bbls Oil	Volume Recovered: Unknown
Source of Release: Gauge Malfunctioned at wellhead	Date and Hour of Occurrence 4/15/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery 4/15/2015
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
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 gauge at the wellhead malfunctioned causing a release of mix fluids surrounding the wellhead. A vac truck was immediately call to the location and recovered unknown barrels of fluids.**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* ☐ The impacted area surrounding the wellhead and pump jack measuring approximately 14' x 20'. **All fluids stayed on location. Talon/LPE has already performed site assessment and soil sampling activities. Waiting on lab results.**

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: **Chris Jones**
Digitally signed by Chris Jones
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c=US
Date: 2015.04.28 13:46:33 -05'00'

Printed Name: **Chris Jones**

Title: **HES Specialist**

E-mail Address: **Christopher.Jones@oxy.com**

Date: **4/28/2015**

Phone: **575-628-4121**

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved by Environmental Specialist: 

Approval Date: **5/1/15**

Expiration Date: **N/A**

Conditions of Approval:

**Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines
SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO**

Attached ☐

LATER THAN: 6/1/15

2RP-2976

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary