

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, 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-144
June 1, 2004

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☐ No ☒

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☒ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☐

Operator: **B.C. OPERATING, INC.** Telephone: **(432) 683-2950** e-mail address: **kwidner@usaonline.net**
Address: **P.O. Box 50820, Midland, TX 79710**
Facility or well name: **Rustler Bluff #1** API #: **30-015-34839** U/L or Qtr/Qtr **J** Sec **6** T **25S** R **29E**
County: **Eddy** Latitude **596,937.2** Longitude **421,087.7** NAD: 1927 ☒ 1983 ☐
Surface Owner: Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☒ Indian ☐

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Pit	Below-grade tank	
Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐ Workover ☐ Emergency ☐ Lined ☒ Unlined ☐ Liner type: Synthetic ☒ Thickness 14 mil Clay ☐ Pit Volume 24,000 bbl	Volume: _____ bbl Type of fluid: _____ Construction material: _____ Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not.	MAY 04 2006 JULIANTEPA
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)	Less than 50 feet 50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet 100 feet or more	(20 points) (10 points) (0 points)
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	Yes No	(20 points) (0 points)
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	Less than 200 feet 200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet 1000 feet or more	(20 points) (10 points) (0 points)
Ranking Score (Total Points)		50 points

If this is a pit closure: (1) Attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location: (check the onsite box if you are burying in place) onsite ☐ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility _____. (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface _____ ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

Additional Comments:

As a condition of approval if during pit construction water is encountered or if water seeps in pits after construction the **OCD MUST BE CONTACTED IMMEDIATELY!**

A PIT CLOSURE PLAN MUST BE APPROVED PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF CLOSURE OPERATIONS.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☒, a general permit ☐, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Date: **5/3/06**

Printed Name/Title **Kenneth C. Dickeson, Authorized Agent** Signature _____

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Approval:

Printed Name/Title _____ Signature _____

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The reserve pit will be to the North. The Southeast corner of the pit will be approximately 60' North of the well bore. The pit will be 150' x 150' and 6' deep with a capacity of 24,000 bbls.

Standard reserve pit. All reserve pits that are horse shoe size vary with the depth of the well.

