

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-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

30-015-26185

NMLB 0617247298

**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. 505-748-1471	
Facility Name DEB 36SW STATE #2	API Number 30-015-26185	Facility Type BATTERY

Surface Owner STATE	Mineral Owner STATE	Lease No. LG-1525
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

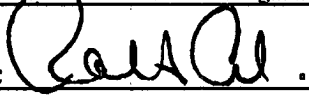

Unit Letter M	Section 36	Township 19S	Range 24E	Feet from the 940	North/South Line SOUTH	Feet from the 990	East/West Line WEST	County EDDY
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Latitude 32.61257 Longitude 104.54618

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release PRODUCED WATER	Volume of Release 30 B/PW	Volume Recovered 8 B/PW
Source of Release WATER TANK	Date and Hour of Occurrence 4/24/2006 PM	Date and Hour of Discovery 4/24/2006 AM
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? ROBERT ASHER	Date and Hour 4/25/2006 (V/M @ 11:00 AM; CELL CALL @ 2:32 PM)	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* N/A		
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* WATER PUMP AIR LOCKED CAUSING WATER TANK TO RUN OVER. PUMP RESTARTED.		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* AN APPROXIMATE AREA OF 30' X 30' EAST SIDE OF THE TANKS, INSIDE OF BERM WITH SMALL AMOUNT SEAPING THROUGH BERM (APPROX. 3' x 10' AREA). VACUUM TRUCK WAS CALLED TO PICK UP STANDING FLUID. AREA TO BE EVALUATED. 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.

Signature: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approved by District Supervisor: <b>TIM GUM</b> by MB 	
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <u>4/21/06</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: boba@ypcnm.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Date: Wednesday, April 26, 2006	Phone: 505-748-1471	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Director

**Oil Conservation Division**

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
105 S. 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Artesia, NM 88210  
ATTN: Environmental Department

June 21, 2006

Reference: DEE 36W State 002 M-36-19s-24e API: 30-015-26185

Operator,

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division District 2 Office (OCD) is in receipt of an Initial Report Form C-141 reporting a release of produced fluids that occurred at the above referenced well site.

Please submit a work plan proposal for remediation of this site to the OCD no later than July 21, 2006. The work plan proposal is to be formulated based on contaminant delineation and OCD Rules and Guidelines.

If I can be of assistance, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mike Bratcher".

Mike Bratcher  
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