

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

MAR 16 2009

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

NMLB 09079 50480

OPERATOR

X Initial Report X Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation 25575	Contact Mike Stubblefield
Address 105 South 4 <sup>th</sup> Street, Artesia, N.M. 88210	Telephone No. 505-7484500 505-513-1712
Facility Name Junior AWW State #4 30-015-36421	Facility Type Producing oil well

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter I	Section 17	Township 16s	Range 28e	Feet from the 2130'	North/South Line FSL	Feet from the 150'	East/West Line FEL	County Eddy
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Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release 28 bbl Oil	Volume Recovered 25 bbls Oil
Source of Release Load line at the tank battery.	Date and Hour of Occurrence 3/4/2009 8:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery same
Was Immediate Notice Given? Yes X No Not Required	If YES, To Whom? NMOCD/Mike Bratcher's voice mail box & follow up by E-mail.	
By Whom? Mike Stubblefield	Date and Hour 3/4/2009 3:45pm.	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes X No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

The load line valve busted causing stock tank to release oil. The line was repaired. A vacuum truck was called to the facility & free standing oil was recovered. The recovered oil was placed back into the stock tank.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The impacted area was the bermed area of the tank battery. The bermed area at the Junior AWW State #4 is lined with a 20 Mil. Liner. The free standing oil was recovered from the lined area of the tank battery. The impacted gravel located above the liner was then treated using Micro blaze. Yates Petroleum Corporation is submitting the initial & final C-141 form for the release that occurred on 3/4/2009 at the Junior AWW State #4 requesting closure. Depth to ground water > 100', Wellhead protection area > 1000', Distance to surface water body > 1000' Site ranking 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: <u>Mike Stubblefield</u>		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Mike Stubblefield		Approved by District Supervisor: <u>[Signature]</u>	
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent		Approval Date: MAR 20 2009	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: mikes@ypcnm.com		Conditions of Approval: <u>N/A</u> MAR 20 2009	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 3/16/2009 Phone: 505-748-4500			

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

