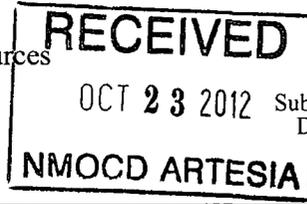


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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003
Submit 2 Copies to appropriate District Office in accordance with Rule 116 on back side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Lupe Carrasco
Address 104 S. 4 TH Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Preston Federal Battery	API Number 30-015-20349	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner N/A	Lease No. N/A
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter L	Section 35	Township 20S	Range 24E	Feet from the 1900	North/South Line FSL	Feet from the 850	East/West Line FWL	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.5277600 Longitude 104.5644200

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Crude Oil	Volume of Release 44 B/O	Volume Recovered 10 B/O
Source of Release Valve on Production Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 9/26/12 PM	Date and Hour of Discovery 9/26/12 PM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher, NMOCD II	
By Whom? Bob Asher, Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 9/26/2012 PM (email)	
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.*
Release was caused by a failed valve on production tank. Vacuum truck was called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
An approximate area of 20' X 50'. Impacted soils to be scraped up and taken to an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX, Chlorides will be run for documentation. If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the OCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL's a work plan will be submitted.
Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 175', Section 35-T20S-R24E, per 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.

Signature:	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Lupe Carrasco	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <u>5/10/14</u>	Expiration Date: <u>N/A</u>
E-mail Address: <u>lcarrasco@yatespetroleum.com</u>	Conditions of Approval: 2RP-	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Monday, October 22, 2012 Phone: 575-748-1471		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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