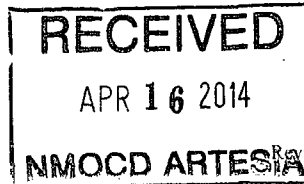


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Form C-141  
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Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
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side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

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**OPERATOR**

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Chase Settle
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>TH</sup> Street		Telephone No. 575-748-4171
Facility Name Rudolph ATX State Com. #3-H	API Number 30-015-37997	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	Lease No. V-4567
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter M	Section 16	Township 19S	Range 31E	Feet from the 330'	North/South Line South	Feet from the 660'	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.65389 Longitude -103.88026

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

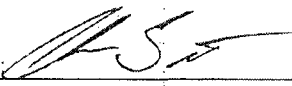
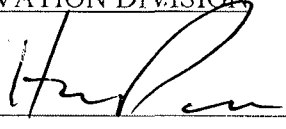
Type of Release Crude Oil and Produced Water	Volume of Release 5 B/O; 147 B/PW	Volume Recovered 5 B/O; 147 B/PW
Source of Release High wind caused the water leg to break.	Date and Hour of Occurrence 04/4/2014; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 04/4/2014; PM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher, Heather Patterson, Randy Dade	
By Whom? Chase Settle	Date and Hour 04/04/2014 6:34 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.\*  
High winds caused the water leg to break, valves were closed to the tank, and vacuum truck was called to retrieve standing fluid.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
An approximate area of 300' X 10' was affected within the lined/bermed battery. Vacuum truck was called to remove standing oil and roustabout crew called to remove impacted soils. Vacuum truck removed standing fluid (78 B/PW) and the rest of the released fluid (5 B/O, 69 B/PW) was entrapped in the sand and gravel within the lined berm and excavated. Excavated soils will be hauled to a NMOCD approved facility. All released fluid was retrieved by the vacuum truck and excavation of sand and gravel, a Final Report, C-141 is submitted to the OCD requesting closure. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 150', Section 16, T19S-R31E, 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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Chase Settle	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <u>5/2/14</u>	Expiration Date: <u>NA</u>
E-mail Address: csettle@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <u>Final</u>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Wednesday, April 16, 2014 Phone: 575-748-4171	2RP-	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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