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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., 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

NM OIL CONSERVATION

ARTESIA DISTRICT

Form C-141

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Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: BOPCO, L.P. 360737 Contact: Tony Savoie  
Address: 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220 Telephone No. 575-887-7329  
Facility Name: James Ranch Unit #17 Facility Type: Exploration and Production

Surface Owner: Federal Mineral Owner: Federal API No. 30-015-27784

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
F	6	23S	31E	<u>2080</u>	North	1980	West	Eddy

Latitude N 32.335048 Longitude W 103.819235

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Crude oil and produced water	Volume of Release: 12 bbls crude oil & 40 bbls produced water	Volume Recovered: 5 bbls crude oil & 10 bbls produced water
Source of Release: Wellhead stuffing box	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 2/20/15 at approximately 4:00 p.m.	Date and Hour of Discovery: 2/20/15 at approximately 6:00 p.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom? Amy Ruth	Date and Hour: EH&S was notified about the spill at 7:00 a.m on 2/23/15, the NMOCD and BLM were notified at that time.	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
The stuffing box packing failed; there was a pulling unit on location doing well maintenance, the E-Pot designed to shut the well down due to packing failure had been removed to work on the well. The packing was replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\* The spill impacted approximately 2300 sq.ft. of caliche well pad and approximately 1500 sq. ft of pasture. All of the free standing fluid was recovered with a vacuum truck. The stained area on the pad and pasture was left as is pending response activities.

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>Tony Savoie</u>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Tony Savoie	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <u>Huber</u>	
Title: Waste Management and Remediation Specialist	Approval Date: <u>3/4/15</u>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: <u>tasavoie@basspet.com</u>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <u>3/3/15</u> Phone: 432-556-8730	Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN: <u>4/4/15</u>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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