

District I
1625 N French Dr, Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
District III
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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

JUL 18 2007
OCD-ARTESIA

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

30-015-26150

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	HARVEY E. YATES COMPANY	Contact	Clay Stevens or Jen Serrano
Address	PO Box 1933, Roswell 88202-1933	Telephone No.	(505) 623-6601
Facility Name	SOUTH TAYLOR 13 FEDERAL #4	Facility Type	Tank Battery

Surface Owner	USA	Mineral Owner	BLM	Lease No.	NMNM2537
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
I	13	18S	31E	1650'	SOUTH	660'	EAST	EDDY COUNTY, NM

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Minor	Volume of Release	appx 28 bbls	Volume Recovered	5 bbls
Source of Release	oil tank	Date/Hour of Release	6/3/07	Date/Hour Discovered	6/4/07
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Paul Evans, BLM		
By Whom?	Jen Serrano	Date and Hour	6/4/07 8:25 am		
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.*

Lost pressure on heater treater, water was sent to oil tank causing the oil to run over and onto location.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

90% of spill onto location, a small puddle about 10 yds off location. Vacuumed up as much possible.

Used 10 gallons Microblaze to 550 gal. wtr.

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: <i>Jen Serrano</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Jen Serrano	Approved by District Supervisor: <i>Berry Guy</i>	
Title: Engineering Tech	Approval Date: JUL 23 2007	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: jserrano@heycoenergy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 7/19/07 Phone: (505)623-6601		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Oil Conservation Division

July 23, 2007

Harvey E. Yates Company
PO Box 1933
Roswell, NM 88202-1933

ATTN: Ms. Jen Serrano

RE: South Taylor 13 Federal #4, API 30-015-26150

Dear Ms Serrano

This office is in receipt of your C-141 on the oil release, on this facility.

NMOCD Rule 19.15.3.116 states in part ... "The responsible person must complete division approved corrective action for releases which endanger public health or the environment. Releases will be addressed in accordance with a remediation plan submitted to and approved by the division or with an abatement plan submitted in accordance with Section 19 of 19.15.1 NMAC."

Information and tools for proper corrective action may be found in the Environmental Handbook on our web site www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd under the heading publications.

Remediation requirements may be subject to other federal, state and local laws or regulations.

Within 30 days, **on or before August 23, 2007**, completion of remedial activities should be finalized and a final report summarizing all actions taken to mitigate environmental damage related to the leak, spill or release will be provided to OCD for approval.

Please be advised that NMOCD acceptance and/or approval of documents or work plans 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 and/or approval of documents or work plans do not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If I may be of further service or if you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Gerry Guye

Deputy Field Inspector

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