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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

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

30-015-10259

# Release Notification and Corrective Action

NMLB092095248

## OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

|   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
| Name of Company: Chesapeake Energy 147179 | Contact: Bradley Blevins      |
| Address: 1616 West Bender                 | Telephone No.: (575) 441-0341 |
| Facility Name: Littlefield Federal SWD    | Facility Type: Tank Battery   |

|                    |                |                 |
|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Surface Owner: BLM | Mineral Owner: | API: 3001510259 |
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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 |
|-------------|---------|----------|-------|---------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|--------|
| B           | 11      | 24S      | 31E   | 660           | FNL              | 1980          | FEL            | Eddy   |

Latitude: N 32° 14' 14.83" Longitude: W 103° 44' 46.89"

## NATURE OF RELEASE

|  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| Type of Release: Oil and Water   | Volume of Release: ~300 bbls                                | Volume Recovered: ~242 bbls               |
| Source of Release: Equipment Failure   | Date and Hour of Occurrence: 11 July, 2009                  | Date and Hour of Discovery: 11 July, 2009 |
| Was Immediate Notice Given?<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required | If YES, To Whom?<br>Mike Bratcher, NMOCD; Jim Amos, BLM     |   |
| By Whom? Bradley Blevins   | Date and Hour: 11 July 2009 @ 2:20 pm                       |   |
| Was a Watercourse Reached?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  | If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse:<br>Not Applicable |   |

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\* Not Applicable

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\* The release of approximately 300 barrels of oil inside the firewall was the result of equipment failure, with approximately 242 barrels were recovered from the site.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\* Visibly stained area outside firewall was excavated and hauled to state approved disposal facility, area inside firewall initially dug out to 1 foot bgs and sampled. To be discussed further with OCD upon receipt of sample analytical data.

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.

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|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Signature: <u>Bradley Blevins</u>        | OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  |                                   |
| Printed Name: Bradley Blevins            | Approved By: <u>Mike Bratcher</u><br>Signed By: <u>Mike Bratcher</u> |                                   |
| Title: EH & S                            | Approval Date: JUL 28 2009   | Expiration Date:                  |
| E-mail Address: bblevins@chkenenergy.com | Conditions of Approval:  | Attached <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Date: 7.14.09 Phone: (575) 441-0341      |  |                                   |

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

REMEDIATION per OCD Rules and  
Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION  
PROPOSAL BY: 8/28/09

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