

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Form C-141
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Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	Contact Chase Settle
Address 104 S. 4 th Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Caper BFE Federal #2	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	API No. 30-025-37439
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter K	Section 17	Township 21S	Range 32E	Feet from the 2310	North/South Line South	Feet from the 2310	East/West Line West	County Lea
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Latitude 32.47774 Longitude 103.69746

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Crude Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release 20 B/O & 80 B/PW	Volume Recovered 20 B/O & 80 B/PW
Source of Release Poly line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 8/19/2015; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 8/19/2015; AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Kellie Jones/NMOCD I	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 8/19/2015; PM (Email)	
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.*


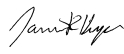
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The poly flow line separated between the well and the battery, causing the release. Vacuum truck(s) and roustabout crews were called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

An approximate area of 130' X 290'. The wells were shut in, vacuum trucks were called to recover the spill, and a roustabout crew was called to repair the poly line. Excavated soils will be hauled to a NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (chlorides for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's (site ranking is 0) 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 to the OCD. **Depth to Ground Water: > 100' (approximately 110', Section 17, T21S-R32E, 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: Chase Settle	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 		
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <u>09/09/2015</u>	Expiration Date: <u>11/09/2015</u>	
E-mail Address: CSettle@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <u>2RP</u> Discrete site samples required. Delineate and remediate per NMOCD guidelines.		Attached <input type="checkbox"/> 1RP 3845
Date: August 26, 2015	Phone: 575-748-4171	Geotagged photos of remediation required. Ensure BLM concurrence/ approval.	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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