

District I  
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

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Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

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	John H. Hendrix Corporation	Contact	Carolyn Doran Haynes
Address	P. O. Box 3040, Midland, TX 79702	Telephone No.	432-684-6631
Facility Name	Paddock Unit #31	Facility Type	Production Battery
Surface Owner	NM State Land	Mineral Owner	API No. 30-025-09951

#### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
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Latitude 32.419201° Longitude -103.127060°

#### NATURE OF RELEASE

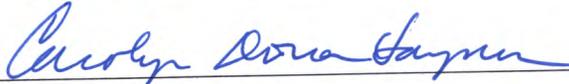
Type of Release	Oil and Water	Volume of Release	40 oil 1 water	Volume Recovered	36.75 oil, 0 water
Source of Release	circulating pump bleed valve	Date and Hour of Occurrence	01/05/15	Date and Hour of Discovery	01/05/15 9:30 am
Was Immediate Notice Given?	As soon as info was gathered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Email to Tomáš Oberding			
By Whom?	Date and Hour				
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.*					

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By OCD District 1 at 9:21 am, Oct 05, 2015

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
A bleed valve at the circulating pump failed during the freeze, releasing produced fluids into the facility berm. The valve was replaced. All fluid was contained within the facility berm.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
**RP - 3476**  
Area affected was located entirely inside the facility berm area. Oil was vacuumed and returned to the oil tank. Oil did not significantly soak into the soils due to the frozen/ice surface. All standing fluid was recovered. 10 yds<sup>3</sup> excavated and disposed at Sundance. Replaced caliche and restored berm. Photos of discovery, clean-up and final results attached.

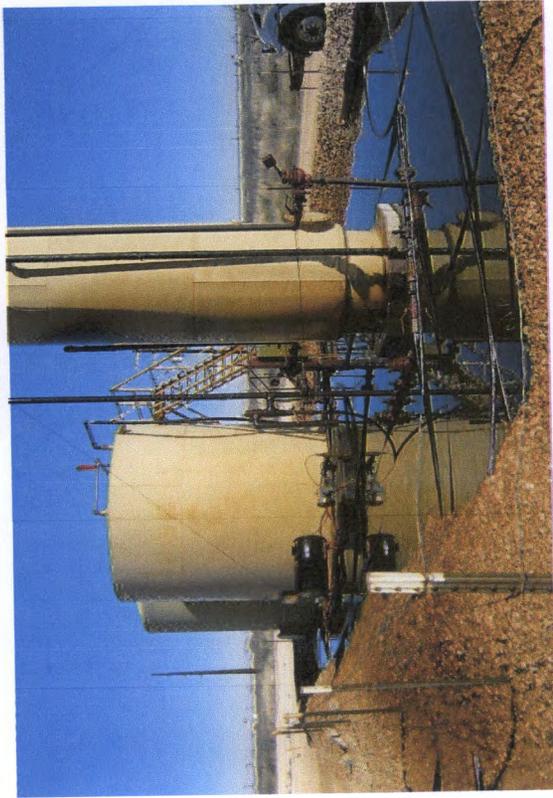
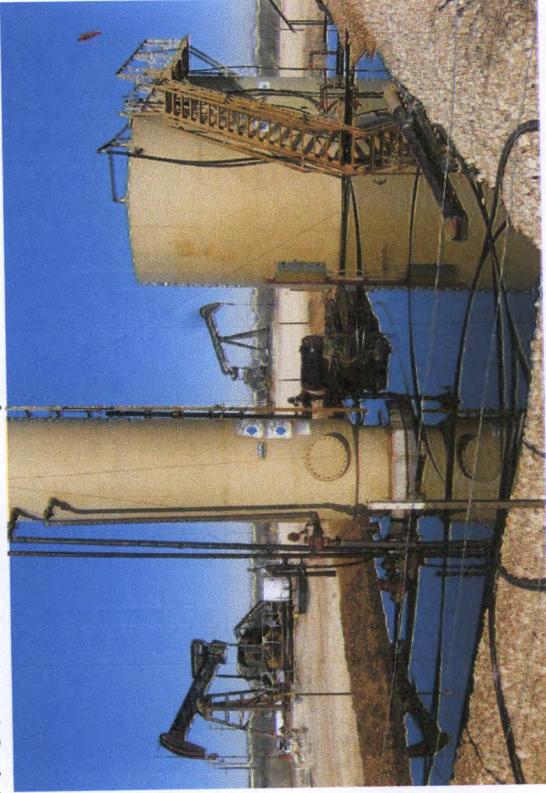
I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger 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>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</u>		
Printed Name: Carolyn Doran Haynes	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 		
Title: Engineer	Approval Date: 10/05/2015	Expiration Date: //	
E-mail Address: cdoranhaynes@jhnc.org	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 09/29/15	Phone: 432-684-6631		

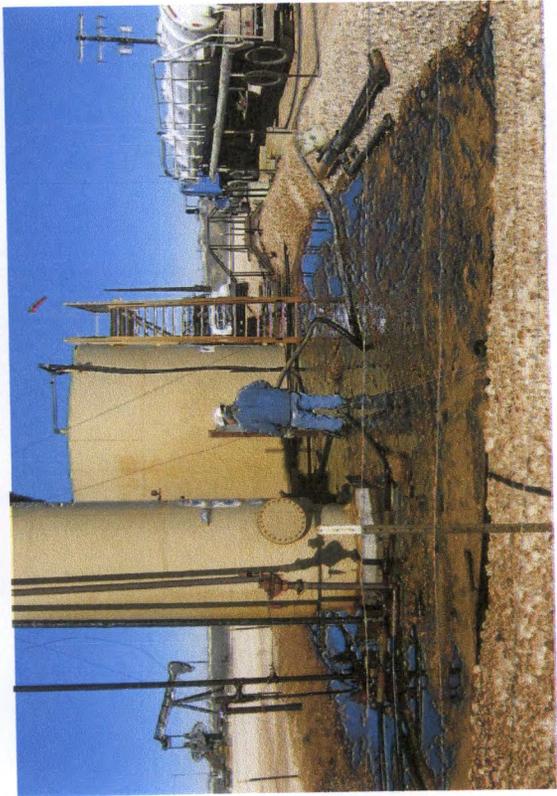
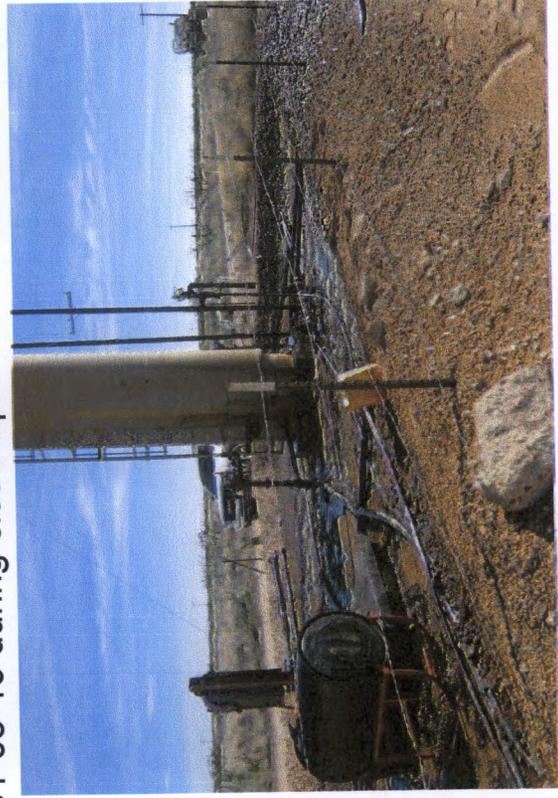
The site will remain open and complete remediation will occur at the time of closure

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

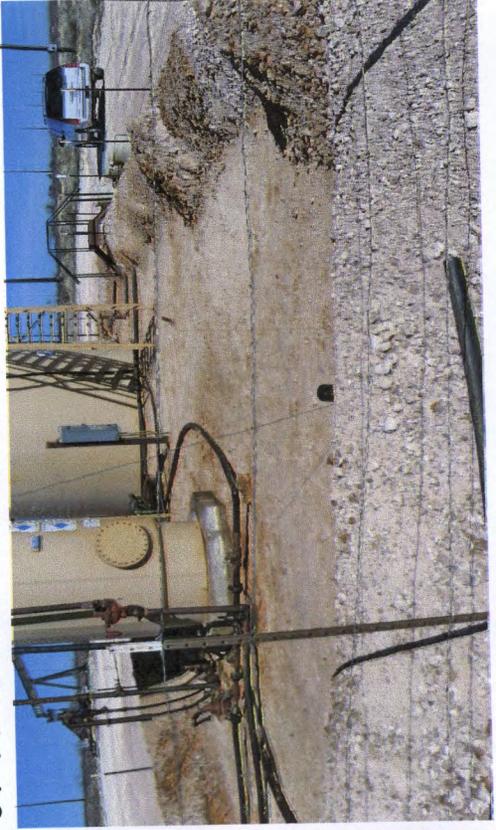
Paddock #31 Release Site 01-05-15 before clean-up



Paddock #31 Release Site 01-05-15 during clean-up



Paddock #31 Release Site 01-14-15 after excavation



Paddock #31 Release Site 02-11-15 after caliche replacement - Final

