

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

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

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By JKeys at 8:23 am, Nov 04, 2015

Form C-141

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

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

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| Name of Company: COG Operating LLC                  | Contact: Robert McNeill    |
| Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701 | Telephone No. 432-230-0077 |
| Facility Name: BATTLE AXE FEDERAL COM #002H         | Facility Type: Battery     |

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|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| Surface Owner: Federal | Mineral Owner: Federal | API No. 30-025-41370 |
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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 |
|-------------|---------|----------|-------|---------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|--------|
| E           | 2       | 26S      | 33E   | 2260'         | North            | 380'          | West           | Lea    |

Latitude 32.0735359 Longitude -103.5503693

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

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| Type of Release:<br>Oil & Produced Water   | Volume of Release:<br>10 bbls Oil ; 62 bbls PW     | Volume Recovered:<br>10 bbls Oil ; 62 bbls PW     |
| Source of Release:<br>Tank Overflow  | Date and Hour of Occurrence:<br>10-3-2015 10:00 am | Date and Hour of Discovery:<br>10-3-2015 10:00 am |
| Was Immediate Notice Given?<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required | If YES, To Whom?<br>Kellie Jones - NMOCD           |   |
| By Whom? Lupe Carrasco   | Date and Hour: Sat 10/3/2015 8:52 PM               |   |
| Was a Watercourse Reached?<br><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.\*

This release was caused by a tank overflow. Vacuum trucks were dispatched to recover all standing fluid.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

This release remained within the bermed facility however the containment was unlined. Concho will have the spill site sampled to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD for approval prior to any significant remediation work.

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:  | <b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>  |   |
| Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo  | Approved by Environmental Specialist:                            |   |
| Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator  | Approval Date: 11/04/2015   | Expiration Date: 01/04/2016                   |
| E-mail Address: <a href="mailto:atrujillo@concho.com">atrujillo@concho.com</a>                 | Conditions of Approval:<br>Discrete site samples required. Delineate and remediate per NMOCD guidelines.<br>Geotagged photos of remediation required. | Attached <input type="checkbox"/><br>1RP 3953 |
| Date: October 17, 2015 Phone: 575-748-6940   |   |   |

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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