

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

Form C-141  
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**By JKeyes at 8:19 am, Jun 09, 2016**

### Release Notification and Corrective Action

**OPERATOR**       Initial Report       Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-683-7443
Facility Name: FEDERAL USA J #001	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 30-025-20367
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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
P	30	19S	32E	990'	South	660'	East	Lea

**Latitude** 32.6269188 **Longitude** -103.799057

#### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release: 20 bbls Oil ; 250 bbls PW	Volume Recovered: 100 bbls Fluid
Source of Release: Fire	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 5/31/2016 5:00 pm	Date and Hour of Discovery: 5/31/2016 5:00 pm
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jamie Keyes – NMOCD / Shelly Tucker – BLM	
By Whom? Amanda Trujillo Davis	Date and Hour: 6/1/2016 4:47 PM	
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.\*

A fire at this location was reported at approximately 5:00 pm. Fire Crews were dispatched to the location. Lightning struck the produced water tank. After the fire was extinguished vacuum trucks were dispatched to recover all standing fluid.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The fire from caused impact to pasture around the facility. A portion of the facility was a total loss. 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.

Signature: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>		
Printed Name: Amanda Trujillo Davis	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 		
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: 06/09/2016	Expiration Date: 08/09/2016	
E-mail Address: atrujillo@concho.com	Conditions of Approval: Discrete samples only. Delineate and remediate per NMOCD guidelines. Ensure BLM concurrence/		Attached <input type="checkbox"/> IRP 4306
Date: June 8, 2016	Phone: 575-748-6940		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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