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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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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

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
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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
I	2	22S	37E					Lea

Latitude 32.419201° Longitude -103.127060°

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release	<5bbls, lightning strike	Volume of Release	<5bbls	Volume Recovered	0
Source of Release	<5 bbls	Date and Hour of Occurrence	08/09/16	Date and Hour of Discovery	08/09/16 2:30 pm
Was Immediate Notice Given?	As soon as info was gathered <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?			
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.\*

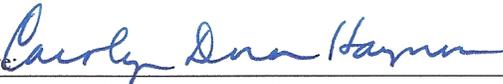
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

Lightening strike causing spare empty tank to be lifted off its base. Flash fire as result of lightening strike, some scorching, but fire extinguished by heavy rains. Fire department responded but did not notify JHHC. Incident was discovered during regular daily pumper rounds. <5 bbls produced fluids (BS tank bottoms) were released but were smeared around by the fire department and the heavy rain. All remained within the tank btry berm.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

Tank is being replaced. Photos and further clean-up will be submitted.

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: Carolyn Doran Haynes	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Engineer	Approval Date: <b>08/17/2016</b>	Expiration Date: <b>10/17/2016</b>
E-mail Address: cdoranhaynes@jhhc.org	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 08/09/16 Phone: 432-684-6631	Discrete samples only. Delineate and remediate per NMOCD guidelines.	1RP 4401

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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