

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



**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	Contact Amber Griffin
Address 105 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Artesia, NM 88210	Telephone No. 575-748-4111
Facility Name Lusk AHB Federal #10H	Facility Type Well & Tanks

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	API No. 30-025-40990
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter D	Section 35	Township 19S	Range 32E	Feet from the 150	North/South Line North	Feet from the 660	East/West Line West	County Lea
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Latitude 32.62358 Longitude 103.74279

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Produced Water & Crude Oil	Volume of Release 175 B/PW, 25 B/O	Volume Recovered 150 B/PW, 25 B/O
Source of Release Poly flow line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 4/21/2016; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 4/21/2016; AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? NMOCD - Jamie Keyes. BLM - Jim Amos	
By Whom? Amber Griffin	Date and Hour: 4/22/2016 7:49 AM via 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.\* N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

A poly flow line split when the line pressured up. The flow line was isolated by closing upstream and downstream valves, and the well was shut-in. The poly line was replaced with a steel line. Vacuum trucks were called to recover released fluids. An initial scrape was completed of the pooling area and the overspray area of the release was treated with a Micro-Blaze/Water mixture.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken:

The affected area is shown on the attached Google Earth image. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken from both the pooling area and the overspray areas 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 250-275', per Chevron/Texaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Yates Petroleum requests closure as all work was completed as per NMOCD/BLM approved work plan.**

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: Amber Griffin	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Environmental Representative	Approval Date: <b>08/31/2016</b>	Expiration Date: <b>///</b>
E-mail Address: <a href="mailto:agriffin@yatespetroleum.com">agriffin@yatespetroleum.com</a>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: August 15, 2016 Phone: 575-748-4111	1RP-4266	<b>///</b>

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary