

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

REVIEWED

By Kristen Lynch at 12:02 pm, Sep 20, 2016

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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 Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 th Street	Telephone No. 575-748-1471	
Facility Name Weistrop ABB Federal #1	Facility Type Battery	
Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-041-20768

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter I	Section 10	Township 7S	Range 33E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line South	Feet from the 660	East/West Line East	County Roosevelt
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Latitude 33.72093 Longitude 103.54640

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 1 B/PW	Volume Recovered 0 B/PW
Source of Release Fiberglass Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 8/28/2016; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 8/28/2016; AM
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 I	
By Whom? Robert Asher/Yates Petroleum Corporation	Date and Hour 8/29/2016; 8:44 AM (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.*



Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Lightning strike/fire on the oil tank. Area Fire Department called.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

An approximate area of 4'X 15' within the bermed battery. The fire was handled by area fire departments. All fire residue/foam being cleaned/scraped up and disposed at an NMOCD approved facility. The destroyed production equipment is being removed and new tanks/equipment will be installed along with a liner. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 140 – 200', per ChevronTexaco Trend Map), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Based on only 1 B/PW released, site ranking of Zero and clean-up actions, Yates Petroleum Corporation requests closure.**

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION		
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 		
Title: NM Environmental Regulatory Supervisor	Approval Date: 9/20/2016	Expiration Date: N/A	
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: N/A		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: September 14, 2016 Phone: 575-748-4217	1RP- 4445		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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