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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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: COG Operating LLC OGRID # 229137	Contact: Robert McNeill	
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-683-7443	
Facility Name: Monet Federal Com #003H Tank Battery	Facility Type: Tank Battery	
Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:	API No. 30-025-42763

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter C	Section 04	Township 25S	Range 33E	Feet from the 190	North/South Line North	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Lea
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Latitude 32.165967 Longitude -103.578849

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil (Fire)	Volume of Release: EST. 2 bbls	Volume Recovered: 0 bbls
Source of Release: Flare	Date and Hour of Occurrence: April 10, 2017 4:00 am	Date and Hour of Discovery: April 11, 2017 4:00 am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Ms. Yu NMOCD / Ms. Tucker BLM	
By Whom? Robert Grubbs	Date and Hour: April 10, 2017 9:55 am	
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.*		

RECEIVED

By Olivia Yu at 9:05 am, Apr 14, 2017

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

This release was due to the supply gas regulator going to the water knockout malfunctioned. The KO dumps couldn't dump and filled the unit. Due to the fluid there was a high PSI and fluid went to the flare. The gas PSI regulator was replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

One barrel of oil burned out of the flare on location, one barrel of oil that was released into the Falcon liner, and there was a slight mist in the pasture.

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: <i>Rebecca Haskell</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Rebecca Haskell	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Title: Senior HSE Coordinator	Approval Date: 4/14/2017	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: rhaskell@concho.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: April 13, 2017 Phone: 432-683-7443	Please inspect liner in question. Provide NMOCD with a concise report of the inspection with affirmation the liner has and will continue to contain liquids.	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

APPROVED

By Olivia Yu at 10:25 am, Jul 07, 2017

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fOY1710430535

From: Rebecca Haskell
To: [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#); stucker@blm.gov
Cc: [Oberding, Tomas, EMNRD](#); [Jim Amos \(jamos@blm.gov\)](mailto:jamos@blm.gov); [Dakota Neel](#); [Aaron Lieb](#); [Rebecca Haskell](#)
Subject: FW: (C-141 Initial-Final) (Flare Fire) MONET FEDERAL COM #003H 4/10/17 (30-025-42763)
Date: Friday, June 16, 2017 2:14:49 PM
Attachments: Monet Federal Com #003H Tank Battery Initial-Final (Fire) 4-10-17 (30-25-42763).pdf

Ms. Yu,

As per your request below:

A final inspection has been conducted regarding the clean-up efforts made at the above mentioned lined facility. Free fluids were removed and if present the impacted gravel was removed from the liner and taken to a NMOC approved disposal facility. The liner was inspected for damage and found to have liner integrity to contain free fluids. Please see the attached Final C-141 and picture taken during the final inspection conducted by a COG HSE representative.



Thank You,

Becky Haskell
Senior HSE Coordinator
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From: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us]
Sent: Friday, April 14, 2017 10:28 AM
To: Rebecca Haskell; stucker@blm.gov
Cc: Oberding, Tomas, EMNRD; Jim Amos (jamos@blm.gov)
Subject: [External] RE: (C-141 Initial-Final) (Flare Fire) MONET FEDERAL COM #003H 4/10/17 (30-025-42763)

**** External email. Use caution. ****

Dear Ms. Haskell:

Please inspect the liner in question. It is OCD's understanding that all impacted material in the containment has been removed and the liner inspected for integrity. Provide NMOCD with a concise report of the inspection with affirmation the liner has and will continue to contain liquids. Pictures and a record of the removal of contaminated fill or proper disposal of liquids are strongly encouraged to accompany submission of initial C-141s.

Thanks,

Olivia Yu
Environmental Specialist
NMOCD, District I
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OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

From: Rebecca Haskell [mailto:RHaskell@concho.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 13, 2017 9:20 AM
To: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>; stucker@blm.gov
Cc: Oberding, Tomas, EMNRD <Tomas.Oberding@state.nm.us>; Jim Amos (jamos@blm.gov) <jamos@blm.gov>
Subject: (C-141 Initial-Final) (Flare Fire) MONET FEDERAL COM #003H 4/10/17 (30-025-42763)

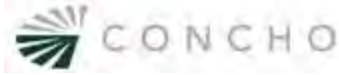
Ms. Yu / Ms. Tucker,

Attached is a C-141 Initial-Final for your consideration. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank You,

Becky Haskell

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From: Robert Grubbs
Sent: Monday, April 10, 2017 10:55 AM
To: Amos, James <jamos@blm.gov> (jamos@blm.gov); 'stucker@blm.gov'; olivia.yu@state.nm.us; Oberding, Tomas, EMNRD (Tomas.Oberding@state.nm.us)
Subject: (Notification) MONET FEDERAL COM #003H 4/10/17 (30-025-42763)

Ms. YU / Ms. TUCKER,

COG OPERATING LLC IS REPORTING A RELEASE AT THE MONET FEDERAL COM #003H (30-025-42763).
OGRID# 12291371
UNIT LETTER C, SECTION 04 TOWNSHIP 25S RANGE 33E
THE RELEASE OCCURRED ON APRIL 10, 2017 AT APPROXIMATELY 04:30 AM.
ESTIMATED RELEASED: APPROX. 2BBLs OF OIL.
ESTIMATED RECOVERED: APPROX. 1BBL OF OIL.

THIS RELEASE WAS DUE TO THE SUPPLY GAS REGULATOR GOING TO THE WATER KNOCKOUT MALFUNCTIONED. THE KO DUMPS COULDN'T DUMP AND FILLED THE UNIT UP. WE HAD HIGH LINE PSI BECAUSE OF THE FLUID AND THE FLUID WENT TO FLARE. WE HAD 1 BBL OIL THAT BURNED OUT THE FLARE AND 1 BBL OUT THE BACKPRESSURE VALVE ON TO THE FALCON LINER INSIDE CONTAINMENT.

PLEASE FORWARD ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO REBECCA HASKELL.

THANK YOU,

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