

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

Form C-141  
Revised April 3, 2017

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

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 EOG Y Resources, Inc.	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Artesia NM 88210	Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Moped BPQ State #1	Facility Type Battery

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	API No. 30-005-20645
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter O	Section 26	Township 15S	Range 31E	Feet from the 660	North/South Line South	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line East	County Chaves
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Latitude 32.9816475 Longitude -103.7900925 NAD83

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 60 B/PW	Volume Recovered 57 B/PW
Source of Release Production Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12/02/2017;PM	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/02/2017;PM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Olivia Yu/NMOCD I	
By Whom? Robert Asher	Date and Hour December 3, 2017;1:20PM	<b>RECEIVED</b> <i>By Olivia Yu at 11:00 am, Dec 18, 2017</i>
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.\*

500 bbl steel tank bottom corroded and leaked. Vacuum truck(s) and a roustabout crew was called. This battery is bermed and has a synthetic liner, 57 B/PW was recovered (95%) remaining produced water was entrained within the gravel. Gravel has been removed from the liner.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The impacted area was approximately 30 feet by 150 feet within the battery. This battery is bermed and has a synthetic liner, 57 B/PW was recovered (95%), remaining produced water was entrained within the gravel and soaked into an earthen berm located within the lined containment. EOG Y will inspect liner and attest to liner integrity. Based off of liner inspection, EOG Y will submit either a Characterization Plan or Closure Report/Form C-141 Final Report. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (256', per USGS & NMOSE), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0.**

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: Robert Asher	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Supervisor Environmental	Approval Date: <b>12/18/2017</b>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: robert_asher@eogresources.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: December 14, 2017 Phone: 575-748-4171	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.	

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\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**From:** [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](mailto:Yu_Olivia_EMNRD)  
**To:** ["Yvette Moore"; agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:Yvette_Moore@eogresources.com)  
**Cc:** [Chase Settle](mailto:Chase_Settle@eogresources.com); [Bob Asher](mailto:Bob_Asher@eogresources.com)  
**Subject:** RE: Moped BPQ State #1 C-141 Initial  
**Date:** Monday, December 18, 2017 11:07:00 AM  
**Attachments:** image001.png  
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Ms. Moore:

Please see the attachment for your records.

Please inspect the liner in question. It is NMOCD'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.

Please be advised that based on the information provided, the affected berms in the lined containment will have to be removed.

Thanks,

Olivia Yu  
Environmental Specialist  
NMOCD, District I  
[Olivia.yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.yu@state.nm.us)  
575-393-6161 x113

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.

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**From:** Yvette Moore [mailto:[Yvette\\_Moore@eogresources.com](mailto:Yvette_Moore@eogresources.com)]  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 14, 2017 11:46 AM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>; [agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:agroves@slo.state.nm.us)  
**Cc:** Chase Settle <[Chase\\_Settle@eogresources.com](mailto:Chase_Settle@eogresources.com)>; Bob Asher <[Bob\\_Asher@eogresources.com](mailto:Bob_Asher@eogresources.com)>  
**Subject:** Moped BPQ State #1 C-141 Initial

I apologize the subject line was not correct, please disregard as I have corrected it.

Thanks,



**Yvette Moore**

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**From:** Yvette Moore  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 14, 2017 11:44 AM  
**To:** [Olivia.yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.yu@state.nm.us); [agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:agroves@slo.state.nm.us)  
**Cc:** Chase Settle <[Chase\\_Settle@eogresources.com](mailto:Chase_Settle@eogresources.com)>; Bob Asher <[Bob\\_Asher@eogresources.com](mailto:Bob_Asher@eogresources.com)>  
**Subject:** RE: Ross EG Federal Battery C-141

Please find the attached C-141 Initial for the location listed below:

Moped BPQ State #1  
30-005-20645  
660' FNL & 1980' FEL  
Section 26, T15S-R31E  
Chaves County, New Mexico

Thanks,



**Yvette Moore**

Rep Safety & Environmental II  
Safety & Environmental Department

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**From:** Bob Asher  
**To:** [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#); [Billings, Bradford, EMNRD](#); [NMSLO \(Carlsbad/Ion Dolly\) \(idolly@slo.state.nm.us\)](#); [NMSLO \(Hobbs/Amber Grroves\)](#); [NMSLO \(Hobbs/Mathew Hagman\) \(mhagman@slo.state.nm.us\)](#); [NMSLO \(Roswell/Mark Najanjo\) \(mnanranjo@slo.state.nm.us\)](#); [NMSLO \(Santa Fe/Dana Vackar Strang\) \(dvstrang@slo.state.nm.us\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Amber Griffin](#); [Chase Settle](#); [Katie Parker](#)  
**Subject:** Release Notification (Moped BQP State #1)  
**Date:** Sunday, December 3, 2017 1:20:08 PM  
**Attachments:** image001.png

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**EOG Y Resources, Inc. is reporting a release at the following location (12/3/2017, approximately 3:45 PM).**

Moped BQP State #1  
30-005-20645  
Section 26, T15S-R31E  
Chaves County, New Mexico

**Released: Approximately 60 B/PW; Recovered: In Progress.**

Cause of the release from a hole in the production tank. Vacuum truck(s) and roustabout crews were called to begin recovery of produced water. **This is a lined/bermed battery.** A Form C-141 with complete information will be submitted.

Thank you,

**Robert C. “Bob” Asher**  
**Environmental Supervisor**  
Safety & Environmental Department  
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Artesia Division  
Artesia, NM 88210  
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**EOG Safety Begins With YOUR Safety**

