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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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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

Form C-141  
Revised April 3, 2017

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: XTO Energy	Contact: Kyle Littrell
Address: 522 W. Mermod, Suite 704 Carlsbad, N.M. 88220	Telephone No. 432-221-7331
Facility Name: Mis Amigos Central Tank Battery (API Mis Amigos #001H)	Facility Type: Exploration and Production

Surface Owner: State of NM	Mineral Owner: State of NM	API No. 30-025-40590
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter O	Section 31	Township 23S	Range 33E	Feet from the 230	North/South Line south	Feet from the 1800	East/West Line east	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.254583° Longitude -103.608826° NAD83

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Crude Oil	Volume of Release 35 bbls	Volume Recovered 35 bbls
Source of Release Circulating Pump	Date and Hour of Occurrence 11/27/2017 time unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery 11/27/2017 3 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) and Amber Groves (SLO)	
By Whom? Amy Ruth	Date and Hour 11/28/2017 4:21 pm	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*  
N/A

**RECEIVED**

**By Olivia Yu at 9:28 am, Dec 18, 2017**

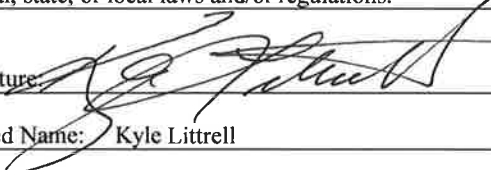

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

The bourdon tube in a pressure gauge on the circulating pump failed. The failed gauge was replaced with a valve and bull plug.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The release affected the shallow gravel layer above the impermeable containment liner. A XTO Maintenance Supervisor who is competent in the operation, maintenance, and inspection of all on-site equipment and facilities visually inspected the containment and verified there was no visual evidence of a liner breach. All free-standing liquids were recovered from the containment and the containment and equipment were power washed. Impacted gravel was taken to Lea Land for disposal. During cleaning the liner sustained minor damage. Repairs will be made as soon as possible to restore impermeability.

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: Kyle Littrell	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: 12/18/2017	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: Kyle.Littrell@xtoenergy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 12/12/2017 Phone: 432-221-7331	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

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**From:** [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)  
**To:** ["Littrell, Kyle"; Ruth, Amy; Groves, Amber](#)  
**Cc:** [McSpadden, Wes; Sanders, Toady; Foust, Bryan; Fuqua, Danny](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Release Notification - Mis Amigos Battery 11-27-17  
**Date:** Monday, December 18, 2017 9:46:00 AM  
**Attachments:** image005.png  
XTO\_Initial-Final C-141 Mis Amigos CTB 11-27-17.pdf

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Mr. Littrell:

A Google earth image from November 2017 indicated a reportable release at this location. Please verify that the captured image is of the current release. Also, NMOCD requests confirmation that the minor damage of the liner sustained as a result of cleanup activities has been resolved.

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:** Littrell, Kyle [mailto:Kyle\_Littrell@xtoenergy.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 12, 2017 3:35 PM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>; Ruth, Amy <Amy\_Ruth@xtoenergy.com>; Groves, Amber <agroves@slo.state.nm.us>  
**Cc:** McSpadden, Wes <Wes\_McSpadden@xtoenergy.com>; Sanders, Toady <Toady\_Sanders@xtoenergy.com>; Foust, Bryan <Bryan\_Foust@xtoenergy.com>; Fuqua, Danny <Danny\_Fuqua@xtoenergy.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Release Notification - Mis Amigos Battery 11-27-17

Good Afternoon,

Please find attached the initial/final C-141 for the referenced location. Attached are pictures after the release and after the liner was cleaned. Please call with any questions or concerns.



Post release



Post clean up





**Kyle Littrell**  
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Delaware Division  
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**From:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [<mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>]  
**Sent:** Monday, December 11, 2017 3:05 PM  
**To:** Ruth, Amy <[Amy\\_Ruth@xtoenergy.com](mailto:Amy_Ruth@xtoenergy.com)>; Groves, Amber <[agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:agroves@slo.state.nm.us)>  
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**Subject:** RE: Release Notification - Mis Amigos Battery 11-27-17

Ms. Ruth:

To be in compliance with NMAC 19.15.29, please be advised that an initial C-141 for the below release is due before December 13, 2017.

Thanks,  
Olivia

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**From:** Ruth, Amy [[mailto:Amy\\_Ruth@xtoenergy.com](mailto:Amy_Ruth@xtoenergy.com)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 28, 2017 4:21 PM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>; Groves, Amber <[agroves@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:agroves@slo.state.nm.us)>  
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**Subject:** Release Notification - Mis Amigos Battery 11-27-17

Good Afternoon,

This is sent as notification of an accidental release of fluids in excess of 25 barrels within the containment of the referenced facility that occurred yesterday afternoon (API for Mis Amigos 01H 30-025-40590). Details will be provided within the initial form C-141 that will be submitted regarding this event. Please call me with any questions and thank you for all your help.

Respectfully,

*Amy C. Ruth*

Delaware Basin Division

Environmental Coordinator

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