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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: Pygmy 27 State #001H Tank Battery	Facility Type: Battery
Surface Owner: Private	Mineral Owner: State
API No. 30-025-40352	

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter D	Section 27	Township 21S	Range 33E	Feet from the 330	North/South Line North	Feet from the 190	East/West Line West	County Lea
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Latitude 32.456254 Longitude -103.568849

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 40 bbls PW	Volume Recovered: 35 bbls PW
Source of Release: Fittings/Connections	Date and Hour of Occurrence: July 14, 2017 8:00 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery: July 14, 2017 8:00 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. Groves - SLO	
By Whom? Dakota Neel	Date and Hour: July 14, 2017 12:11 pm	
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.*		

APPROVED



By Olivia Yu at 9:24 am, May 02, 2018

The release was caused by a hole that developed in the piping on the dump line of the free water knockout. The section of pipe was replaced.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The release remained on location within the lined facility. A final inspection has been conducted regarding the clean-up efforts at the above mentioned lined facility. Free fluids were removed and if present impacted gravel was removed from the liner and taken to a NMOCD approved disposal facility. The liner was inspected for damage and found to have liner integrity to contain free fluids.

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: Christopher Gray	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: HSE Coordinator	Approval Date: 5/2/2018	Expiration Date: xx/xx/xxxx
E-mail Address: cgray@concho.com	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 1/17/2018 Phone: 575-746-2010	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

nOY1720251270

From: [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)
To: [Christopher Gray](#)
Cc: [Sheldon Hitchcock](#); [Rebecca Haskell](#); [Robert McNeill](#); [Rebecca Haskell](#)
Subject: RE: (C-141 Final) Pygmy 27 State # 2H (30-025-40352)1-17-18
Date: Wednesday, May 2, 2018 9:30:00 AM
Attachments: image003.png
approved_Pygmy 27 State #001H Final C-141 7-14-17 (30-025-40352) (2).pdf

Dear Mr. Gray:

The available information indicates **OPERATOR** has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC and no further corrective action is required. NMOCD considers **nOY1720251270** closed. This determination by the Oil Conservation Division does not relieve Operator of responsibility should future information indicate a threat to ground water, surface water, human health, or the environment. Furthermore, it does not relieve Operator of responsibility for compliance with any federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Thanks,

Olivia Yu
Environmental Specialist
NMOCD, District I
Olivia.yu@state.nm.us
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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: Christopher Gray <CGray@concho.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 17, 2018 3:28 PM
To: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>
Cc: Billings, Bradford, EMNRD <Bradford.Billings@state.nm.us>; Sheldon Hitchcock <SLHitchcock@concho.com>; Rebecca Haskell <RHaskell@concho.com>; Robert McNeill <RMcNeill@concho.com>; Rebecca Haskell <RHaskell@concho.com>
Subject: (C-141 Final) Pygmy 27 State # 2H (30-025-40352)1-17-18

Ms. Yu/Ms. Groves,

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 NMOCD 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,

Christopher Gray
HSE Coordinator
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