

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: COG Operating LLC OGRID# 229137	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-683-7443
Facility Name: Telecaster 30 Federal #003H	Facility Type: Battery

Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 30-025-41455
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
B	30	23S	34E	330	North	1,980	East	Lea

Latitude 32.2819786 Longitude -103.5069962 NAD83

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Oil	Volume of Release: 11 bbl.	Volume Recovered: 10.5 bbl.
Source of Release: Valve in incorrect position	Date and Hour of Occurrence: March 16, 2018 6:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery: March 16, 2018 6:00am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
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.*

APPROVED
By Olivia Yu at 10:17 am, Jun 22, 2018

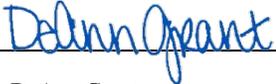
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

The release was due to the equalizer valve on the production tank being closed. Opened the equalizer valve to get tank level down and switched production to another tank.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

All of the fluid remained inside of the lined containment. 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.

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: DeAnn Grant	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: HSE Administrative Assistant	Approval Date: 6/22/2018	Expiration Date: xx/xx/xxxx
E-mail Address: agrant@concho.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: April 17, 2018	Phone: 432-253-4513	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

nOY1808050655

From: [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)
To: ["Mann, Ryan"; "DeAnn Grant"; stucker@blm.gov](#)
Cc: [Sheldon Hitchcock; Dakota Neel; Rebecca Haskell; Robert McNeill](#)
Subject: RE: (Final C-141) Telecaster 30 Federal #003H 3-16-2018 (30-025-41455)
Date: Friday, June 22, 2018 10:19:00 AM
Attachments: approved_(Final C-141) Telecaster 30 Federal #003H 3-16-18 (30-025-41455).pdf
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Dear Ms. Grant:

The available information indicates **OPERATOR** has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC and no further corrective action is required. NMOCD considers **nOY1808050655** 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
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.

From: Mann, Ryan <rmann@slo.state.nm.us>
Sent: Thursday, April 19, 2018 2:04 PM
To: 'DeAnn Grant' <agrant@concho.com>; Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>; stucker@blm.gov
Cc: Sheldon Hitchcock <SLHitchcock@concho.com>; Dakota Neel <DNeel2@concho.com>; Rebecca Haskell <RHaskell@concho.com>; Robert McNeill <RMcNeill@concho.com>
Subject: RE: (Final C-141) Telecaster 30 Federal #003H 3-16-2018 (30-025-41455)

NMSLO considers the issue closed.

From: DeAnn Grant [<mailto:agrant@concho.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, April 18, 2018 3:13 PM
To: olivia.yu@state.nm.us; stucker@blm.gov; Mann, Ryan <rmann@slo.state.nm.us>
Cc: Sheldon Hitchcock <SLHitchcock@concho.com>; Dakota Neel <DNeel2@concho.com>; Rebecca Haskell <RHaskell@concho.com>; Robert McNeill <RMcNeill@concho.com>; DeAnn Grant <agrant@concho.com>
Subject: (Final C-141) Telecaster 30 Federal #003H 3-16-2018 (30-025-41455)

Ms. Yu/Ms. Tucker/Mr. Mann,

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Thank you,

DeAnn Grant

HSE Administrative Assistant

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From: Tucker, Shelly
To: [DeAnn Grant](#)
Cc: [Yu, Olivia, FMNRD](#); [rmann@slo.state.nm.us](#); [Sheldon Hitchcock](#); [Dakota Neel](#); [Rebecca Haskell](#); [Robert McNeill](#)
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] (Final C-141) Telecaster 30 Federal #003H 3-16-2018 (30-025-41455)
Date: Wednesday, April 18, 2018 5:47:46 PM
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BLM accepts your final C-141.

NOTE: LPC Timing Stipulations are in effect - from March 1st through June 15th. Please plan remedial activities accordingly. Check for African Rue...treat (before it gets out of control).

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Shelly J Tucker

Environmental Protection Specialist
O&G Spill/Release Coordinator

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575.361.0084 - Cellular
575.234.6235 - Emergency Spill Number

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Bureau of Land Management

620 E. Greene St
Carlsbad, NM 88220

The **BLM acceptance/approval does not** relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment or if the location fails to reclaim properly. **In such an event a site does not achieve successful restoration, or future issues with contaminants are encountered, the operator will be asked to address these issues until they are fully mitigated and the location is successfully reclaimed.** In addition, BLM approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws/regulations.

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On Wed, Apr 18, 2018 at 3:12 PM, DeAnn Grant <agrant@concho.com> wrote:

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