

Region 6 - Enforcement & Compliance Assurance Division
INSPECTION REPORT

Inspection Date(s):	12/11/2023	
Media Program:	Water	
Regulatory Program(s)	Clean Water Act	
Company Name:	LBOC, LLC	
Facility Name:	ALPHIN B Tank Battery	
Facility Physical Location:	Latitude: 33.18646, Longitude: -92.61816	
(city, state, zip code)	El Dorado, AR, 71730	
Mailing address:	787 Baugh Street	
(city, state, zip code)	Norphlet, Arkansas, 71759	
County/Parish:	Union County	
Facility Phone Number	870-546-3457	
Facility Contact:	Scott Carter	Representative
	longbrosoil@yahoo.com	
FRS Number:	NA	
Identification/Permit Number:	ARU001248	
Media Identifier Number:	NA	
NAICS:	211111	
SIC:	1311	
Personnel participating in inspection:		
Chelsey Sherwood	EPA/Region 6 ECDW	Enforcement Officer/Inspector
Michael Blaha	EPA/Region 6 ECDW	Enforcement Officer/Inspector
EPA Lead Inspector Signature/Date		
	Chelsey Sherwood	Date
Supervisor Signature/Date		
	Jeanne Eckhart (acting Chief Mitty Garcia)	Date

Section I – INTRODUCTION

PURPOSE OF THE INSPECTION

EPA Region 6 inspectors Chelsey Sherwood and Michael Blaha arrived at LBOC, LLC., Alphin B Tank Battery, located off Shelby Road (33.18646, -92.61816) at 2:30PM on 12/11/2023 for an unannounced inspection. No facility representatives were present at the time of the inspection. The inspection was conducted by the authority of the Clean Water Act (CWA) to determine compliance with Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations. There were no other federal, state, or local agency representatives present at the time of the inspection.

FACILITY DESCRIPTION

EPA conducted an inspection on LBOC, LLC., Alphin B Tank Battery which contains one oil tank, one saltwater tank, and a heater treater.

Section II - OBSERVATIONS

I observed the facility sign, secondary containment, oil tanks, saltwater, heater treater, and pipes located at the facility, see Appendix 1 (photo log), photo No. 1 and photo No. 2. for additional GPS location and photo metadata, see Appendix 1.

I observed loose oil within secondary containment near the oil tank valve, see photo No. 3.

I observed an open secondary containment drainage valve outside of secondary containment with water below it, see photo No. 4.

Section III – AREAS OF CONCERN

No closing conference was held due to no LBOC, LLC. staff being present during the inspection. Areas of concern at the time of the inspection include: 1) loose oil within secondary containment; and 2) open secondary containment drainage valve outside of secondary containment with water below it.

Section IV – FOLLOW UP

Inspector will conduct follow-up phone calls with the company representatives over the coming weeks and months to ensure areas of concern are properly addressed.

Section V – LIST OF APPENDICES

Appendix 1 – Photo Log – 4 photos taken 12/11/2023

Appendix 1

Photograph Log

4 Photos



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Photograph Log

Photo No. 1

Location: 33.18646, -92.61816		
City: El Dorado	County/Parish: Union	State: Arkansas



Photo File Name: 6182

Orientation: W

Date of Photo: 12/11/2023

Time of Photo: 2:36 PM

Latitude: 33.186416

Longitude: -92.618164

Photographer: Chelsey Sherwood

Description: This photo was taken looking W at the facility showing the facility sign.



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Photograph Log

Photo No. 2

Location: 33.18646, -92.61816		
City: El Dorado	County/Parish: Union	State: Arkansas



Photo File Name: 6183

Orientation: W

Date of Photo: 12/11/2023

Time of Photo: 2:37 PM

Latitude: 33.186460

Longitude: -92.618117

Photographer: Chelsey Sherwood

Description: This photo was taken looking W showing an overview of the facility.



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Photograph Log

Photo No. 3

Location: 33.18646, -92.61816		
City: El Dorado	County/Parish: Union	State: Arkansas



Photo File Name: 6184

Orientation: S

Date of Photo: 12/11/2023

Time of Photo: 2:37 PM

Latitude: 33.186488

Longitude: -92.618207

Photographer: Chelsey Sherwood

Description: This photo was taken looking S at the facility showing loose oil from oil tank.



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Photograph Log

Photo No. 4

Location: 33.18646, -92.61816		
City: El Dorado	County/Parish: Union	State: Arkansas



Photo File Name: 6185

Orientation: W

Date of Photo: 12/11/2023

Time of Photo: 2:44 PM

Latitude: 33.186475

Longitude: -92.618217

Photographer: Chelsey Sherwood

Description: This photo was taken looking W at the facility showing an open and uncapped secondary containment drainage valve outside of secondary containment and water below it.