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**APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION
TO INJECT - OCD FORM C-108
EUNICE MONUMENT SOUTH UNIT
EUNICE MONUMENT OIL POOL
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

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State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Dept.
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Attention: Ms. Lori Wrotenbery, Director

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Chevron U.S.A. Production Co. requests your approval of the subject application to inject water into the following Eunice Monument South Unit Wells:

- EMSU No. 222 located in Unit O, Sec. 6, T21S-R36E, Lea County, New Mexico,
- EMSU No. 252 located in Unit W, Sec. 6, T21S-R36E, Lea County, New Mexico,
- EMSU No. 196 located in Unit E, Sec. 5, T21S-R36E, Lea County, New Mexico
- EMSU No. 575 located in Unit N, Sec. 31, T20S-R37E, Lea County, New Mexico.

Chevron plans on converting these producers to an injection as part of an ongoing infill drilling and pattern re-alignment program. These conversions will provide the much needed injection support in this area and enhance the production of the EMSU secondary recovery unit.

Attached is an OCD Form C-108 with information relative to the water injection conversion of the referenced wells.

A copy of this letter and application is being sent to applicable surface land owners and offset operators by certified mail as their notice.

Your prompt consideration and approval of this application will be greatly appreciated. If further information is required, please contact me at (915) 687-7260.