

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**APPLICATION OF CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. FOR A NON-STANDARD SPACING AND
PRORATION UNIT, AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 15200

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

Michael H. Feldewert, attorney in fact and authorized representative of Chevron U.S.A. Inc., the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the above-referenced Application has been provided under the notice letter and proof of receipts attached hereto.




Michael H. Feldewert

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 17th day of September 2014 by Michael
H. Feldewert.



OFFICIAL SEAL
LISAMARIE ORTIZ
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF NEW MEXICO
My commission expires **01/11/15**



Notary Public

**BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
Exhibit No. 9
Submitted by: CHEVRON U.S.A., INC.
Hearing Date: September 17, 2014**

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August 29, 2014

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
CERTIFIED RECEIPT REQUESTED

TO: ALL INTEREST OWNERS SUBJECT TO POOLING PROCEEDINGS

**Re: APPLICATION OF CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. FOR A NON-STANDARD
SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT, AND COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
(Gramma Ridge 14-24-34-8H Well)**

Ladies & Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that Chevron U.S.A. Inc., has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. This application will be set for hearing before a Division Examiner at 8:15 a.m. on September 18, 2014. The hearing will be held in Porter Hall in the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe Offices located at 1220 South Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Parties appearing in cases are required by Division Rule 19.15.4.13.B to file a Pre-hearing Statement four days in advance of a scheduled hearing. This statement must be filed at the Division's Santa Fe office at the above specified address and should include: the names of the parties and their attorneys; a concise statement of the case; the names of all witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time the party will need to present its case; and identification of any procedural matters that are to be resolved prior to the hearing.

If you have any questions about this matter please contact Cody Cole, at (713) 372-1103 or ccole@chevron.com.

Sincerely,

Michael H. Feldewert

Holland & Hart LLP

Phone [505] 988-4421 **Fax** [505] 983-6043 **www.hollandhart.com**

110 North Guadalupe Suite 1 Santa Fe, NM 87501 **Mailing Address** P.O. Box 2208 Santa Fe, NM 87504-2208

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TO: OFFSETTING LESSEES AND OPERATORS

**RE: APPLICATION OF CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. FOR A NON-STANDARD
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This letter is to advise you that Chevron U.S.A. Inc. has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. *Your interests are not being pooled under this application*, but as a lessee or operator in an offsetting tract, you are entitled to notice of this application.

This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner at 8:15 AM on September 14, 2014. The hearing will be held in Porter Hall in the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe Offices located at 1220 South Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

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**CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.
GRAMMA RIDGE 14-24-34-8H WELL**

OFFSETS

Energex, LLC
Attn.: Tim Lilley
4425 98th Street, Suite 200
Lubbock Texas 79424

Crump Energy Partners, LLC
Attn.: Brian Hall
P.O. Box 50820
Midland, Texas 79710

Partners IV, LP
Attn.: Brian Hall
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Midland, TX 79701

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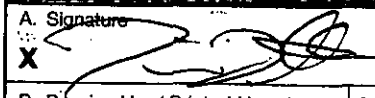
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P.O. Box 50820
Midland, Texas 79710

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Partners IV, LP
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[Signature] ☒ Agent ☐ Addressee

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Robert E. Landreth
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Carter Legacy, LLC
 5331 85th St.
 Lubbock, TX 79424

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A. Signature ☒ Agent ☐ Addressee
 X Donna P. Landreth

B. Received by (Printed Name) Donna P. Landreth C. Date of Delivery

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ Yes ☐ No
 If YES, enter delivery address below:

3. Service Type
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A. Signature ☐ Agent ☐ Addressee
 X S.T. Pugh

B. Received by (Printed Name) Steve P. Pugh C. Date of Delivery

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ Yes ☐ No
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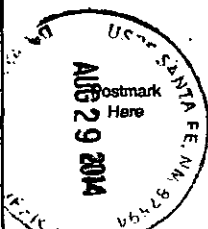
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Burlington Resources Oil &
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 Midland, TX 79702

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 Midland, TX 79702

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A. Signature
 x Robert Foree ☒ Agent ☐ Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name) C. Date of Delivery
 R. Foree 9-2-14

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Babe Development LLC
 Attn: Shari Hamilton
 P.O. Box 758
 Roswell New Mexico, 88202

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4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) ☐ Yes

A. Signature: *Tracee Porter*

B. Received by (Printed Name): *Tracee Porter*

C. Date of Delivery: *Aug 29 2014*

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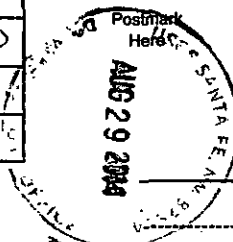
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Sandi Miller
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Sandi Miller
 1015 Fern Dr.
 Roswell, NM 88203

2. Article Number

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A. Signature

X *J Miller*

☐ Agent

☐ Addressee

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