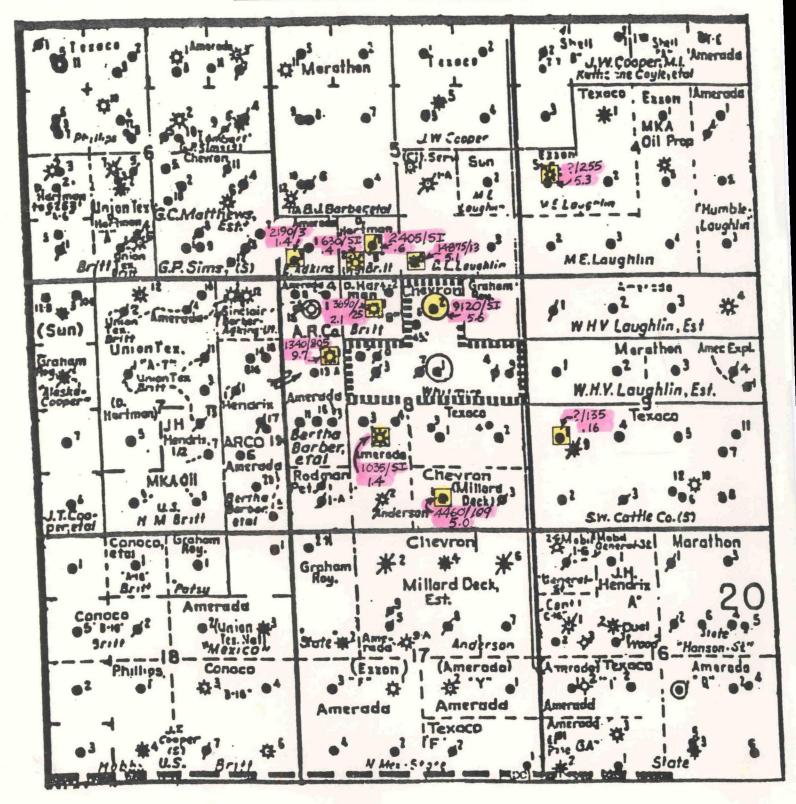
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WILLIAM F. CARR, attorney in fact and authorized representative of Chevron U.S.A., Inc., the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the notice provisions of Rule 1207 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division have been complied with, that Applicant has caused to be conducted a good faith diligent effort to find the correct addresses of all interested persons entitled to receive notice as shown by Exhibit "A" attached hereto, and that pursuant to Rule 1207, notice has been given at the correct addresses provided by such rule.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this (Hh day of March, 1990.

My Commission Expires:

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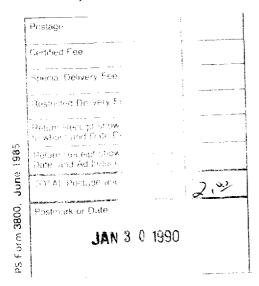
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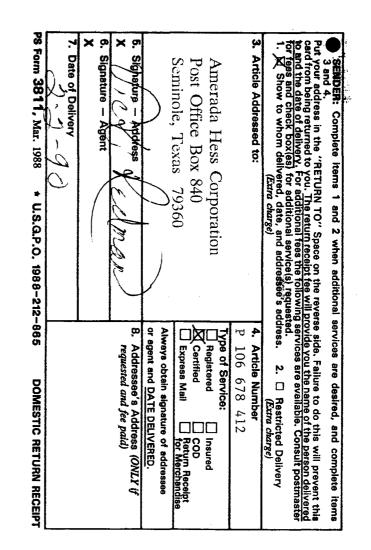
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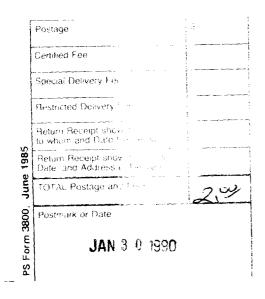
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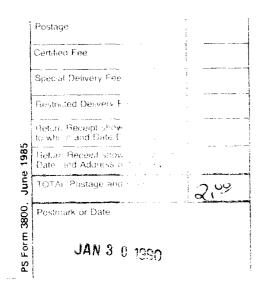
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January 30, 1990

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OXY U.S.A., Inc. Post Office Box 1919 Midland, Texas 79702

Re: Application of Chevron U.S.A., Inc. for a Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Simultaneous Dedication, Lea County, New Mexico

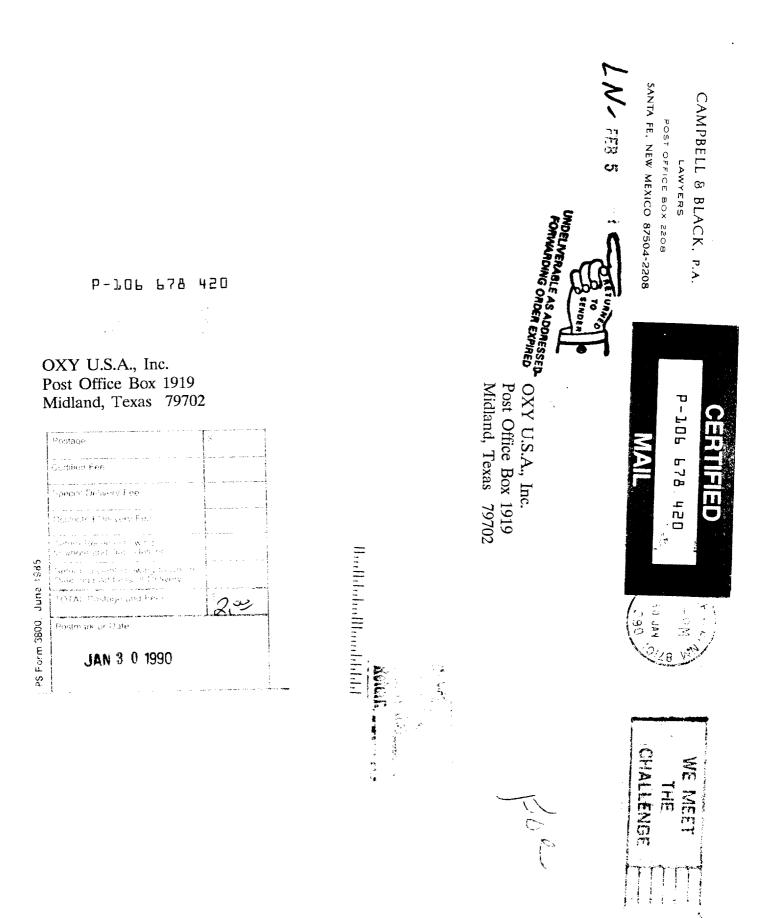
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Very truly yours WILLIAM F. CARR

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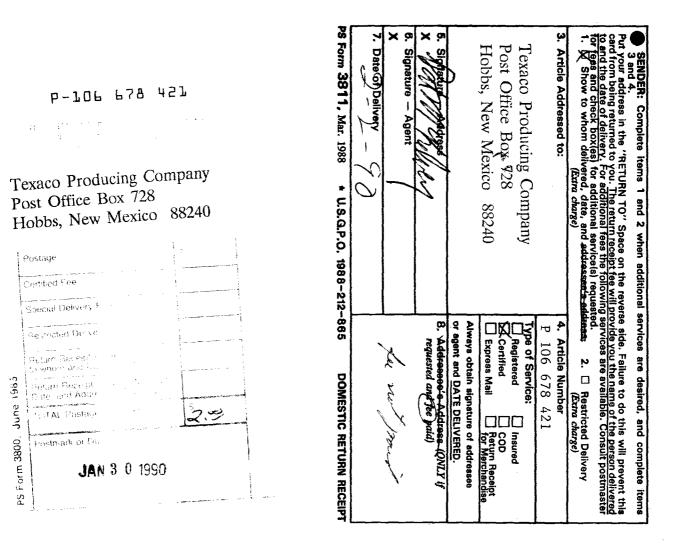
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Union Texas Petroleum 365 U.S. Highway 64 Farmington, New Mexico 87401

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Rodman Petroleum Corp. Post Office Box 12250 Odessa, Texas 79768

> Re: Application of Chevron U.S.A., Inc. for a Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Simultaneous Dedication, Lea County, New Mexico

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OIL CONSERVATION LIV. SANTA FE

William J. LeMay, Director
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources
State Land Office Building
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

> Re: Oil Conservation Division Case No. 9878: Application of Chevron U.S.A., Inc. for a Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Simultaneous Dedication, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed are waivers which Chevron U.S.A., Inc. has received as of this date in response to its original application for administrative approval of the above-referenced application for a 160-acre non-standard Eumont gas proration unit and simultaneous dedication in Section 8 of Township 20 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico. Since Mr. Hartman has withdrawn his objection, the only parties from whom waivers have not currently been received are Exxon Company USA, MKA Oil Properties, and Marathon Oil Company. However, all of these companies were, provided with notice of this application by certified mail, in January, and have not objected to this proposal. William J. LeMay, Director Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources March 2, 1990 Page Two

Your attention to our request for administrative approval is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR Enclosure WFC:mlh cc w/enc.: Mr. Ray Vaden Land Representative Chevron U.S.A., Inc. Post Office Box 1635 Houston, Texas 77251

> Mr. A.H. Bohling Chevron U.S.A., Inc. Post Office Box 670 Hobs, New Mexico 88240

Mr. Harry T. Nutter Gallegos Law Firm 141 E. Palace Avenue Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501





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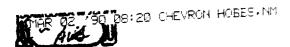
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OIL CONSERVATION DIV. SANTA FE

Application For A 160-Acre Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Simultaneous Dedication of Acreage Eumont Y-SR-QN (Pro Gas) Pool Section 8, T20S, R37E Lea County, New Mexico

WAIVER TO OBJECTION

Company:	TEXACO U.S.A.
Representative:	J. A. Head
Signature:	_ Aa Hear
Title:	Area Manager
Date:	January 15, 1990



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CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. Bertie Whitmire Lease

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WAIVER TO OBJECTION

Company:	Union Texas Petroleum
Representative:	G. T. Lepley
Signature:	S.J.Lepley
Title:	Manager Reservoir Engineering
Date:	February 7, 1990



CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. Bertie Whitmire Lease

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WAIVER TO OBJECTION

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Company:	AMERADA HESS CORP.
Representative:	GRANT B. MILLER
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Title:	OPERATIONS MANAGER
Date:	1/15/90

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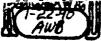


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Title:	Dist Engr
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February 27, 1990

VIA HAND DELIVERY

William J. LeMay, Director
Oil Conservation Division
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
State Land Office Building
Old Santa Fe Trail
P.O. Box 2208
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

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FEB 27 1990

OIL CONSERVATION DIV.

RE: Application of Doyle Hartman for Approval of a 280-Acre Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit, Compulsory Pooling and Simultaneous Dedication for the Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and two copies of the referenced Application and an additional copy which we request you stamp as received and return to us for our file. Pursuant to Rule 1207(a) 1 and 3 of the Rules on Procedure, we have notified by certified mail, return receipt requested, those parties listed on Exhibit "B" to the Application as stated therein. We will provide the certificates or return receipts evidencing such notification, or attempted notification, at the hearing on the Application. We respectfully request you publish notice of the enclosed Application according to Rules 1204 and 1205 and place the enclosed Application on the docket for hearing before an Examiner on March 21, 1990.

Please be advised that, pursuant to the letter agreements referenced on Exhibit "B" of the enclosed Application, Doyle Hartman has reached definitive written agreements to acquire the working interest of Oxy USA, Inc. ("Oxy") within the SE/4 of Section 5 and the NE/4 NE/4 of Section 8, as well as the working interest of Oryx Energy Company ("Oryx") in the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 5, all in Township 20 South, Range 37 East, Lea County New Mexico. Oxy had previously applied to the Division in Case No. 9884 for a non-standard Eumont gas proration unit consisting of 200 acres, being the SE/4 of said Section 5 and the NE/4 NE/4 of said Section 8. Because Hartman has now acquired the working interests previously held by Oxy and Oryx in those tracts and has included such acreage within the 280-acre non-standard Eumont gas proration proposed in the enclosed Application, we expect Oxy to withdraw its Application No. 9884. In the event Oxy fails to do so, we respectfully request the Division to dismiss Application No. 9884 prior to its scheduled hearing on March 7, 1990.

*Also admitted in the District of Columbia **Also admitted in California ***Also admitted in Texas † Admitted only in Colorado William J. LeMay, Director February 27, 1990 Page Two

Reference is made to our letter dated February 13, 1990, a copy of which is attached for your convenience, in which we filed an Application on behalf of Doyle Hartman for a 200-acre, or in the alternative a 160-acre, non-standard Eumont gas proration unit, which Application was subsequently assigned Case No. 9885. We also requested in that letter that such Application be set for hearing on March 7, 1990, and consolidated with the Application filed by Chevron USA, Inc. ("Chevron") in Case No. 9878, which had been postponed from February 21 until the March 7th hearing docket. We hereby withdraw Application No. 9885 and request that it be dismissed at the hearing on March 7, 1990. Reference is also made to the letter from Doyle Hartman to you dated January 18, 1990, a copy of which is also attached for your convenience, in which Doyle Hartman objected to Chevron's Application No. 9878. Please be advised that Doyle Hartman has no objection to the formation of the 160acre non-standard Eumont gas proration unit as proposed in Chevron's Application No. 9878 and hereby withdraws his objection as stated in the previous correspondence dated January 18, 1990.

Your prompt attention to these matters will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

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By HARRY T. NUTTER

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Enclosures

cc: Doyle Hartman, Oil Operator (w/enc.) Dan Nutter (w/enc.)

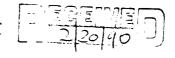
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February 13, 1990



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OIL CONSERVATION DIV.

SANTA FE

William J. LeMay, Director Oil Conservation Division Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department State Land Office Building Old Santa Fe Trail P.O. Box 2008 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

> RE: Application of Doyle Hartman for Approval of Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Compulsory Pooling for Eumont Pool, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and two copies of the referenced Application and an additional copy which we request you stamp as received and return to us. Pursuant to Rule 1207(a) 1 and 3 of the Rules on Procedure, we have notified by certified mail, return receipt requested, those parties listed on Exhibit "C" to the Application as stated therein. We will provide the returned receipts evidencing such notification, or attempted notification, at the hearing requested below.

We respectfully request the enclosed Application be placed on the docket for hearing before an Examiner on March 7, 1990. We understand the application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc., Case No. 9878, which proposes to encompass portions of the acreage embraced by the enclosed Application of Doyle Hartman, has been postponed



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until the March 7th docket according to the letter we received from Bill Carr, attached hereto. Therefore, we further request that Hartman's Application be consolidated for hearing with Case No. 9878 in order to obviate duplicative proceedings and expedite a fair resolution of these matters.

Your prompt attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

GALLEGOS LAW FIRM

By Harry J. J. vitten HARRY T. NUTTER

HTN:ap

Enclosures and Attachment

cc: Doyle Hartman, Oil Operator (w/enc. and attach.) Dan Nutter (w/enc.) William F. Carr, Esq. (w/enc.)

DOYLE HARTMAN

Oil Operator

500 N. MAIN

Р.О. ВОХ 10426 MIDLAND. TEXAS 79702

> (915) 684-4011 January 18, 1990

FEDERAL EXPRESS

State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division 310 Old Santa Fe Trail Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

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Attention: Mr. William J. LeMay

Re: Administrative Application for Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Simultaneous Dedication W/2 NE/4, SE/4 NE/4 & SE/4 NW/4 Section 8, T-20-S, R-37-E Lea County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Under date of January 3, 1990, Chevron USA, Inc. made application for administrative approval for a 160-acre non-standard Eumont gas proration unit comprising the W/2 NE/4, SE/4 NE/4 and SE/4 NW/4 of Section 8, T-20-S, R-37-E, Lea County, New Mexico. Also under date of January 3, 1990, and received in our office on January 10, 1990, Chevron requested Doyle Hartman waive any objection to the proposed non-standard Eumont gas proration unit and simultaneous dedication of acreage.

Enclosed please find two executed copies of a <u>Conditional</u> Waiver to Objection from Doyle Hartman, subject to Chevron's agreement to the terms and conditions set forth in that certain letter dated January 16, 1990 from Doyle Hartman to Chevron, copy enclosed.

In the event the NMOCD elects to grant administrative approval to Chevron's request for the proposed non-standard gas proration unit and simultaneous dedication, we assume such approval will be "conditional", per our Conditional Waiver to Objection and subject to the terms and conditions of that certain letter dated January 16, 1990 from Doyle Hartman to Chevron USA, Inc. However, in the event the NMOCD proposes to grant administrative approval to Chevron's request on any basis other than "conditional", we formally object. Oil Conservation Division January 18, 1990 Page 2

If you have any questions relative to this matter, please contact Mr. Hartman or the undersigned at 915/684-4011.

Sincerely,

DOYLE HARIMAN Bryan E. Jones Landman

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cc State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division District I Post Office Box 1980 Hobbs, New Mexico 88240 Attention: Mr. Jerry Sexton

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Chevron USA, Inc. Post Office Box 670 Hobbs, New Mexico 88240 Attention: Mr. Alan W. Bohling

CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. Bertie Whitmire Lease

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CONDITIONAL

WAIVER TO OBJECTION

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Company:	DOYLE HARTMAN
Representative:	BRYAN E JONES
Signature:	
Title:	LANDALAN
Date:	JANUARY 16, 1990