

## STATE OF NEW MEXICO

## ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION HOBBS DISTRICT OFFICE

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| OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION P. O. BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501 RE: Proposed:  MC | ose chi.              | 9164   |  |
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| Gentlemen:  |                       |        |  |
| I have examined the applica   | ation for the:        |        |  |
| The hope of the   | Lease & Well No. Unit | 262032 |  |
| Operator  | Lease & Well No. Unit | S-T-R  |  |
| and my recommendations are  | as follows:           |        |  |
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| Will require hearing  |                       |        |  |
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| Yours very truly,   |                       |        |  |
| Larue Sexo  |                       |        |  |
| Jerry Sexton Suppryison District 1  |                       |        |  |
| Supervisor, District 1  |                       |        |  |

## Chevron U.S.A. Inc. P.O. Box 670, Hobbs, NM 88240

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NMOCD DOCKET NO. 21-87
CASE NO. 9164
PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY
DOWNHOLE COMMINGLE APPLICATION
EUMONT QUEEN & EUNICE MONUMENT
GRAYBURG-SAN ANDRES PRODUCTION
IN THEIR NEW WELL NO. 2,
UNIT H, SECTION 26, T-20-S,
R-36-E, LEA COUNTY, NM

State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Attn: Mr. William J. LeMay, Director

## Gentlemen:

This letter is to inform the Oil Conservation Division that Chevron U.S.A. Inc. currently has no objection to Phillips' application in the subject Case No. 9164. However, we do suggest that a requirement of separately testing each zone on a periodic basis, as determined by the Commission, be incorporated in any Orders which may grant approval for Phillips to downhole commingle as advertised in Case No. 9164, Docket No. 21-87.

Chevron is making this request in view of the fact that Phillips' new Well No. 2, for which the downhole commingling application is being made, directly offsets Chevron's Eunice Monument South Unit waterflood project. This waterflood project is currently injecting into the Eunice Monument - Grayburg - San Andres zone. It is conceivable that as the waterflood matures and fill-up is achieved, pressuring-up of this zone may occur thus causing a possible cross-flow into the depleted Eumont gas zone. This could result in possible future waste of oil resources.

Your consideration of this request in making your final Orders in Case No. 9164, Docket No. 21-87 would be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

F. R. C. ANDERSON

cc: Mr. Jerry Sexton
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