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

APPLICATION OF TAP ROCK RESOURCES, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NOS. 21568, 21572, 21771

UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE AND TO VACATE THE DECEMBER 16, 2021 HEARING, AND TO VACATE THE PRE-HEARING ORDER AND DEADLINES

Chevron U.S.A., Inc. ("Chevron") submits this unopposed motion to (1) continue Tap Rock Resources, LLC cases 21568, 21572, 21771 to January 20, 2022; (2) vacate the contested hearing currently set for the December 6, 2021; (3) vacate the Pre-hearing order and deadlines; and (4) set these cases for a contested haring on January 20, 2022.

- 1. The above-referenced cases are set for hearing on December 16, 2021 pursuant to the Pre-Hearing Order issued on September 23, 2021.
- Chevron intends to file applications which compete with Tap Rock cases 21568,
 21572, 21771 the first week of December following the expiration of the election deadline in Chevron's proposals.
- 3. Chevron's applications should be heard in conjunction with and be consolidated with Tap Rock's cases.
- 4. Chevron will notify the Division and the parties when it files its competing applications so that the competing applications can be consolidated with the Tap Rock cases and combined in a single pre-hearing order.
 - 5. Tap Rock, the only other party of record, does not oppose this request.

For the foregoing reasons Chevron respectfully requests the Division (1) continue Tap Rock cases 21568, 21572, 21771 to January 20, 2022; (2) vacate the contested hearing currently

set for the December 6, 2021; (3) vacate the Pre-hearing order and deadlines, and (4) set these cases, along with the to-be-filed Chevron cases, for a contested haring on January 20, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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