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**NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
- Engineering Bureau -  
1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



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*Central Vacuum Unit*  
RECEIVED OGD #222

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**ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

**Application Acronyms:**

- [NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]  
 [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]  
 [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]  
 [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]  
 [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]  
 [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

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- [1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION** - Check Those Which Apply for [A]  
 [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication  
 NSL  NSP  SD

GRID 4323  
API 30-025-31785  
Well No Vacuum Glorieta West Unit  
located K 25 17S 34E

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

- [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement  
 DHC  CTB  PLC  PC  OLS  OLM

- [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery  
 WFX  PMX  SWD  IPI  EOR  PPR

[D] Other: Specify \_\_\_\_\_

- [2] **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** - Check Those Which Apply, or  Does Not Apply

- [A]  Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners  
 [B]  Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner  
 [C]  Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice  
 [D]  Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO  
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office  
 [E]  For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,  
 [F]  Waivers are Attached

- [3] **SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.**

- [4] **CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Denise Pinkerton      Denise Pinkerton      Regulatory Specialist      6-01-12  
 Print or Type Name      Signature      Title      Date  
Leaked@chevron.com  
 e-mail Address



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June 01, 2012

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504  
Attn: Mr. David Brooks

Re: **Request for Administrative Approval**

Non-Standard Location

Central Vacuum Unit #222 (Presently Vacuum Glorieta West Unit #29)

30-025-31785

2522' FSL & 2283' FWL

Unit K, Sec 25, T17S, R34E

Lea County, New Mexico

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. respectfully requests administrative approval for a Non-Standard location, for the Central Vacuum Unit Well #222. This well is presently the Vacuum Glorieta West Unit #29, which is a TA'd wellbore with no further potential in the Vacuum Glorieta West Unit unitized interval. Reviewing its salvage opportunities, the only reservoir affording the potential to recover additional hydrocarbons is the San Andres formation. If the San Andres cannot be produced, the well will be plugged and abandoned. This well is located within the unit boundary of the Central Vacuum Unit, however it is located only 118' from a quarter/quarter section line which is also a northern boundary of the Central Vacuum Unit making it an unorthodox location. The San Andres reservoir on the property to the north (the direction of unit boundary encroachment) is produced under primary recovery methods only and the 40 acre proration unit offsetting this proposal has one remaining San Andres completion which is marginally producing at 3 BOPD, 1 MCFPD and 180 BWPD. This recompletion is necessary to salvage the wellbore and potentially access San Andres reserves at the subject location.

A copy of this application has been mailed via certified mail to XTO & Exxon Mobil for their consideration.

If you require additional information, please contact me at 432-687-7375, or by email at: [leakejd@chevron.com](mailto:leakejd@chevron.com).

Sincerely,

Denise Pinkerton

Regulatory Specialist

Enclosure cc: NMOCD – District 1; Hobbs

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
Phone: (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
Phone: (575) 748-1283 Fax: (575) 848-9720  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
Phone: (505) 334-6178 Fax: (505) 334-6170  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505  
Phone: (505) 476-3460 Fax: (505) 476-3462

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-102  
Revised August 1, 2011  
Submit one copy to appropriate  
District Office

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number 30-025-31785		<sup>2</sup> Pool Code 62180		<sup>3</sup> Pool Name VACUUM; GRAYBURG, SAN ANDRES	
<sup>4</sup> Property Code		<sup>5</sup> Property Name CENTRAL VACUUM UNIT (PRESENTLY Vacuum Glorieta West Unit #29)			<sup>6</sup> Well Number 222
<sup>7</sup> OGRID No. 4323		<sup>8</sup> Operator Name CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.			<sup>9</sup> Elevation

<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
K	25	17-S	34-E		2522	SOUTH	2283	WEST	LEA

<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County

<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres 40	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order No.
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No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interests have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.

	<p><b><sup>17</sup> OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</b> I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.</p> <p><i>Denise Pinkerton</i> 06-01-2012 Signature Date</p> <p>DENISE PINKERTON REGULATORY SPECIALIST Printed Name</p> <p>lcakejd@chevron.com E-mail Address</p>
	<p><b><sup>18</sup> SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</b> I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.</p> <p>Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor:</p>
	<p>Certificate Number</p>

**NOTIFICATION LIST**

**Prepared 5/24/2012 by Daniel Pequeno, Senior Land Representative**

Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for Administrative Approval of a Non-Standard Well Location:

**Central Vacuum Unit Well No. 222 (API #30-025-31785)**

**(AKA Vacuum Glorieta West Unit Well No. 29WI)**

2,522' FSL & 2,283' FWL

Section 25, T-17-S, R-34E, Unit Letter K

Lea County, New Mexico

**Offset Operators, Working Interest Owners, N/2 of Section 25, T17S-R34E:**

Mobil Producing Texas & New Mexico Inc.  
P. O. Box 4707  
Houston, Texas 77210-4707

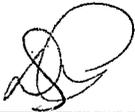
XTO Energy Inc.  
810 Houston Street, Suite 2000  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102-6298

Chevron U.S.A. Inc.  
15 Smith Road  
Midland, Texas 79705

**Surface Owner for All of Section 25, T-17-S-R34E:**

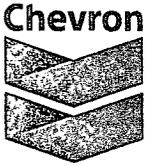
State of New Mexico  
Commissioner of Public Lands  
P. O. Box 1148  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-1148

Signed By: \_\_\_\_\_



Daniel Pequeno, Landman

Date: May 24, 2012



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A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Denise Pinkerton".

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