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

APPLICATION OF GOODNIGHT MIDSTREAM PERMIAN, LLC TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-22506 (SWD-2392) FOR A ONE YEAR EXTENSION TO COMMENCE INJECTION OPERATIONS, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Case No. 24491

ORDER TO STAY PROCEEDINGS

THIS MATTER came before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (Division) on Goodnight Midstream Permian's Application to amend Division Order R-22506 for an extension of time and Empire New Mexico LLC's Application to Revoke the Injection Authority Granted Under same in Case Number 24021.

Goodnight's Well is close to the Eunice Monument South Unit, which is the subject of intense litigation before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission (Commission). The Commission is conducting a week-long evidentiary hearing in September 2024 and will decide factual and legal issues that will be dispositive in Case Number 24491 and other cases currently stayed at the Division level. The Commission's decisions will prevent waste, protect correlative rights, and the stay will conserve administrative resources.

For the foregoing reasons, the proceedings in Case Number 24491 are hereby stayed until the Commission enters a final order. Upon the filing of a motion to continue, Case No. 24491 will be added to the Division's November 11, 2024, docket for a status conference.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

GREGORY CHAKALIAN HEARING EXAMINER