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August 14, 2006

Removal from Hearing Docket

Re: Re-instate Non-Standard Proration Unit and Unorthodox Location
Order R-7179
Section 12, T20S, R37E
Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals, & Natural Resources Dept.

Energy, Minerals, & Natural Resources Dept Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Case 13768

Dear Oil & Gas Regulatory Department:

Chevron Corporation respectfully requests that the hearing scheduled for August 31, 2006 for the following well be removed from the docket: re-instate the Non-Standard Proration Unit and Unorthodox Location for the CH Weir A #12 in the Skaggs Abo Gas Pool (Order R-7179) (applicant reference No. pTDS0-619152979).

Due to staffing issues, we do not currently have the resources to attend and/or prepare for this hearing.

If you have any questions, please contact Keith Lopez at (432)-687-7120 or by email at LOPK@CHEVRON.COM.

Sincerely,

Keith Lopez

Petroleum Engineer

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Attachments

cc: NMOCD District 1 – Hobbs, NM Keith Lopez Well File