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May 30, 2007

PATRICK H. LYONS

COMMISSIONER

Chevron Midcontinent, L.P. 11111 S. Wilcrest Houston, TX 77099

Attn: Kristy Ward

Re: Designation of Successor Unit Operator

West Lovington Unit Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Ward:

Our records reflect that Chevron Midcontinent, L.P. is operating the West Lovington Unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Our records reflect that Pure Resources, LP is still the operator of record for this unit. Since a change of operator has not been approved by this office, Chevron Midcontinent, L.P. is operating the West Lovington Unit without authority.

In view of the above, please submit within (30) days, a resignation from Pure Resources, LP and the designation of Chevron Midcontinent, L.P. as successor unit operator to this office for approval. Chevron Midcontinent, L.P. must also accept the duties and responsibilities as the successor unit operator in writing.

If you have any questions or if we may be of further help, please contact Pete Martinez at (505) 827-5791.

Very truly yours,

PATRICK H. LYONS COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

JAMI BAILEY, Director

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cc: Pure Resources, LP