

February 15, 1994

M. Reed Gilmore Attorney Law Department

> VIA FACSIMILE (505) 983-6043

Mr. William F. Carr Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan P. O. Box 2208 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2208

> Re: OCD Case No. 10541 (Reopened) Division Order No. R-9773-A East Herradura Bend - Delaware Pool Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Bill:

In reference to the captioned case to be heard at the Examiner Hearing on February 17, 1994, Chevron will support the adoption of the existing temporary pool rules as permanent rules for the field. Therefore, I request that you, on behalf of Chevron, please read the following statement into the Examiner's record.

Mr. Examiner, Chevron U.S.A. Production Company, pursuant to its current drilling program for the East Herradura Bend - Delaware Field, has completed four wells, is currently drilling one well, and has staked seven wells, all in Section 1, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, which lies on the southern margin of the East Herradura Bend - Delaware Field. The economics of this drilling program were developed based upon a continuation of the current temporary GOR allowable of 10,000 to 1. The negative economic impact of a substantially lower GOR would jeopardize continuation of this drilling program. Therefore, Chevron requests that the OCD adopt the existing temporary pool rules as permanent rules for the field.

We appreciate your representation of Chevron in this matter. Should you have any questions or need additional information for the benefit of the Examiner, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

Meddland fe M. Reed Gilmore

MRG:yj cc: D. J. Rittersbacher

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



<u>=prug</u> free

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

(505) 827-5800

BRUCE KING GOVERNOR

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

February 1, 1994

Bird Creek Resources, Inc. Box 21470 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74121

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-9773-A entered on July 15, 1993, the Oil Conservation Division is reopening Case No. 10541 in order to give all operators in the East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, the opportunity to appear and present evidence and testimony to show cause why the special limiting gas-oil ratio for said East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool should remain in effect.

This case will be heard before an examiner on February 17, 1994, in Morgan Hall, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 8:15 a.m. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Florene Mavidson

Florene Davidson OC Staff Specialist

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

DRUG FREE

POST OFFICE BOX 2088

STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

(505) 827-5800

BRUCE KING GOVERNOR

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

February 1, 1994

Fortson Oil Company 301 Commerce St., Suite 301 Fort Worth, Texas 76102

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-9773-A entered on July 15, 1993, the Oil Conservation Division is reopening Case No. 10541 in order to give all operators in the East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, the opportunity to appear and present evidence and testimony to show cause why the special limiting gas-oil ratio for said East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool should remain in effect.

This case will be heard before an examiner on February 17, 1994, in Morgan Hall, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 8:15 a.m. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Florene Davidson

Florene Davidson OC Staff Specialist



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

DRUG FREE

POST OFFICE BOX 2088

STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

(505) 827-5800

BRUCE KING GOVERNOR

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

February 1, 1994

Hanley Petroleum, Inc. 415 W. Wall, Suite 1500 Midland, Texas 79704

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-9773-A entered on July 15, 1993, the Oil Conservation Division is reopening Case No. 10541 in order to give all operators in the East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, the opportunity to appear and present evidence and testimony to show cause why the special limiting gas-oil ratio for said East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool should remain in effect.

This case will be heard before an examiner on February 17, 1994, in Morgan Hall, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 8:15 a.m. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Florene Davidson

Florene Davidson OC Staff Specialist



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

(505) 827-5800

BRUCE KING GOVERNOR

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

February 1, 1994

Harvey E. Yates Company P. O. Box 1933 Roswell, New Mexico 88202

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-9773-A entered on July 15, 1993, the Oil Conservation Division is reopening Case No. 10541 in order to give all operators in the East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, the opportunity to appear and present evidence and testimony to show cause why the special limiting gas-oil ratio for said East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool should remain in effect.

This case will be heard before an examiner on February 17, 1994, in Morgan Hall, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 8:15 a.m. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Florene blavidson

Florene Davidson OC Staff Specialist



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

(505) 827-5800

BRUCE KING GOVERNOR

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

February 1, 1994

Ray Westall Box 4 Loco Hills, New Mexico 88255

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-9773-A entered on July 15, 1993, the Oil Conservation Division is reopening Case No. 10541 in order to give all operators in the East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, the opportunity to appear and present evidence and testimony to show cause why the special limiting gas-oil ratio for said East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool should remain in effect.

This case will be heard before an examiner on February 17, 1994, in Morgan Hall, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 8:15 a.m. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

rene blavidson

Florene Davidson OC Staff Specialist



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



POST OFFICE BOX 2088

STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

(505) 827-5800

BRUCE KING GOVERNOR

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

February 1, 1994

Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P. 500 W. Illinois Midland, Texas 79701

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-9773-A entered on July 15, 1993, the Oil Conservation Division is reopening Case No. 10541 in order to give all operators in the East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool in Eddy County, New Mexico, the opportunity to appear and present evidence and testimony to show cause why the special limiting gas-oil ratio for said East Herradura Bend-Delaware Pool should remain in effect.

This case will be heard before an examiner on February 17, 1994, in Morgan Hall, State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 8:15 a.m. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Florene hlavidson

Florene Davidson OC Staff Specialist



ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT



OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



BRUCE KING GOVERNOR

ANITA LOCKWOOD CABINET SECRETARY

POST OFFICE BOX 2088 STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504 (505) 827-5800

August 10, 1993

CAMBELL, CARR, BERGE & SHERIDAN Attorneys at Law P. O. Box 2208 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

RE: CASE NO. 10541 ORDER NO. R-9773-A

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two copies of the above-referenced Division order recently entered in the subject case.

Sincerely,

Sally Leichtle

Administrative Secretary

BLM Carlsbad Office cc: Donna McDonald - OCD Alvin Tapia - OCD Tom Kellahin James Bruce