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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO
RE-ENTER N.M. "H" NCT-I #28
SECTION 31, T-20-S, R-37-E
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Mr. Joe E. King
Texaco Producing Inc.
P. O. Box 728
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Attention: Don Steinaradt

Gentlemen:

On behalf of the Eunice Monument South Unit, Chevron, as Unit Operator, requests the approval by Texaco Producing Inc. for the re-entry and replugging of the New Mexico "H" (NCT-I) #28. This well is a Texaco property located in Unit P, Section 31, T-20-S, R-37-E of Lea County, New Mexico and is currently plugged and abandoned.

Although the present condition of the wellbore is not presenting a problem, once injection is begun near the wellbore the absence of cement at the top of the Grayburg may allow injection from adjacent water injectors to go out of zone. For this reason the subject well was cited as a problem well at the unitization hearing with the New Mexico Oil and Conservation Division. Chevron, as Unit Operator, proposes to re-enter the wellbore and replug the well in order to satisfy the NMOCD's ruling.

The aforementioned work is to be completed before injection can be initiated in the EMSU Waterflood Project. The work will be solely performed by Chevron and charged to the EMSU working interest owners.

If you approve our request to perform this work please sign the approval line below and return to us at your convenience. If you have any further questions contact Dennis L. Hendrix at (505) 393-4121.

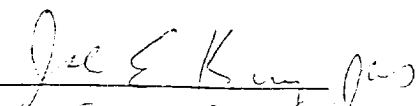
Yours very truly,


R. C. ANDERSON

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APPROVE:

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