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Administrative Application for Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Unorthodox Gas Well Location Tubb Oil and Gas Pool 1830' FSL and 660' FWL Unit L, Section 31, T22S, R38E Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept. Oil Conservation Division P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Attn: Mr. William J. Lemay Director

## Gentlemen:

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. respectfully requests Administrative Approval for a Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Unorthodox Gas Well Location on the Scarborough Estate No. 8. The proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit consists of 160 acres comprising the N/2 of the SW/4, the SE/4 of the NW/4, and the NW/4 of the SE/4 of Section 31, T22S, R38E. In support thereof, Chevron U.S.A. Inc. states the following facts:

- 1. This well was drilled and completed in 1963 as a dual completion in the South Brunson Ellenburger and Blinebry formations. Due to the depletion of hydrocarbon production in these zones, it is proposed to plug and abandon the current completion in the Ellenburger, squeeze off with cement the perforations in the Blinebry and complete the well in the Tubb Gas.
- 2. The proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit will meet the requirements for a Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit as follows:
  - a. The proposed unit consists to 160 contiguous acres.
  - b. The proposed unit lies wholly within a single governmental section in the Tubb Oil & Gas Pool
  - c. The entire proposed unit may be considered to be productive of gas from the Tubb Oil & Gas Pool.
  - d. A copy of this application will be sent by certified mail to all offset operators and shall serve as notification.

Unit L, Section 31, T22S, R38E 1830'FSL and 660'FWL

The well is located 1830' FSL and 660' FWL of Section 33, T22S, R38E, which equates to 510' from the south Scarborough Estate lease line.

In support of this application, attached is a plat outlining the proposed 160 acre Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit, the location of the subject well, and the ownership of all offset leases.

In view of the facts submitted, Chevron U.S.A. Inc. requests that Administrative Approval for the Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit and Unorthodox Gas Well Location be granted under the provisions of Rule 104.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at 915/687-7484.

Yours very truly,

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Enclosure

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