RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS HEARINGS DIVISION

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Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001745 January 6, 2020	9999	APPLICATION OF WPX ENERGY PERMIAN, LLC (942623) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE 32 FOR THE CBR 11-2 CFP AND CBR 32-29 CFP, SANDBAR (BONE SPRING) FIELD, LOVING COUNTY, TEXAS, DISTRICT 8

JOINT NOTICE OF HEARING

<u>Date, Location, and Place of Hearing</u>- Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, January 24, 2020, at the offices of the Railroad Commission of Texas (Commission) located in the William B. Travis State Office Building, at 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, in a room number to be posted on the bulletin board in the first-floor lobby. If the hearing is not concluded on the day it commences, it will be continued from day to day until concluded.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing in Oil and Gas Docket No. <u>OG-19-00001741, -1742, -1743, -1744 & -1745</u> was served on each of the persons named below by depositing same in the United States Mail, Inter-Agency Mail, or Inter-Agency E-Mail, as follows:

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR AT HEARING

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APPLICANT: WPX ENERGY PERMIAN, LLC (942623)

CASE/DOCKET NO.: OG-19-00001741, -1742, -1743, -1744, & -1745 STATUS NO.: ____, representing____ (Print Name) (Print Name) hereby enters this Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing as (Check one of the referenced party status): Applicant Protestant Observer or In Support of Application and states he/she or his/her representative will appear and participate at the hearing. I further certify that, as of today's date, I have mailed or delivered a copy of this Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing form to the Applicant at the address shown in the Certificate of Service. Signature Date Telephone: Area Code: (____) Email Address: (OPTIONAL - If provided, e-mail address will become part of this public record; See TEX. GOV'T CODE § 552.137) TIME ESTIMATE (total required for your presentation at the hearing): ADDRESS TO WHICH NOTICE WAS SENT: Is correct Is incorrect and should be corrected to: Street City State Zip Code ADDITIONAL NOTICE SHOULD BE SENT TO THE REPRESENTATIVE SHOWN BELOW: (Print Name)

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By requesting electronic service, all orders, proposals for decision, and other documents and communications to me in this docket will be provided to me by e-mail at the address set forth above. I will no longer receive paper copies of any documents in this docket. I also understand and agree that it is my responsibility to inform Docket Services and other parties of any changes to my e-mail address. By accepting the terms of this service my e-mail address will be shown on the service list of this docket and available to the Commission, other parties and will become part of this public record; See Tex Gov't Code §552.137. I am responsible for ensuring that my e-mail filters and settings allow the delivery of e-mails from the RRC and all other parties to this case. If the pleading contains 10 or fewer pages including exhibits, it may be filed by fax, email, or other approved electronic transmission with the Docket Services Section. If a party or authorized representative elect to file a pleading by email, the party or authorized representative agrees to be served by email and affirmatively consents to the release and disclosure of the email address.

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Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001736: This hearing is held to consider the application of WPX Energy Permian, LLC for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the CBR 10 Lease, Well Nos. 3H and 4H, CBR 12 Lease, Well Nos. 3H and 4H, CBR 14, Wells Nos. 2H and 4H, Phantom (Wolfcamp) (71052900) Field, in Loving County, Texas.

<u>Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001737</u>: This hearing is held to consider the application of WPX Energy Permian, LLC for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the CBR 16 Lease, Well Nos. 2H and 7H, CBR 18 Lease, Well Nos. 3H and 5H, CBR 22 CFP (08-7832) and CBR 22 CFP (08-7845), Phantom (Wolfcamp) (71052900) Field, in Loving County, Texas.

Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001738: This hearing is held to consider the application of WPX Energy Permian, LLC for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the CBR 22 Lease, Well No 5H, CBR 2 Lease, Well Nos. 2H and 4H, CBR 28 Lease, Well Nos. 3H and 7H, CBR 32 CFP, and CBR 32 Lease, Well No. 6H, Phantom (Wolfcamp) (71052900) Field, in Loving County, Texas.

Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001739: This hearing is held to consider the application of WPX Energy Permian, LLC for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the CBR 4 Lease, Well Nos. 2H, 3H and 6H, CBR 44A lease, Well No. 1H, CBR 6 Lease, Well Nos. 1H, 2H and 3H, Phantom (Wolfcamp) (71052900) Field, in Loving County, Texas.

Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001740: This hearing is held to consider the application of WPX Energy Permian, LLC for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for Golden 68 Lease, Well No. 2H, Lindsay 10 Lease, Well No. 8H, Lindsay 16 Lease, Well NO. 6H, Pecos State 46 Lease, Well Nos. 3H, 4H, and 6H, Phantom (Wolfcamp) (71052900) Field, in Loving County, Texas.

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I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing in Oil and Gas Docket No. <u>OG-19-00001735, -1736, -1737, -1738, -1739 & -1740</u> was served on each of the persons named below by depositing same in th United States Mail, Inter-Agency Mail, or Inter-Agency E-Mail, as follows:

ANADARKO E&P ONSHORE LLC DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC MAS OPERATING, CO ATTN: FRANK A. DAVIS 500 W. TEXAS AVE, SUITE 1200 P. O. BOX 52167 P.O. BOX 1330 MIDLAND, TX 79701 MIDLAND, TX 79710 HOUSTON, TX 77251 **ENDEAVOR ENERGY** MAYJAC I, LLC ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP RESOURCES, LP P. O. BOX 50190 110 N. MARIENFELD ST., SUITE ATTN: FRANK A. DAVIS MIDLAND, TX 79710 P.O. BOX 1330 200 HOUSTON, TX 77251 MIDLAND, TX 79701 MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY P. O. BOX 7698 TYLER, TEXAS 75711 APC WATER HOLDINGS 1, LLC EOG RESOURCES, INC ATTNL BERTHA NEFE ATTN: TIM VOGLER P. O. BOX 4362 P. O. BOX 1330 **NGL WATER SOLUTIONS** HOUSTON, TX 77251 HOUSTON, TX 77210 PERMIAN, LLC 1509 W. WALL ST, SUITE 306 ARCH OIL & GAS LLC FELIX ENERGY HOLDINGS II, LLC MIDLAND, TX 79701 16400 DALLAS PKWY, SUITE 305 1530 16TH STREET, SUITE 500 DALLAS, TX 75248 **DENVER, CO 80202** OLYMPIC OIL AND GAS CORPORATION **BETTIS BOYLE & STOVALL** FULFER OIL AND CATTLE CO. 12 E. GREENWAY PLAZA #920 P. O. BOX 1240 ATTN: DEBBIE MCKELVEY HOUSTON, TX 77046 GRAHAM, TX 76450 P. O. BOX 1224 ORLA PETCO, INC. JAL, NM 88252 **BPX OPERATING COMPANY** P. O. BOX 695 1700 PLATTE ST **GREAT WESTERN DRILLING** MIDLAND, TX 79702 **DENVER, CO 80202** COMPANY 700 W. LOUISIANA **OXY USA INC** BRECK OPERATING CORP. MIDLAND, TX 79701 5 GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 110 P. O. BOX 911 HOUSTON, TX 77046 BRECKENRIDGE, TX 76424 HOME PETROLEUM CORP. P. O. BOX 2982 **OXY US WTP INC BUSTAMANTE OIL COMPANY** VICTORIA, TX 77902 C/O KELLEY MONTGOMERY P. O. BOX 50923 P. O. BOX 4294 MIDLAND, TX 79710 LEGACY RESERVES OPERATING, HOUSTON, TX 77210 LP BUSTAMANTE RESOURCES, LLC P. O. BOX 10848 PDC PERMIAN, INC. P. O. BOX 50923 MIDLAND, TX 77902 1775 SHERMAN ST, SUITE 3000 MIDLAND, TX 79710 **DENVER, CO 80203** LICON OIL CO. CIMAREX ENERGY CO. PEARCE, ROY F. JR 1719 S. EDDY PECOS, TX 79772 ATTN: GENEA HOLLOWAY **BOX 953** 202 S. CHEYENNE AVE, SUITE MIDLAND, TX 79702 1000 LINEAGE OIL, LLC

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On this the 9^{th} day of **January** 2020.

Joseph Menefe

Paralegal, Hearings Division
Railroad Commission of Texas



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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR AT HEARING

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APPLICANT: WPX ENERGY PERMIAN, LLC (942623)

CASE/DOCKET NO.: OG-19-00001735, -1736, -1737, -1738, -1739, & -1740 STATUS NO.: __, representing___ (Print Name) (Print Name) hereby enters this Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing as (Check one of the referenced party status): Applicant____ Protestant ____ Observer or ____ In Support of Application and states he/she or his/her representative will appear and participate at the hearing. I further certify that, as of today's date, I have mailed or delivered a copy of this Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing form to the Applicant at the address shown in the Certificate of Service. Signature Date Telephone: Area Code: (____) Email Address: (OPTIONAL - If provided, e-mail address will become part of this public record; See TEX. GOV'T CODE § 552.137) TIME ESTIMATE (total required for your presentation at the hearing): ______ ADDRESS TO WHICH NOTICE WAS SENT: ____ Is correct _ Is incorrect and should be corrected to: State Street City Zip Code ADDITIONAL NOTICE SHOULD BE SENT TO THE REPRESENTATIVE SHOWN BELOW: (Print Name)

City

Zip Code

State



RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS HEARINGS DIVISION

CONSENT TO ELECTRONIC SERVICE AND NOTIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS, RULINGS, DECISIONS, AND ORDERS

Effective September 1, 2015, Section 2001.142 (Notification of Decisions and Orders) of the Texas Government Code was amended to allow a state agency to notify each party to a contested case of any decision or order of the agency, if agreed to by the party to be notified, by electronic means sent to the current e-mail address of the party's attorney of record or of the party if the party is not represented by counsel. Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.142(a)(2).

Current rules of the Railroad Commission of Texas ("Commission") require the Commission to serve "a pleading or document" by "hand-delivering a copy to the person to be served, or by first class, certified, or registered mail, commercial delivery service, fax, email, or by such other manner as the Commission may require." Commission Practice and Procedure rules, §1.45(e)(2) and §1.45(b). According to §1.45(b)(1)(D), "Service by email may be used if the person to be served consents to be served by email pursuant to §1.27 or §1.32 of this title (relating to Parties and Authorized representatives, and Form and Content of Pleadings, respectively). If the person consents to be served by email, the person affirmatively consents to the release and disclosure of the email address. Email service is complete on the date of the email transmission. An email received after 5 p.m. local time of the recipient shall be deemed served on the following business day."

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In lieu of service and notification by mail,	_(party_name_or
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the Railroad Commission of Texas in Docket No.	by the following electronic
means:	
[] E-mail at:	
Authorized by:	(signature)
	(print name)
	(firm)

By requesting electronic service, all orders, proposals for decision, and other documents and communications to me in this docket will be provided to me by e-mail at the address set forth above. I will no longer receive paper copies of any documents in this docket. I also understand and agree that it is my responsibility to inform Docket Services and other parties of any changes to my e-mail address. By accepting the terms of this service my e-mail address will be shown on the service list of this docket and available to the Commission, other parties and will become part of this public record; See Tex Gov't Code §552.137. I am responsible for ensuring that my e-mail filters and settings allow the delivery of e-mails from the RRC and all other parties to this case. If the pleading contains 10 or fewer pages including exhibits, it may be filed by fax, email, or other approved electronic transmission with the Docket Services Section. If a party or authorized representative elect to file a pleading by email, the party or authorized representative agrees to be served by email and affirmatively consents to the release and disclosure of the email address.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS **HEARINGS DIVISION**

COMMISSION CALLED HEARING AT THE REQUEST OF Oil and Gas Docket No. 08-0322723 §

BLACKBEARD OPERATING, LLC (073056) TO CONTEST

THE TERMINATION OF THE INJECTION PERMIT FOR THE

PIRATE U 13-13 (49089) LEASE, WELL NO. 5WI, SHAFTER

LAKE (SAN ANDRES) FIELD, ANDREWS COUNTY, TEXAS

January 10, 2020

Tracking No. 47829

NOTICE OF HEARING

Date, Location, and Place of Hearing- Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, January 24, 2020, at the offices of the Railroad Commission of Texas (Commission) located in the William B. Travis State Office Building, at 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, in a room number to be posted on the bulletin board in the first-floor lobby. If the hearing is not concluded on the day it commences, it will be continued from day to day until concluded.

If you are planning to attend the hearing, please be aware of changes to traffic patterns and the availability of metered parking in the area due to the Capitol Complex Construction project. There is limited metered parking in the capitol complex area. You may find paid parking at the Bob Bullock Museum across the street from the William B. Travis State Office Building or there is also a Capitol Visitors Parking Garage at 1201 San Jacinto Blvd. For access to the building, you can enter through the ground level from Brazos St. You may want to consider the additional time for parking and entering the building. Map and additional information is available on the RRC website at https://www.rrc.texas.gov/about-us/organization-activities/visiting-the-railroad-commission-in-thewilliam-b-travis-state-office-building/.

Purpose of Hearing- The purpose of the hearing is to allow the parties to present evidence and consider all issues of fact and law raised in or relevant to the Application. The issues that may be addressed at the hearing include, but are not limited to, the following:

- 1. A statement of the matters asserted and the nature of the Applicant's hearing request is in the attached Appendix A.
- 2. Any other issues raised in the pleadings, evidence, or argument that are necessary for the Commission to render a final decision on the merits of this case.

Failure to Appear- All parties, protestants or persons intending to participate at the hearing must attend the hearing. Failure to appear at any prehearing conference or the hearing in this case may result in dismissal of that party's claim or protest, or default against that party/protestant and claims. See, e.g., Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.056, 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.107.

Appearance at Hearing- All persons or parties supporting, opposing or protesting this Application and intending to participate in the hearing must complete and file with Docket Services the enclosed Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing Protest form at least five business days prior to the hearing date in this Notice of Hearing. This form is required even if a prior written response was submitted to the previously issued "Notice of Application." A copy of the form should be served on the Applicant and any other parties of record.

<u>Legal Authority and Jurisdiction</u>- The Commission has jurisdiction over Applicant and over the matters at issue in this proceeding pursuant to Tex. Nat. Res. Code title 3, subtitles A, B and C, Tex. Water Code chapters 26, 27 and 29, and Tex. Gov't Code chapter 2001.

<u>Particular Statutes and Rules Involved</u>- The statutes and rules applicable to this proceeding include but are not limited to the following:

- Tex. Nat. Res. Code, title 3, subtitles A, B and C;
- Commission rules in 16 Tex. Admin. Code chapters 1 and 3;
- Tex. Water Code chapters 26, 27 and 29; and
- Statutes and rules referenced in Appendix A, if any, of this Notice of Hearing.

<u>Continuance of Hearing</u>- Any request for continuance of this hearing must be filed in Docket Services <u>no later than five business days prior to the hearing date</u>. Copies of such request must be served to all parties shown on the service list. 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.45(a)(1).

Ex parte Communications Prohibited- Ex parte communications (e.g. phone calls and emails) with the examiners and Commissioners are prohibited. Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.061, 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.7.

Written Transcript of the Hearing- If a case is protested or becomes protested, the party requesting commission action in this case will need to obtain a court reporter no later than 21 days before the hearing. Typically, this would include the applicant, complainant, and similarly situated parties in other types of cases. See 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.111. If an examiner or party requests a written transcript, the Commission may assess the cost to one or more parties. This includes paying the court reporter's fees for the preparation of the original transcript for the Commission's official records and one copy for use by the examiners in preparing their written recommendation. To obtain a court reporter, contact Dave Howard & Associates Court Reporters at 512-282-0313 or dave@howardreporters.com.

<u>Hearing Exhibits</u>- All exhibits must be clearly marked and submitted in duplicate. If a party wants to offer an exhibit admitted in a prior proceeding, the party must provide a properly identified copy as an exhibit for the record in this proceeding. Additionally, if a court reporter is used, a copy of all exhibits must be given to the court reporter at the time of the hearing.

Auxiliary Aids or Services for Persons with a Disability- Any individual with a disability who needs auxiliary aids and services to have an equal opportunity to effectively communicate and participate in the hearing must request such aids or services at least two weeks prior to the hearing by notifying the Commission's Docket Services by mail at P. O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 or by telephone at (512) 463-6848 or TDD No. (800) 735-2989.

<u>Audio/Visual Computer Presentations</u>- All requests for setting up a presentation need to be made in writing no less than three business days prior to the hearing date. Please contact Docket Services to complete a Presentation Setup Help Desk Questionnaire Form.

<u>Service List</u>- The Applicant shall review this Notice of Hearing and the attached Certificate of Service for accuracy and completeness and shall immediately notify Docket Services of any discrepancy or omission.

APPENDIX A

This hearing is held to consider the request of Blackbeard Operating, LLC, to contest the termination of the Injection Permit for the Pirate U 13-13 (49089) Lease, Well No. 5WI, Shafter Lake (San Andres) Field, in Andrews County, Texas. The permit was administratively approved July 24, 2018, and terminated March 8, 2019, after Commission Staff received notice of from a person (Ring Energy, Inc.) entitled to notice of the application stating that it had not received notice as required by Statewide Rule 46, the permit was administratively terminated.

If you have questions regarding this Application, please contact the Applicant's representative, David Gross, at (512) 497-1111. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact Docket Services at (512) 463-6848 or at Room 12-123. Additional information about the hearing process can be found at www.rrc.texas.gov/hearings.

To access the Commission's Statewide Rules, start from the Commission's Home Page, click on "General Counsel" (upper right side of page) and follow the path: Rules, Current Rules, T.A.C. Chapter 3, Rule Number.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing in Oil and Gas Docket No. <u>08-0322723</u> was served on each of the persons named below by depositing same in the United States Mail, Inter-Agency Mail, or Inter-Agency E-Mail, as follows:

BLACKBEARD OPERATING, LLC 1751 RIVER RUN STE 405 FORT WORTH TX 76107

RING ENERGY, INC. PO BOX 11350 MIDLAND TX 79702

KELLI T. KENNEY FOR RING ENERGY, INC. PO BOX 12127 AUSTIN TX 78711

DAVID NELSON FOR BLACKBEARD OPERATING, LLC 12400 HWY 71 WEST STE 350-230 AUSTIN TX 78738 JESSICA MENDOZA
FOR RAILROAD COMMISSION STAFF
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PAUL DUBOIS
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
O&G DIVISION TECHNICAL PERMITTING
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On this the 10th day of January, 2020.

Melissa Stovall

Docket Services, Hearings Division Railroad Commission of Texas



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NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR AT HEARING

A Copy of this Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing must be mailed to the Applicant and to Docket Services, P.O. Drawer 12967, Austin, TX 78711-2967. It must be received by Docket Services at least five business days in advance of the hearing date.

APPLICANT: BLACKBEARD OPERATING, LLC (073056)
CASE/DOCKET NO.: 08-0322723
STATUS NO.:

	, representing		
(Print Name)		(Print Name))
hereby enters this Notice of Intent Applicant Protestant	to Appear at Hearing as (Ch		
or his/her representative will appear	ar and participate at the heari	ng.	
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at Hearing form to the Applicant at	t the address shown in the Ce	ertificate of Service.	
		Signature	 Date
	Telephone: /	Area Code: ()	
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HEARINGS DIVISION

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the Railroad Commission of Texas in Docket No.	by the following electronic
means:	
[] E-mail at:	
Authorized by:	(signature)
	(print name)
	(firm)

By requesting electronic service, all orders, proposals for decision, and other documents and communications to me in this docket will be provided to me by e-mail at the address set forth above. I will no longer receive paper copies of any documents in this docket. I also understand and agree that it is my responsibility to inform Docket Services and other parties of any changes to my e-mail address. By accepting the terms of this service my e-mail address will be shown on the service list of this docket and available to the Commission, other parties and will become part of this public record; See Tex Gov't Code §552.137. I am responsible for ensuring that my e-mail filters and settings allow the delivery of e-mails from the RRC and all other parties to this case. If the pleading contains 10 or fewer pages including exhibits, it may be filed by fax, email, or other approved electronic transmission with the Docket Services Section. If a party or authorized representative elects to file a pleading by email, the party or authorized representative agrees to be served by email and affirmatively consents to the release and disclosure of the email address.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS **HEARINGS DIVISION**

Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001641

- APPLICATION OF INPEX EAGLE FORD, LLC
- § (424753) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE § RULE 32 FOR THE STIEREN RANCH (11662) § LEASE, EAGLEVILLE (EAGLE FORD-2) FIELD, (424753) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE

- § KARNES COUNTY, TEXAS; DISTRICT 02

January 10, 2020

NOTICE OF HEARING

Date, Location, and Place of Hearing- Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 21, 2020, at the offices of the Railroad Commission of Texas (Commission) located in the William B. Travis State Office Building, at 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, in a room number to be posted on the bulletin board in the first-floor lobby. If the hearing is not concluded on the day it commences, it will be continued from day to day until concluded.

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<u>Particular Statutes and Rules Involved</u>- The statutes and rules applicable to this proceeding include but are not limited to the following:

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- Commission rules in 16 Tex. Admin. Code chapters 1 and 3;
- Tex. Water Code chapters 26, 27 and 29; and
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APPENDIX A

This hearing is held to consider the application of Inpex Eagle Ford, LLC for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the Stieren Ranch (11662) Lease, Eagleville (Eagle Ford-2) Field, Karnes County, Texas; District 02.

If you have questions regarding this Application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Thomas M. Weber, at (512) 327-8111. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact Docket Services at (512) 463-6848 or at Room 12-123. Additional information about the hearing process can be found at www.rrc.texas.gov/hearings.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing in Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001641 was served on each of the persons named below by depositing same in the United States Mail, Inter-Agency Mail, or Inter-Agency E-Mail, as follows:

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GULFTEX ENERGY IV, LP 17806 IH 10 WEST STE 405 SAN ANTONIO TX 78257

THOMAS M. WEBER FOR INPEX EAGLE FORD, LLC PO BOX 12127 **AUSTIN TX 78711**

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On this the 10th day of January, 2020.

Melissa Stovall

Docket Services, Hearings Division Railroad Commission of Texas



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CASE/DOCKET NO.: OG-19-00001641

APPLICANT: INPEX EAGLE FORD, LLC (424753)

STATUS NO.: ____, representing___ (Print Name) (Print Name) hereby enters this Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing as (Check one of the referenced party status): __ Applicant_____ Protestant _____ Observer or ____ In Support of Application and states he/she or his/her representative will appear and participate at the hearing. I further certify that, as of today's date, I have mailed or delivered a copy of this Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing form to the Applicant at the address shown in the Certificate of Service. Signature Date Telephone: Area Code: (____) _____ Email Address: (OPTIONAL - If provided, e-mail address will become part of this public record; See TEX. Gov'T CODE § 552.137) TIME ESTIMATE (total required for your presentation at the hearing): ______ ADDRESS TO WHICH NOTICE WAS SENT: _____ Is correct _ Is incorrect and should be corrected to: Street City State Zip Code ADDITIONAL NOTICE SHOULD BE SENT TO THE REPRESENTATIVE SHOWN BELOW: (Print Name)

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HEARINGS DIVISION

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By requesting electronic service, all orders, proposals for decision, and other documents and communications to me in this docket will be provided to me by e-mail at the address set forth above. I will no longer receive paper copies of any documents in this docket. I also understand and agree that it is my responsibility to inform Docket Services and other parties of any changes to my e-mail address. By accepting the terms of this service my e-mail address will be shown on the service list of this docket and available to the Commission, other parties and will become part of this public record; See Tex Gov't Code §552.137. I am responsible for ensuring that my e-mail filters and settings allow the delivery of e-mails from the RRC and all other parties to this case. If the pleading contains 10 or fewer pages including exhibits, it may be filed by fax, email, or other approved electronic transmission with the Docket Services Section. If a party or authorized representative elects to file a pleading by email, the party or authorized representative agrees to be served by email and affirmatively consents to the release and disclosure of the email address.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS HEARINGS DIVISION

Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001224	<i>ത ത ത ത ത ത</i>	APPLICATION OF ENDEAVOR ENERGY RESOURCES, L.P. (251726) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE 32 FOR THE RIO NUECES 37-44 UNIT 1 (49945) LEASE, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) FIELD, MIDLAND COUNTY, TEXAS; DISTRICT 08
Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001227	<i>๛๛๛๛๛๛</i>	APPLICATION OF ENDEAVOR ENERGY RESOURCES, L.P. (251726) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE 32 FOR THE BENGE CORNER CTB LEASE, COMMINGLING PERMIT NO. 5719, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) FIELD, MIDLAND COUNTY, TEXAS; DISTRICT 08
Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001274 January 10, 2020	9000000	APPLICATION OF ENDEAVOR ENERGY RESOURCES, L.P. (251726) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE 32 FOR THE HENCE A LEASE, SPRABERRY (TREND AREA) FIELD, MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS; DISTRICT 08
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JOINT NOTICE OF HEARING

<u>Date, Location, and Place of Hearing</u>- Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, January 21, 2020, at the offices of the Railroad Commission of Texas (Commission) located in the William B. Travis State Office Building, at 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, in a room number to be posted on the bulletin board in the first-floor lobby. If the hearing is not concluded on the day it commences, it will be continued from day to day until concluded.

If you are planning to attend the hearing, please be aware of changes to traffic patterns and the availability of metered parking in the area due to the Capitol Complex Construction project. There is limited metered parking in the capitol complex area. You may find paid parking at the Bob Bullock Museum across the street from the William B. Travis State Office Building or there is also a Capitol Visitors Parking Garage at 1201 San Jacinto Blvd. For access to the building, you can enter through the ground level from Brazos St. You may want to consider the additional time for parking and entering the building. Map and additional information is available on the RRC website at https://www.rrc.texas.gov/about-us/organization-activities/visiting-the-railroad-commission-in-the-william-b-travis-state-office-building/.

<u>Purpose of Hearing</u>- The purpose of the hearing is to allow the parties to present evidence and consider all issues of fact and law raised in or relevant to the Application. The issues that may be addressed at the hearing include, but are not limited to, the following:

- 1. A statement of the matters asserted and the nature of the Applicant's hearing request is in the attached Appendix A.
- 2. Any other issues raised in the pleadings, evidence, or argument that are necessary for the Commission to render a final decision on the merits of this case.

<u>Failure to Appear- All parties, protestants or persons intending to participate at the hearing</u> <u>must attend the hearing</u>. Failure to appear at any prehearing conference or the hearing in this case may

result in <u>dismissal of that party's claim or protest</u>, or default against that party/protestant and claims. See, e.g., Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.056, 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.107.

Appearance at Hearing- All persons or parties supporting, opposing or protesting this Application and intending to participate in the hearing must complete and file with Docket Services the enclosed Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing Protest form at least <u>five business days</u> prior to the hearing date in this Notice of Hearing. <u>This form is required even if a prior written response was submitted to the previously issued "Notice of Application."</u> A copy of the form should be served on the Applicant and any other parties of record.

<u>Legal Authority and Jurisdiction</u>- The Commission has jurisdiction over Applicant and over the matters at issue in this proceeding pursuant to Tex. Nat. Res. Code title 3, subtitles A, B and C, Tex. Water Code chapters 26, 27 and 29, and Tex. Gov't Code chapter 2001.

<u>Particular Statutes and Rules Involved</u>- The statutes and rules applicable to this proceeding include but are not limited to the following:

- Tex. Nat. Res. Code, title 3, subtitles A, B and C;
- Commission rules in 16 Tex. Admin. Code chapters 1 and 3;
- Tex. Water Code chapters 26, 27 and 29; and
- Statutes and rules referenced in Appendix A, if any, of this Notice of Hearing.

<u>Continuance of Hearing</u>- Any request for continuance of this hearing must be filed in Docket Services <u>no later than five business days prior to the hearing date</u>. Copies of such request must be served to all parties shown on the service list. 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.45(a)(1).

Ex parte Communications Prohibited- Ex parte communications (e.g. phone calls and emails) with the examiners and Commissioners are prohibited. Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.061, 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.7.

Written Transcript of the Hearing- If a case is protested or becomes protested, the party requesting commission action in this case will need to obtain a court reporter no later than 21 days before the hearing. Typically, this would include the applicant, complainant, and similarly situated parties in other types of cases. See 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.111. If an examiner or party requests a written transcript, the Commission may assess the cost to one or more parties. This includes paying the court reporter's fees for the preparation of the original transcript for the Commission's official records and one copy for use by the examiners in preparing their written recommendation. To obtain a court reporter, contact Dave Howard & Associates Court Reporters at 512-282-0313 or dave@howardreporters.com.

<u>Hearing Exhibits</u>- All exhibits must be clearly marked and submitted in duplicate. If a party wants to offer an exhibit admitted in a prior proceeding, the party must provide a properly identified copy as an exhibit for the record in this proceeding. Additionally, if a court reporter is used, a copy of all exhibits must be given to the court reporter at the time of the hearing.

<u>Auxiliary Aids or Services for Persons with a Disability</u>- Any individual with a disability who needs auxiliary aids and services to have an equal opportunity to effectively communicate and participate in the hearing must request such aids or services at least two weeks prior to the hearing by notifying the Commission's Docket Services by mail at P. O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 or by telephone at (512) 463-6848 or TDD No. (800) 735-2989.

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<u>Service List</u>- The Applicant shall review this Notice of Hearing and the attached Certificate of Service for accuracy and completeness and shall immediately notify Docket Services of any discrepancy or omission.

APPENDIX A

<u>Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001224</u>- This hearing is held to consider the application of Endeavor Energy Resources L.P. for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the Rio Nueces 37-44 Unit 1 (49945) Lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, Midland County, Texas; District 08.

<u>Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001227</u>- This hearing is held to consider the application of Endeavor Energy Resources L.P. for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the Benge Corner CTB Lease, Commingling Permit No. 5719, Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, Midland County, Texas; District 08.

Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001274- This hearing is held to consider the application of Endeavor Energy Resources L.P. for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the Hence A Lease, Spraberry (Trend Area) Field, Midland County, Texas; District 08.

If you have questions regarding this Application, please contact the Applicant's representative, W. Timothy George, at (512) 495-6047. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact Docket Services at (512) 463-6848 or at Room 12-123. Additional information about the hearing process can be found at www.rrc.texas.gov/hearings.

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Check the Weekly Hearing Schedule on the Commission website at: http://www.rrc.texas.gov/hearings/hearing-schedules/ the day prior to the hearing to confirm that it will go forward as scheduled.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing in Oil and Gas Docket No. <u>OG-19-00001224, 1227, & 1274</u> was served on each of the persons named below by depositing same in the United States Mail, Inter-Agency Mail, or Inter-Agency E-Mail, as follows:

ENDEAVOR ENERGY RESOURCES L.P. 110 N MARIENFELD ST STE 200 MIDLAND TX 79701

DISCOVERY OPERATING, INC. 2600 MOCKINGBIRD LANE MIDLAND, TEXAS 79705

CMS OIL AND GAS COMPANY ATTN: TAX DEPT. 212 W. MICHIGAN AVE JACKSON, MI 49201-2277

PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES USA, INC. ATTN: WELDON PIERSON 5205 N. O'CONNOR BLVD, STE 200

CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. 6301 DEAUVILLE BLVD

MIDLAND, TEXAS 79706

IRVING, TEXAS 75039-3746

CROWNQUEST OPERATING, LLC PO BOX 53310 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79710

XTO ENERGY, INC. ATT: LAND MANAGER-LOC. 115 22777 SPRINGWOODS VILLAGE PKWAY SPRING, TEXAS 77389 MURCHISON OIL & GAS LEGACY TOWER ONE 7250 DALLAS PARKWAY, STE 1400 PLANO, TEXAS 75024

BIRCH OPERATIONS, INC. 2 HOUSTON CENTER, STE 1350 909 FANNIN STREET HOUSTON, TEXAS 77010

MIDLAND ENERGY, INC.
MIDLAND ENERGY, INC. –
KEYSTONE
P O BOX 10911
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79702

ENCANA OIL & GAS (USA) INC. 370 17TH STREET, STE 1700 DENVER, CO 80202

PILOT WATER SOLUTIONS PERMIAN LLC 301 MAIN STREET, STE 1100 BATON ROUGE, LA 70825

PARSLEY ENERGY OPERATIONS, LLC 303 COLORADO, STE. 3000 AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701

TALL CITY BRINE LLC 203 W. WALL STREET, SUITE 700 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701 TIM GEORGE
McGINNIS LOCHRIDGE LLP
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On this the 10th day of January, 2020.

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CASE/DOCKET NO.: OG-19-00001224, 1227, 1274

APPLICANT: ENDEAVOR ENERGY RESOURCES, L.P. (251726)

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APPLICATION OF RIO OIL AND GAS PERMIAN II, LLC Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001727 §

(712803) FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE

32 FOR VARIOUS LEASES AND WELLS, PHANTOM

(WOLFCAMP) FIELD, REEVES COUNTY, TEXAS;

DISTRICT 08

Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001732

APPLICATION OF RIO OIL AND GAS PERMIAN II, LLC

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32 FOR VARIOUS LEASES AND WELLS, PHANTOM (WOLFCAMP) FIELD, REEVES COUNTY, TEXAS;

January 10, 2020 DISTRICT 08

JOINT NOTICE OF HEARING

Date, Location, and Place of Hearing- Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 22, 2020, at the offices of the Railroad Commission of Texas (Commission) located in the William B. Travis State Office Building, at 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, in a room number to be posted on the bulletin board in the first-floor lobby. If the hearing is not concluded on the day it commences, it will be continued from day to day until concluded.

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- Commission rules in 16 Tex. Admin. Code chapters 1 and 3;
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APPENDIX A

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Alexander 58-2-24 Central Flare Point, Flare Permit No. 40001 Brown State 44-2 No. 1H, Flare Permit No. 40003 Brown State 44-2 Central Flare Point, Flare Permit No. 40000 Conquista State Unit 54-1-8 No. 1H, Flare Permit No. 39999

<u>Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001732</u>- This hearing is held to consider the application of Rio Oil and Gas (Permian) II, LLC for an Exception to Statewide Rule 32 (16 Tex. Admin. Code § 3.32), relating to the flaring of gas, for the following Leases and Wells, Phantom (Wolfcamp) Field, Reeves County, Texas; District 08.

Darcy State 22 Central Flare Point, Flare Permit No. 40002 Expedition State Unit 71-67 No. 1H, Flare Permit No. 40004 Expedition State Unit 71-67 No. 2H, Flare Permit No. 39997 Expedition State Unit 71-67 No. 4H, Flare Permit No. 39998

If you have questions regarding this Application, please contact the Applicant's representative, James M. Clark, at (512) 415-4191. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact Docket Services at (512) 463-6848 or at Room 12-123. Additional information about the hearing process can be found at www.rrc.texas.gov/hearings.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing in Oil and Gas Docket No. <u>OG-19-00001727 & OG-19-00001732</u> was served on each of the persons named below by depositing same in the United States Mail, Inter-Agency Mail, or Inter-Agency E-Mail, as follows:

RIO OIL AND GAS (PERMIAN) II, LLC 3 WATERWAY SQUARE PLACE SUITE 500 THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

ANADARKO E&P ONSHORE LLC ATTN KELLEY MONTGOMERY 5 GREENWAY PLAZA SUITE 110 HOUSTON, TX 77046

APC WATER HOLDINGS 1, LLC ATTN BERTHA NEFE PO BOX 1330 HOUSTON, TX 77251-1330

BHP BILLITON PET (TXLA OP) CO. 1700 PLATTE SUITE 150 DENVER, CO 80202

BPX OPERATING COMPANY 1700 PLATTE ST DENVER, CO 80202

BTA OIL PRODUCERS, LLC 104 S PECOS MIDLAND, TX 79701

CIMAREX ENERGY CO. ATTN GENEA HOLLOWAY 202 S CHEYENNE AVE STE 1000 TULSA, OK 74103

CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY ATTN CHARLENE WINSTON P.O. BOX 2197 HOUSTON, TX 77252 DIAMONDBACK E&P LLC 500 W TEXAS AVE STE 1200 MIDLAND, TX 79701-4203

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JAMES M. CLARK, P.E.
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CASE/DOCKET NO.: OG-19-00001727 & OG-19-00001732

APPLICANT: RIO OIL AND GAS (PERMIAN) II, LLC (712803)

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Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001773 § APPLICATION OF CHEVRON U.S.A. INC (148113) TO

RECLASSIFY CERTAIN WELLS FROM OIL TO GAS,

§ AND TO AMEND FIELD RULES FOR THE FORD,

§ WEST (WOLFCAMP) FIELD, CULBERSON, LOVING,

AND REEVES COUNTIES, TEXAS; DISTRICT 08

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Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00002098 § APPLICATION OF CHEVRON U.S.A. INC (148113) TO

§ AMEND FIELD RULES FOR THE WOLFBONE (TREND

§ AREA) FIELD, PECOS, REEVES, AND WARD

§ COUNTIES, TEXAS; DISTRICT 08

January 10, 2020

JOINT NOTICE OF HEARING

<u>Date, Location, and Place of Hearing</u>- Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at **9:00 a.m.** on **Friday, January 24, 2020,** at the offices of the Railroad Commission of Texas (Commission) located in the William B. Travis State Office Building, at 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, in a room number to be posted on the bulletin board in the first-floor lobby. If the hearing is not concluded on the day it commences, it will be continued from day to day until concluded.

If you are planning to attend the hearing, please be aware of changes to traffic patterns and the availability of metered parking in the area due to the Capitol Complex Construction project. There is limited metered parking in the capitol complex area. You may find paid parking at the Bob Bullock Museum across the street from the William B. Travis State Office Building or there is also a Capitol Visitors Parking Garage at 1201 San Jacinto Blvd. For access to the building, you can enter through the ground level from Brazos St. You may want to consider the additional time for parking and entering the building. Map and additional information is available on the RRC website at https://www.rrc.texas.gov/about-us/organization-activities/visiting-the-railroad-commission-in-the-william-b-travis-state-office-building/.

<u>Purpose of Hearing</u>- The purpose of the hearing is to allow the parties to present evidence and consider all issues of fact and law raised in or relevant to the Application. The issues that may be addressed at the hearing include, but are not limited to, the following:

- 1. A statement of the matters asserted and the nature of the Applicant's hearing request is in the attached Appendix A.
- 2. Any other issues raised in the pleadings, evidence, or argument that are necessary for the Commission to render a final decision on the merits of this case.

Failure to Appear- All parties, protestants or persons intending to participate at the hearing must attend the hearing. Failure to appear at any prehearing conference or the hearing in this case may result in dismissal of that party's claim or protest, or default against that party/protestant and claims. See, e.g., Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.056, 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.107.

Appearance at Hearing- All persons or parties supporting, opposing or protesting this Application and intending to participate in the hearing must complete and file with Docket Services the enclosed Notice of Intent to Appear at Hearing Protest form at least <u>five business days</u> prior to the hearing date in this Notice of Hearing. This form is required even if a prior written response was submitted to the

<u>previously issued "Notice of Application."</u> A copy of the form should be served on the Applicant and any other parties of record.

<u>Legal Authority and Jurisdiction</u>- The Commission has jurisdiction over Applicant and over the matters at issue in this proceeding pursuant to Tex. Nat. Res. Code title 3, subtitles A, B and C, Tex. Water Code chapters 26, 27 and 29, and Tex. Gov't Code chapter 2001.

<u>Particular Statutes and Rules Involved</u>- The statutes and rules applicable to this proceeding include but are not limited to the following:

- Tex. Nat. Res. Code, title 3, subtitles A, B and C;
- Commission rules in 16 Tex. Admin. Code chapters 1 and 3;
- Tex. Water Code chapters 26, 27 and 29; and
- Statutes and rules referenced in Appendix A, if any, of this Notice of Hearing.

<u>Continuance of Hearing</u>- Any request for continuance of this hearing must be filed in Docket Services <u>no later than five business days prior to the hearing date</u>. Copies of such request must be served to all parties shown on the service list. 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.45(a)(1).

Ex parte Communications Prohibited- Ex parte communications (e.g. phone calls and emails) with the examiners and Commissioners are prohibited. Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.061, 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.7.

Written Transcript of the Hearing- If a case is protested or becomes protested, the party requesting commission action in this case will need to obtain a court reporter no later than 21 days before the hearing. Typically, this would include the applicant, complainant, and similarly situated parties in other types of cases. See 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 1.111. If an examiner or party requests a written transcript, the Commission may assess the cost to one or more parties. This includes paying the court reporter's fees for the preparation of the original transcript for the Commission's official records and one copy for use by the examiners in preparing their written recommendation. To obtain a court reporter, contact Dave Howard & Associates Court Reporters at 512-282-0313 or dave@howardreporters.com.

<u>Hearing Exhibits</u>- All exhibits must be clearly marked and submitted in duplicate. If a party wants to offer an exhibit admitted in a prior proceeding, the party must provide a properly identified copy as an exhibit for the record in this proceeding. Additionally, if a court reporter is used, a copy of all exhibits must be given to the court reporter at the time of the hearing.

Auxiliary Aids or Services for Persons with a Disability- Any individual with a disability who needs auxiliary aids and services to have an equal opportunity to effectively communicate and participate in the hearing must request such aids or services at least two weeks prior to the hearing by notifying the Commission's Docket Services by mail at P. O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 or by telephone at (512) 463-6848 or TDD No. (800) 735-2989.

<u>Audio/Visual Computer Presentations</u>- All requests for setting up a presentation need to be made in writing no less than three business days prior to the hearing date. Please contact Docket Services to complete a Presentation Setup Help Desk Questionnaire Form.

<u>Service List</u>- The Applicant shall review this Notice of Hearing and the attached Certificate of Service for accuracy and completeness and shall immediately notify Docket Services of any discrepancy or omission.

APPENDIX A

<u>Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00001773</u>- This hearing is held to consider the application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc to reclassify certain wells from Oil to Gas and to Amend Field Rules for the Ford, West (Wolfcamp) Field, in Culberson, Loving, and Reeves Counties, Texas; District 08.

Applicant seeks the following:

1. Chevron requests that Rule 4(c) be added to the of the Ford, West (Wolfcamp) Field rules as follows:

RULE 4(c): Upon an operator's written request, the Commission shall cancel overproduction for any lease in this field for any twelve one-month period.

2. Chevron requests that Rule 6 of the Ford, West (Wolfcamp) Field rules be added as follows:

RULE 6: An exception to Statewide Rules 16(b), 28(a), 28(b) and 51(a) is granted for wells in this field to provide operators time for well stabilization prior to testing as follows: Well Record Only completion reports will be considered timely filed if received by the Commission within 90 days after completion of the well or within 150 days after the date on which the drilling operation is completed, whichever is earlier. Initial Potential completion reports will be considered timely filed if received by the Commission within six months of well completion. Failure to comply with this provision will not prevent permanent gas well classification as provided in these field rules.

This rule shall allow for the backdating of allowables without requiring a waiver to be secured from all field operators. This rule will grant the Commission the authority to issue an allowable back to the initial completion date for all oil wells and gas wells in the field to prevent unnecessary shut-ins and to alleviate potential overproduction issues related to the completion paperwork filings.

The exceptions to Statewide Rules 16(b), 28(a), 28(b), and 51(a) provided for in the rules adopted in this Final Order shall be applicable to all wells in the field, regardless of when completion forms are filed and including wells for which completion forms were filed prior to the entry of this order.

Where an operator uses sand trap(s) during clean-up of the well after fracture stimulation, the operator may note in the Remarks Section of the Initial Potential Form the date that the sand trap(s) were removed. The operator's Initial Potential Form will then be due ninety (90) days after removal of the sand trap(s).

3. Chevron requests that Rule 5 of the Ford, West (Wolfcamp) Field rules, the Stacked Lateral provision in these field rules, be removed to harmonize the rules with Statewide Rule 86. As a result, the Stacked Lateral provisions of Statewide Rule 86 would apply to the Ford, West (Wolfcamp) Field.

For a list of wells, please see Attachment A.

<u>Oil and Gas Docket No. OG-19-00002098</u>- This hearing is held to consider the application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc to Amend Field Rules for the Wolfbone (Trend Area) Field, in Pecos, Reeves, and Ward Counties, Texas; District 08.

Applicant seeks the following:

1. Chevron request that Rule 2(b) be amended as follows:

RULE 2(b): No horizontal drainhole well for oil or gas shall hereafter be drilled such that any take point is nearer than ONE HUNDRED (100) feet in a non-perpendicular distance from the orientation of the horizontal drainhole to any property line, lease line or subdivision line.

- 2. Chevron requests that Rule 6 be amended to provide for an initial "records only" completion filing within 90 days of completion and an accurate and complete completion form within 180 days of completion.
- 3. Chevron requests that Rule 7 be removed to harmonize the rules with Statewide Rule 86. As a result, the Stacked Lateral provisions of Statewide Rule 86 would apply to this field.
- 4. Chevron requests the following rule from the Phantom (Wolfcamp) Field be adopted in this field.

RULE ?: Operators in the field are granted blanket authority for common storage, including offlease storage, for all wells completed in the field which are separated and measured as required by statewide rule prior to commingling for common storage. This rule only grants authority for common storage of production from leases where, unless individual lease exception to statewide rule onlease measurement requirements has been obtained, lease production is separated and measured prior to leaving the lease and the lease production is properly reported to the Commission. This rule does not in any way affect the filing and reporting requirements for allocation and production sharing wells. Individual exceptions to Statewide Rules 26, 27, or 55, relating to separation and/or measurement may still be requested for any well or lease in the field.

If you have questions regarding this Application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Brian Sullivan, at (512) 327-8111. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact Docket Services at (512) 463-6848 or at Room 12-123. Additional information about the hearing process can be found at www.rrc.texas.gov/hearings.

To access the Commission's Statewide Rules, start from the Commission's Home Page, click on "General Counsel" (upper right side of page) and follow the path: Rules, Current Rules, T.A.C. Chapter 3, Rule Number.

Check the Weekly Hearing Schedule on the Commission website at: http://www.rrc.texas.gov/hearings/hearing-schedules/ the day prior to the hearing to confirm that it will go forward as scheduled.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Hearing in Oil and Gas Docket No. <u>OG-19-00001773 and OG-19-00002098</u> was served on each of the persons named below by depositing same in the United States Mail, Inter-Agency Mail, or Inter-Agency E-Mail, as follows:

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