NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DECISION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT AND THE PROPOSED SIGNIFICANT MODIFICATION OF FEDERALLY MANDATED OPERATING PERMIT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District solicits public comment on the proposed significant modification of Chevron USA in western Kern county. Chevron proposes to modify two 500 bbl crude oil tanks (Baker style) by increasing the throughput, increasing the TVP, and allowing the tank to operate at various unspecified locations within Chevron's Heavy Oil Western stationary source.

The District's analysis of the legal and factual basis for this proposed action, project #S-1140935. available is for public inspection at http://www.valleyair.org/notices/public notices idx.htm and at any District office. The project results in an increase of 22,486 lb-VOC per year. This will be the public's only opportunity to comment on the specific conditions of the modification. If requested, the District will hold a public hearing regarding issuance of this modification. For additional information, please contact the District at (661) 392-5500. Written comments on the proposed initial permit must be submitted by July 15, 2015 to ARNAUD MARJOLLET, DIRECTOR OF PERMIT SERVICES, SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT. 34946 FLYOVER COURT, BAKERSFIELD, CA 93308.