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**SOUTHERN REGION HEARING BOARD MEETING**

Southern Region Office Kaweah Room  
34946 Flyover Court, Bakersfield, CA 93308  
Monday, November 18, 2013, 10:30 A.M.

This Hearing was continued from November 13, 2013

Members of the public are advised that all pagers, cellular telephones, and any other communication devices are to be turned off upon entering the Governing Board Room or VTC Rooms, as these devices interfere with the audio equipment.

**Note:** Eight copies of any additional information shall be provided in advance of this meeting, if it is to be considered by the Hearing Board. This information shall be submitted to Ms. Michelle Franco, Deputy Clerk to the Boards.

**AGENDA**

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approve Minutes of October 9, 2013
4. Public Hearing:

|    | <u>Docket No.</u> | <u>Type</u> | <u>Company Name</u>  |                  |
|----|-------------------|-------------|--|------------------|
| A. | S-13-55S          | Short       | <b>Aera Energy LLC</b><br>Metson Lease<br>Midway Sunset Oil Field  |                  |
| B. | S-13-56S          | Short       | <b>Aera Energy LLC</b><br>MOCO & National Dehydration Facilities<br>Midway Sunset Oil Field                |                  |
| C. | S-13-57S          | Short       | <b>Chevron USA Inc.</b><br>Monterey Central Plant<br>Kern River Oil Field                                  |                  |
| D. | S-13-58S          | Short       | <b>Chevron USA Inc.</b><br>31E Oil Cleaning Plant<br>Midway Sunset Oil Field                               | <i>continued</i> |
| E. | S-13-59S          | Short       | <b>Pixley Ethanol LLC</b><br>11704 Road 120<br>Pixley, CA 93256  |                  |
| F. | S-13-60S          | Short       | <b>ExxonMobil</b><br>Hill Property<br>South Belridge Oil Field<br>18271 Highway 33<br>McKittrick, CA 93251 | <i>withdrawn</i> |

5. The Southern Region Hearing Board heard and granted the following emergency variances since the October 9, 2013, Hearing:

A. S-13-52E - Chevron USA Inc.

On October 14, 2013, Hearing Board Chair, Mr. William L. Bland, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board, approved an emergency variance from October 14, 2013, until November 12, 2013. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2070.7.0, 2201, 2520, 4401, and 4623 and allowed for the continued storage of VOC containing liquids in the subject tanks without a functional or operating vapor recovery system.

B. S-13-53E - Chevron USA Inc.

On October 14, 2013, Hearing Board Chair, Mr. William L. Bland, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board, approved an emergency variance from October 14, 2013, until November 12, 2013. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2070.7.0, 2201, and 4401 and allowed for the continued production of oil from wells whose casing gas collection system VRS was offline.

C. S-13-61E - Chevron USA Inc.

On November 12, 2013, Hearing Board Chair, Mr. William L. Bland, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board, approved an emergency variance from November 11, 2013, until November 21, 2013. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2070.7.0, 2201, 2520, 4401, and 4623 and allowed for the continued storage of VOC containing liquids in the subject tanks without a functional or operating vapor recovery system.

D. S-13-62E - ExxonMobil Production Company

On November 12, 2013, Hearing Board Chair, Mr. William L. Bland, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board, approved an emergency variance from November 13, 2013, until November 14, 2013. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2070.7.0, 2201, 2520, and 4623 and allowed for the continued storage of VOC containing liquids in the subject tanks without a functional or operating vapor recovery system.

6. Public Comments:

*This time is made available for comments from the public on matters within the Board's jurisdiction that are not on the Agenda. It is requested that no comments be made during this period on items on the Agenda. The public may make comments after each Board Agenda Item during the time allowed for public comment. Additionally, state law prohibits the Hearing Board from acting on matters that are not on this Agenda.*

7. Hearing Board Member Comments:

8. New Business:

9. Next Scheduled Meeting: December 11, 2013

10. Adjournment