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## Action Summary Minutes Southern Region Hearing Board Meeting San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District 2700 M Street, Suite 275, VTC Room Bakersfield, CA.

**Wednesday, March 8, 2006  
10:00 a.m.**

**Meeting held via video conferencing (VTC) with the  
Central Region Office (Fresno) participating via VTC.**

1. **Call Meeting to Order** – The Vice Chair, William Bland, called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

2. **Roll Call was taken and a quorum was present.**

Kimm Wolber	Medical
Nancy Dunn	Public
Charles Brehmer	Attorney
William Bland, <b>Vice Chair</b>	Public
Hollis Carlile, <b>Chair (absent)</b>	Engineer

**Also present in the Southern Region Office (Bakersfield)**  
Creighton Smith, Supervising Air Quality Inspector and Allan Phillips, Supervising Air Quality Engineer.

**Also present in the Central Region Office (Fresno)** Catherine Tognazzini, Assistant District Counsel, Michael Carrera, Supervising Air Quality Inspector, Morgan Lambert, Senior Air Quality Inspector and Sissy Smith, Clerk to the Board.

3. **Approve Minutes of February 8, 2006** – The Vice Chair asked if there were any comments regarding the Minutes. Hearing no comments the Vice Chair declared the Minutes of February 8, 2006 were approved as submitted.

4. **Public Hearing:**

The Vice Chair requested the Southern Region Hearing Board Packet and any addenda brought forth in today's hearings be entered into the Official Record.

The Vice Chair asked if the Petitions had been properly noticed and on file with the Clerk to the Board. Ms. Smith responded affirmative.

All persons testifying were sworn in by the Vice Chair.

**Morgan Lambert presented the Staff Reports**

A.)  
Docket S-06-08S, Short Variance, **Chevron USA Inc.**, Station 1-09 Dehydration Facility, Sec. 09/T32S/R23E, Midway Sunset Oilfield, Taft, CA. 93268. Type of Business: Heavy Crude Oil and Gas Production Facility.

**Petitioners** – David Moore and Mark Sawaya represented Chevron USA Inc.

**Public Comment** – No Public Comment.

**Decision** – Board Member Wolber made the motion to grant the variance. The Board concurred that the required six findings set forth on pages 2 and 3 of the Staff Report could be made. Board Member Wolber stated the variance shall be subject to twelve recommended conditions set forth on pages 4 and 5 of the Staff Report. Seconded by Board Member Brehmer and unanimously carried with the following roll call vote:

**Ayes:** **Wolber, Dunn, Brehmer and Bland.**

**Absent:** **Carlile.**

*The Southern Region Hearing Board granted a Short Variance to Docket S-06-08S, Chevron USA Inc., Midway Sunset Oilfield. The variance shall be effective for a single, consecutive 30-day period to occur sometime between March 8, 2006 and June 5, 2006, or until re-commissioning of TVRU A is complete, whichever occurs first. The twelve recommended conditions will be set forth in the Southern Region Hearing Board Order.*

B.)  
Docket S-06-13S, Short Variance, **Chevron USA Inc.**, 8Z Northeast McKittrick Unit, Sec. 8/T30S/R22E, Cymric Oilfield, McKittrick, CA. 93224. Type of Business: Crude Oil and Gas Production Facility.

**Petitioners** – Frank Maccioli and Bob Langner represented Chevron USA Inc.

**Public Comment** – No Public Comment.

**Decision** – Board Member Brehmer made the motion to grant the variance. Board Member Brehmer noted that the variance shall be subject to the fourteen

recommended conditions set forth on pages 4 and 5 of the Staff Report with the following changes:

Condition 6. H. The removed sludge shall be used to manufacture roadmix, as defined in District Rule 2020, or disposed of at a licensed hazardous or non-hazardous waste disposal facility, as appropriate.

Condition 12. E. If the removed sludge is disposed of at a licensed non-hazardous waste disposal facility, include a copy of any records that demonstrate the final destination of the material;

Board Member Brehmer stated the variance was subject to required six findings set forth on pages 2 and 3 of the Staff Report. Seconded by Board Member Dunn and unanimously carried with the following roll call vote:

**Ayes: Wolber, Dunn, Brehmer and Bland.**

**Absent: Carlile.**

*The Southern Region Hearing Board granted a Short Variance to Docket S-06-13S, Chevron USA Inc. The variance shall be effective for a cumulative 14-day period to occur sometime between March 9, 2006 and June 6, 2006, or until the subject tanks are completely drained and cleaned of any VOC containing materials, whichever occurs first. The fourteen recommended conditions with changes to Conditions 6 H. and 12 E., will be set forth in the Southern Region Hearing Board Order.*

5. **The Southern Region Hearing Board approved the following emergency variance order:**

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| A.) | Docket S-06-11E | AES Delano Inc. |
| B.) | Docket S-06-12E | Aera Energy LLC |

6. **Public Comments** – No Public Comments.

7. **Hearing Board Member Comments** – No Hearing Board Member Comments.

8. **New Business** – No New Business.

9. **Next Scheduled Meeting** – Wednesday, April 12, 2006. The meeting will be held via video conferencing (VTC) in the Southern Region Office (Bakersfield) with the Central Region Office (Fresno) participating via VTC.

William Bland and Nancy Dunn indicated they would not be available for the April 12, 2006 Southern Region Hearing Board Meeting.

10. **Adjournment** – The Vice Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:23 a.m.