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CAUSE NO. DCV-25-00952

MIDLAND BASIN OIL & GAS III, LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

CHEVRON U.S.A. INC

Defendant.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF

MIDLAND COUNTY, TEXAS

441ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT

VERIFIED PUBLIC NOTICE OF HEARING ON DEFENDANT CHEVRON U.S.A INC.'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR TEMPORARY AND PERMANENT SEALING ORDER

Under Texas Rule of Civil Procedure 76a(3), Defendant Chevron U.S.A. Inc. ("Chevron"), posts this Public Notice of the hearing in open court on Chevron's Unopposed Motion for Temporary and Permanent Sealing Order in the above case. The hearing will be held on **January 15, 2026, at 1:30 p.m.** and will take place before the 441st Judicial District, located at the Midland County Civil Courthouse, 500 N. Loraine Street, Suite 901, Midland, Texas 79701. At the Court's direction, all appearances at the hearing will be in person. At the hearing, any person may intervene and be heard concerning the sealing of court records.

The records sought to be sealed are Exhibits I-U to Plaintiff Midland Basin Oil & Gas, III LLC's ("MBOG") First Motion to Compel, filed on December 3, 2025 (the "Court Records"). The Court Records include reports detailing oil and gas production from Chevron wells, including volumetric and pricing data. The Court Records also include several accounting spreadsheets detailing financial information associated with Chevron's assets. They contain information that is proprietary, confidential, and vital to the success of Chevron's business.

MBOG maintains it must utilize the Court Records to fully brief and argue its Motion to Compel, but the confidential nature of the Court Records restricts public disclosure.

The parties are not asking the Court to seal any court order or petition.

MBOG has served unredacted copies of the Court Records on Chevron. Chevron now requests that the Court permanently seal the Court Records.

A verified copy of this Public Notice will also be filed with the clerk of the court in which the case is pending and with the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Texas.

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Dated: December 12, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 12, 2025, the foregoing was served by email and/or by electronic filing service on all counsel of record.

/s/ Timothy S. McConn

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