CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

CLEANUP AND ABATEMENT ORDER NO. 87-47 AGAINST CHEVRON U.S.A.

Needles, San Bernardino County

The Executive Officer of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region finds that:

- 1. Chevron U.S.A. (hereinafter referred to as the discharger), 1201 S. Beach Boulevard, La Habra, California, 90631, is the owner of Chevron #8066, located at 2205 West Broadway, Needles, California, 92363.
- 2. The Regional Board received an Underground Storage Tank Unauthorized Release Report dated March 2, 1987, indicating that an underground storage tank had leaked and affected the soil and ground water.
- 3. On March 23, 1987, the Regional Board received a preliminary technical report, prepared by Harding Lawson Associates (technical consultants for the discharger) regarding a subsurface investigation at the site. The report indicates that the ground water has been contaminated with gasoline.
- 4. The discharger has caused or permitted the discharge of waste into the waters of the State and created a condition of pollution.
- 5. Contamination of the ground water with gasoline will significantly impair the beneficial uses of the ground water.
- 6. The Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region identified the beneficial uses of the ground water in the Piute Hydrologic Unit as:
 - a. Municipal
 - b. Industrial
 - c. Agricultural
- 7. This enforcement action is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Section 15308 and 15321, Chapter 3, Title 14 of the California Administrative Code.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that pursuant to Section 13304 of Division 7 of the California Water Code, the discharger shall comply with the following:

1. Cleanup or abate the effects of the discharge of gasoline in the ground water at 2205 West Broadway, Needles.

- 2. By June 15, 1987, submit to the Regional Board the complete subsurface investigation of the ground water contamination as specified by the County of San Bernardino Department of Environmental Health Services.
- 3. Within two weeks of submittal of the subsurface investigation report submit to the Regional Board a cleanup proposal for recovery of the free product in the ground water and extraction of the contaminated ground water.
- 4. Submit a report of waste discharge with the appropriate filling fee for the discharge of any water from the cleanup operation to the surface or ground waters.

ORDERED BY: Allan Sevajan
Executive Officer

April 14, 1987

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 87-47 FOR

CLEANUP AND ABATEMENT AGAINST

CHEVRON U.S.A. INCORPORATED Needles - San Bernardino County

MONITORING

The discharger shall report to the Regional Board concerning the following:

1. The volume of gasoline and ground water extracted during quarter. This information may be reported in gallons.

REPORTING

- 1. Quarterly monitoring reports shall be submitted to the Regional Board by January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15 of each year.
- 2. Submit monitoring reports to:

California Regional Water Quality Control Board Colorado River Basin Region 73-271 Highway 111, Suite 21 Palm Desert, CA 92260

ORDERED BY:

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Executive Officer

Date