

STA LICENSE LETTER APPLICATION

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Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, NW., Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20554

ATTN: Frank Wright
Office of Engineering and Technology
Re: Request for Special Temporary Authority
for Radio Station License

Dear Ms. Salas:

Chevron Overseas Petroleum Corporation herein requests a grant of special temporary authority for a new mobile radio station license beginning 30 August 2000 and extending until 3 March 2000 to operate 1 land -based INMARSAT earth station from temporary - fixed locations in the United states. In support of this request, John M. Simpson of Chevron Overseas Petroleum Inc submits the following information:

1. Applicant's Name and Address:

Chevron Overseas Petroleum Corporation
Chevron Park, B/2032
6001 Bollinger Canyon Road
San Ramon, CA 94583 USA

2. Name and Address of the person for inquiries regarding this request:

John McLean Simpson
Chevron Overseas Petroleum Corporation
Chevron Park, B/2032
6001 Bollinger Canyon Road
San Ramon, CA 94583 USA

3. Particulars of Operation:

Frequency	Power	Modulating	Necessary Bandwidth
1625 – 1659.5 MHz	3 W RF at terminals 46W from antenna	55K60G1E	10 kHz
1625 – 1659.5 MHz	3 W RF at terminals 46W from antenna	5K60G1E	10 kHz
1625 – 1659.5 MHz	3 W RF at terminals 46W from antenna	12K0G7D	10 kHz

4. Geographical location of the proposed operation:

Chevron Park,
6001 Bollinger Canyon Road
San Ramon, CA 94583 USA

5. Antenna Type: Directional ✓ Non-Directional _____
 Width of the beam in degrees at the half- power point: 35 deg RHCP _____
 Orientation: Horizontal plane _____ Vertical plane _____

6. Transmitting equipment to be installed:

Manufacturer	Type	Number
<u>Thrane & Thrane</u>	<u>TT3060A</u>	<u>1</u>
_____	<u>Portable</u>	_____
_____	<u>Mini M</u>	_____

Chevron Overseas Petroleum Inc., a U.S corporation organized under the laws of the state of California affirmatively states that it does not in any manner act as a representative of a foreign government or a subdivision thereof nor would the authorization sought herein be used for the exclusive purpose of developing radio equipment for export that would come under the jurisdiction of the foreign government. The applicant has never had any FCC station license revoked or any application for permit, license, or renewal ever denied by the Commission.

Chevron Overseas Petroleum Inc., further states that grant of this request would not have a significant environmental impact and, this , does not require an Environmental Statement under Section 1.1307 of the commission's Rules. Unless otherwise indicated in an attachment to this request, the authorization sought herein will not be sought for fulfilling the requirements of a government contract with an agency of the United States Government.

In addition, Chevron Overseas Petroleum Inc., further certifies that neither the applicant, nor any other party to this application is subject to a denial of Federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. & 853a.

This temporary license is sought by Chevron Overseas Petroleum Inc., an oil exploration & production business, to operate 1 (one) INMARSAT Mini M terminal from temporary-fixed location in the United States to - provide emergency / back-up telecommunications services. Simultaneous to this request, COMSAT has submitted to the Common Carrier Bureau a request for special temporary authority to provide satellite communications services to the subject terminal (s) via the INMARSAT system for the purposes stated herein.

Accordingly, Chevron Overseas Petroleum Inc. respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by the operation of the subject terminal for the aforementioned purposes and, thus, request that the commission grant the instant request for temporary authority.

The requisite filing fee of \$45 is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted

 . 19 August 99

Facilities Engineer

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cc: Sylvia Lam
Carl Huie