

PUBLIC INTEREST STATEMENT

ConocoPhillips Communications Inc. (“ConocoPhillips”) and W&T Offshore Inc. (“W&T Offshore”) (collectively, the “Applicants”) are submitting this application requesting the Federal Communications Commission’s (“FCC” or “Commission”) consent to assign two Earth Station Licenses, E040147 and E040148 (collectively, the “Licenses”), from ConocoPhillips to W&T Offshore.

The proposed assignment serves the public interest. ConocoPhillips currently uses the Earth Station Licenses to provide critical data monitoring of off-shore platforms. W&T Offshore will continue operating this infrastructure in the same manner following the transaction. The assignment of the Licenses to W&T Offshore will provide for the uninterrupted operation of these communications facilities to support the Licensees’ oil and gas exploration and production operations. For the reasons set forth herein, grant of these applications will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity, and thus warrants favorable Commission action.

Form 312 Schedule A does not provide enough space for ConocoPhillips’ e-mail address. The Licensee and Assignor e-mail should be “wirelessregulatory@conocophillips.com”.

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