# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION <br> Washington, D.C. 20549 

Form 10-Q
|X| QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 1999
OR
I_| TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

## Commission File Number 1-368-2

Chevron Corporation
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

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\begin{gathered}
575 \text { Market Street, San Francisco, California } \\
--------------------------------------1 \text { (Address of principal executive offices) }
\end{gathered}
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NONE
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or $15(d)$ of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes X No

Indicate the number of shares of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date:

Class Outstanding as of June 30, 1999
Common stock, \$1.50 par value

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This quarterly report on Form 10-Q contains forward-looking statements relating to Chevron's operations that are based on management's current expectations, estimates and projections about the petroleum and chemicals industries. Words such as "expects," "intends," "plans," "projects," "believes," "estimates" and similar expressions are used to identify such forward-looking statements. These statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are difficult to predict. Therefore, actual outcomes and results may differ materially from what is expressed or forecasted in such forward-looking statements.

Among the factors that could cause actual results to differ materially are crude oil and natural gas prices; refining margins and marketing margins; chemicals prices and competitive conditions affecting supply and demand for the company's aromatics, olefins and additives products; potential failure to achieve, and potential delays in achieving, expected production from existing and future oil and gas development projects; potential disruption or interruption of the company's production, manufacturing or transportation facilities due to accidents or political events; potential disruption to the company's operations due to untimely or incomplete resolution of Year 2000 issues by the company and other entities with which it has material relationships; potential liability for remedial actions under existing or future environmental regulations; and potential liability resulting from pending or future litigation. In addition, such statements could be affected by general domestic and international economic and political conditions.

PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## CHEVRON CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME <br> (Unaudited)

|  |  | Three | $\begin{aligned} & \text { nded } \\ & 30, \end{aligned}$ | Six | Months Ended June 30, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars, | Except Per-Share Amounts | 1999 | 1998 | 1999 | 1998 |

Revenues

| Sales and other operating revenues* | \$ | 8,473 |  | 7,754 |  | 14,872 |  | 15,218 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Income from equity affiliates |  | 133 |  | 155 |  | 277 |  | 281 |
| Other income |  | 135 |  | 60 |  | 281 |  | 98 |
| Total Revenues |  | 8,741 |  | 7,969 |  | 15,430 |  | 15,597 |
| Costs and Other Deductions |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased crude oil and products |  | 4,286 |  | 3,549 |  | 7,067 |  | 7,184 |
| Operating expenses |  | 1,444 |  | 1,355 |  | 2,604 |  | 2,561 |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses |  | 449 |  | 276 |  | 846 |  | 529 |
| Exploration expenses |  | 96 |  | 134 |  | 184 |  | 235 |
| Depreciation, depletion and amortization |  | 633 |  | 557 |  | 1,199 |  | 1,111 |
| Taxes other than on income* |  | 1,143 |  | 1,140 |  | 2,221 |  | 2,151 |
| Interest and debt expense |  | 113 |  | 99 |  | 218 |  | 193 |
| Total Costs and Other Deductions |  | 8,164 |  | 7,110 |  | 14,339 |  | 13,964 |
| Income Before Income Tax Expense |  | 577 |  | 859 |  | 1, 091 |  | 1,633 |
| Income Tax Expense |  | 227 |  | 282 |  | 412 |  | 549 |
| Net Income | \$ | 350 | \$ | 577 | \$ | 679 | \$ | 1,084 |
| Per Share of Common Stock: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Income - Basic | \$ | . 54 | \$ | . 88 | \$ | 1.04 | \$ | 1.66 |
| - Diluted | \$ | . 53 | \$ | . 88 | \$ | 1.03 | \$ | 1.65 |
| Dividends | \$ | . 61 | \$ | . 61 | \$ | 1.22 | \$ | 1.22 |
| Weighted Average Number of |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shares Outstanding (000s) - Basic |  | 66,910 |  | 5,459 |  | 655,800 |  | 655,167 |
| - Diluted |  | 0, 033 |  | 7,762 |  | 658,770 |  | 657,503 |
| * Includes consumer excise taxes. | \$ | 986 | \$ | 988 | \$ | 1,898 | \$ | 1,840 |

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Unaudited)

|  | Three Months Ended June 30, |  |  |  | Six Months Ended June 30, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 |  | 1998 |  | 1999 |  | 1998(1) |  |
| Net Income | \$ | 350 | \$ | 577 | \$ | 679 | \$ | 1,084 |
| Currency translation adjustment |  | (11) |  | (1) |  | (11) |  | (1) |
| Unrealized holding loss on securities |  | (4) |  | (3) |  | (10) |  | (1) |
| Minimum pension liability adjustment |  | - |  | - |  | (11) |  | (16) |
| Other Comprehensive Income, net of tax |  | (15) |  | (4) |  | (32) |  | (18) |
| Comprehensive Income | \$ | 335 | \$ | 573 | \$ | 647 | \$ | 1,066 |

(1) Restated for accounting changes effective January 1, 1998, the net effect of which was immaterial.

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

## CHEVRON CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

## CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

| Millions of Dollars | At June 30, 1999 (Unaudited) | At December 31, 1998 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSETS |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 752 | \$ 569 |
| Marketable securities | 955 | 844 |
| Accounts and notes receivable | 3, 027 | 2,813 |
| Inventories: |  |  |
| Crude oil and petroleum products | 573 | 600 |
| Chemicals | 523 | 559 |
| Materials, supplies and other | 320 | 296 |
| Inventories, total | 1,416 | 1,455 |
| Prepaid expenses and other current assets | 1,007 | 616 |
| Total Current Assets | 7,157 | 6,297 |
| Long-term receivables | 863 | 872 |
| Investments and advances | 4,916 | 4,604 |
| Properties, plant and equipment, at cost | 52,674 | 51,337 |
| Less: accumulated depreciation, depletion and amortization | 28,244 | 27,608 |
| Properties, plant and equipment, net | 24,430 | 23,729 |
| Deferred charges and other assets | 1,036 | 1,038 |
| Total Assets | \$38,402 | \$36,540 |


| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Short-term debt | \$ 3,801 | \$ 3,165 |
| Accounts payable | 2,384 | 2,170 |
| Accrued liabilities | 2,187 | 1,202 |
| Federal and other taxes on income | 512 | 226 |
| Other taxes payable | 463 | 403 |
| Total Current Liabilities | 9,347 | 7,166 |
| Long-term debt | 4,044 | 4,128 |
| Capital lease obligations | 275 | 265 |
| Deferred credits and other noncurrent obligations | 1,735 | 2,560 |
| Deferred income taxes | 4,080 | 3,645 |
| Reserves for employee benefit plans | 1,775 | 1,742 |
| Total Liabilities | 21,256 | 19,506 |
| Preferred stock (authorized 100,000,000 shares, $\$ 1.00$ par value, none issued) | - | - |
| Common stock (authorized 1,000,000,000 shares, $\$ 1.50$ par value, $712,487,068$ shares issued) | 1,069 | 1,069 |
| Capital in excess of par value | 2,205 | 2,097 |
| Deferred compensation | (646) | (691) |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income | (122) | (90) |
| Retained earnings | 16,828 | 16,942 |
| Treasury stock, at cost (56,553,770 and $59,460,666$ shares at June 30, 1999 and December 31, 1998, respectively) | $(2,188)$ | $(2,293)$ |
| Total Stockholders' Equity | 17,146 | 17,034 |
| Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity | \$38,402 | \$36,540 |

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

(1) Restated for accounting changes effective January 1, 1998, the net of which was immaterial. Certain other 1998 amounts have been reclassified to conform to the 1999 presentation.

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

## Note 1. Interim Financial Statements

The accompanying consolidated financial statements of Chevron Corporation and its subsidiaries (the company) have not been audited by independent accountants, except for the balance sheet at December 31, 1998. In the opinion of the company's management, the interim data include all adjustments necessary for a fair statement of the results for the interim periods. These adjustments were of a normal recurring nature, except for the special items described in Note 2, and the material reclassification described in Note 3.

Certain notes and other information have been condensed or omitted from the interim financial statements presented in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. Therefore, these financial statements should be read in conjunction with the company's 1998 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

The results for the three- and six-month periods ended June 30, 1999 are not necessarily indicative of future financial results.

## Note 2. Net Income

Net income for the second quarter 1999 included net charges of $\$ 134$ million for special items, compared with net charges of $\$ 43$ million in the 1998 second quarter. The 1999 second quarter included charges of $\$ 146$ million for previously announced staff reductions and other restructuring costs, $\$ 74$ million for net environmental remediation provisions, $\$ 43$ million for asset write-offs and $\$ 23$ million for a regulatory matter. These were partially offset by benefits of $\$ 92$ million from gains on asset dispositions and $\$ 60$ million from favorable prior-year tax adjustments.

Net income for the first six months of 1999 included net charges of $\$ 86$ million from special items, compared with net benefits of $\$ 28$ million in the comparable 1998 period. The net charges of $\$ 134$ million for the second quarter 1999 were partially offset by net benefits of $\$ 48$ million from special items in the first quarter of 1999. The 1999 first quarter results included a special gain of $\$ 60$ million from the sale of the company's interest in a coal mining affiliate, which was partially offset by net environmental remediation provisions of \$12 million.

Foreign currency losses of $\$ 32$ million were included in second quarter 1999 net income, compared with gains of $\$ 96$ million in the comparable 1998 quarter. For the six-month periods, foreign currency losses were $\$ 41$ million in 1999, compared with gains of \$50 million in 1998.

Note 3. Information Relating to the Statement of Cash Flows
The "Net decrease (increase) in operating working capital" is composed of the following:

|  | Six Months Ended <br> June <br> 30, |
| :--- | :--- |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 |

In June 1999, the company reclassified a reserve of $\$ 964$ million established for the Cities Service litigation from "Deferred credits and other noncurrent obligations" to "Accrued liabilities." The 1998 decreases in "Accounts payable and accrued liabilities" and "Accounts and notes receivable" were largely related to lower 1998 prices for crude oil and refined products.
"Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities" includes the following cash payments for interest on debt and for income taxes:

|  |  |  | Six Months Ended June 30, |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 |  | 1998 |  |
| Interest paid on debt (net of capitalized interest) | \$ | 220 | \$ | 195 |
| Income taxes paid | \$ | 189 | \$ | 421 |

The "Net (purchases) sales of marketable securities" consists of the following gross amounts:

|  |  | Six Months Ended June 30, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 | 1998 |
| Marketable securities purchased | \$ $(1,551)$ | \$(1, 110) |
| Marketable securities sold | 1,430 | 1,240 |
| Net (purchases) sales of marketable securities | \$ (121) | \$ 130 |

The Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows excludes the following non-cash transactions:

The company's Employee Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP) repaid $\$ 70$ million and $\$ 60$ million of matured debt guaranteed by Chevron Corporation in January of 1999 and 1998, respectively. These payments were recorded by the company as a reduction in its debt outstanding and in "Deferred compensation." In June 1999, the ESOP borrowed an additional $\$ 25$ million, which is guaranteed by Chevron Corporation. This was recorded by the company as an increase in its debt outstanding and in "Deferred compensation."

Note 4. Operating Segments and Geographic Data
Chevron manages its exploration and production; refining, marketing and transportation; and chemicals businesses separately. The company's primary country of operation is the United States, its country of domicile. Activities in no other country meet the materiality requirements for separate disclosure.

Sales and other operating revenues by segments, including internal transfers, for the three-and six-month periods ended June 30, 1999 and 1998, are presented in the following table.

|  | Three M | ded | Six | Months Ended June 30, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 | 1998 | 1999 | 1998 |

Exploration and Production

| United States | \$ 835 | \$ 864 | \$ 1,463 | \$ 1,733 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| International | 1,393 | 1,096 | 2,381 | 2,340 |
| Sub-total | 2,228 | 1,960 | 3,844 | 4, 073 |
| Intersegment Elimination - United States | (416) | (373) | (722) | (786) |
| Intersegment Elimination - International | (648) | (479) | (1, 088 ) | (1, 038) |
| Total Exploration and Production | 1,164 | 1,108 | 2,034 | 2,249 |

Refining, Marketing and Transportation


## Chemicals

| United States | 720 | 660 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| International |  | 192 |


| All Other |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| - -------- |  |  |  |  |
| United States | 87 | 103 | 194 | 209 |
| International | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| Sub-total | 89 | 105 | 198 | 212 |
| Intersegment Elimination - United States | (12) | (13) | (25) | (24) |
| Intersegment Elimination - International | (1) | (1) | (2) | (1) |
| Total All Other | 76 | 91 | 171 | 187 |

Sales and Other Operating Revenues

| United States | 6,850 | 6,172 | 12,030 | 12,127 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| International | 2,830 | 2,539 | 4,915 | 5,127 |
| Sub-total | 9,680 | 8,711 | 16,945 | 17,254 |
| Intersegment Elimination - United States | (554) | (474) | (975) | (988) |
| Intersegment Elimination - International | (653) | (483) | (1, 098) | (1, 048 ) |
| Total Sales and Other Operating Revenues | \$ 8,473 | \$7,754 | \$14,872 | \$15, 218 |

The company evaluates the performance of its operating segments on an after-tax basis, excluding the effects of debt financing interest expense or investment interest income, both of which are managed by the Chevron Corporation on a worldwide basis. Corporate administrative costs and assets are not allocated to the operating segments; however, operating segments are billed for direct corporate services. Nonbillable costs remain as corporate center expenses. After-tax earnings by segment for the three- and six-month month periods ended June 30, 1999 and 1998 are presented in the following table.

|  | Three | $\begin{aligned} & \text { nded } \\ & \text { e 30, } \end{aligned}$ | Six | Months Ended June 30, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 | 1998 | 1999 | 1998 |

Exploration and Production

| United States | \$ | 98 | \$ | 85 | \$ | 145 | \$ | 191 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| International |  | 221 |  | 211 |  | 337 |  | 344 |
| Total Exploration and Production |  | 319 |  | 296 |  | 482 |  | 535 |
| Refining, Marketing and Transportation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States |  | 109 |  | 225 |  | 191 |  | 270 |
| International |  | 61 |  | 116 |  | 148 |  | 192 |
| Total Refining, Marketing and Transportation |  | 170 |  | 341 |  | 339 |  | 462 |
| Chemicals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States |  | (59) |  | 38 |  | (21) |  | 82 |
| International |  | 19 |  | 9 |  | 31 |  | 28 |
| Total Chemicals |  | (40) |  | 47 |  | 10 |  | 110 |
| Total Segment Income | \$ | 449 | \$ | 684 | \$ | 831 |  | , 107 |
| Interest Expense |  | (80) |  | (66) |  | (154) |  | (129) |
| Interest Income |  | 14 |  | 16 |  | 27 |  | 32 |
| Other |  | (33) |  | (57) |  | (25) |  | 74 |
| Net Income | \$ | 350 | \$ | 577 | \$ | 679 |  | , 084 |

Segment assets at June 30, 1999 and year-end 1998 are presented in the following table. Segment assets do not include intercompany investments or intercompany receivables.

|  | June 30, | December 31, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 | 1998 |

Exploration and Production

| United States | \$ 6,010 | \$ 6,026 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| International | 11,819 | 10,794 |
| Total Exploration and Production | 17,829 | 16,820 |

Refining, Marketing and Transportation

| United States | 8,189 | 8,084 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| International | 3,677 | 3,559 |
| Total Refining, Marketing and Transportation | 11,866 | 11,643 |

Chemicals

| United States | 3,143 | 3, 045 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| International | 865 | 828 |
| Total Chemicals | 4,008 | 3,873 |
| Total Segment Assets | 33,703 | 32,336 |

All Other

| United States | 2,758 | 2,467 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| International | 1,941 | 1,737 |
| Total All Other | 4,699 | 4,204 |
| Total Assets - United States | 20,100 | 19,622 |
| Total Assets - International | 18,302 | 16,918 |
| Total Assets | \$38,402 | \$36,540 |

Note 5. Summarized Financial Data - Chevron U.S.A. Inc.
At June 30, 1999, Chevron U.S.A. Inc. was Chevron Corporation's principal operating company, consisting primarily of the company's U.S. integrated petroleum operations (excluding most of the domestic pipeline operations) and the majority of the company's worldwide petrochemical operations. These operations were conducted by Chevron U.S.A. Production Company, Chevron Products Company and Chevron Chemical Company LLC. Summarized financial information for Chevron U.S.A. Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries is presented as follows:

|  | Three Months Ended June 30, |  | Six Months Ended June 30, |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 | 1998 | 1999 | 1998 |
| Sales and other operating revenues | \$7, 047 | \$6,446 | \$12,299 | \$12,308 |
| Costs and other deductions | 6,993 | 6,156 | 12,224 | 11,861 |
| Net income | 130 | 46 | 208 | 242 |


| Millions of Dollars |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { ee } 30, \\ 1999 \end{array}$ | At December 31, $\begin{array}{r}1998\end{array}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current assets | \$ | 3,621 | \$ | \$ | 3,227 |
| Other assets |  | 19,594 |  |  | 18,306 |
| Current liabilities |  | 5,490 |  |  | 3,809 |
| Other liabilities |  | 6,239 |  |  | 6,517 |
| Net worth |  | 11,486 |  |  | 11,207 |

The increase in "Current liabilities" since December 31, 1998 reflects the reclassification of a reserve established for the Cities Service litigation from "Other liabilities" to "Current liabilities" and an increase in short-term debt.

Note 6. Summarized Financial Data - Chevron Transport Corporation
Chevron Transport Corporation (CTC), a Liberian corporation, is an indirect, wholly owned subsidiary of Chevron Corporation. CTC is the principal operator of Chevron's international tanker fleet and is engaged in the marine transportation of crude oil and refined petroleum products. Most of CTC's shipping revenue is derived by providing transportation services to other Chevron companies. Chevron Corporation has guaranteed this subsidiary's obligations in connection with certain debt securities where CTC is deemed to be an issuer. In accordance with the Securities and Exchange Commission's disclosure requirements for CTC, summarized financial information for CTC and its consolidated subsidiaries is presented below. This summarized financial data was derived from the financial statements prepared on a stand-alone basis in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

|  | Three Months Ended June 30, |  | Six Months Ended June 30, |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 | 1998 | 1999 | 1998 |
| Sales and other operating revenues | \$148 | \$155 | \$270 | \$290 |
| Costs and other deductions | 161 | 164 | 297 | 295 |
| Net (loss) income | (5) | (2) | (11) | 6 |


| Millions of Dollars | $\begin{array}{r} \text { June } 30 \\ 1999 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { December 31, } \\ 1998 \end{array}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current assets | \$ | 296 | \$ | 270 |
| Other assets |  | 877 |  | 982 |
| Current liabilities |  | 839 |  | 898 |
| Other liabilities |  | 275 |  | 284 |
| Net worth |  | 59 |  | 70 |

Separate financial statements and other disclosures with respect to CTC are omitted as such separate financial statements and other disclosures are not material to investors in the debt securities deemed issued by CTC. There were no restrictions on CTC's ability to pay dividends or make loans or advances at June 30, 1999.

Effective July 1, 1999, CTC was merged into CTC Limited, a Bermuda corporation, which assumed all of the assets and liabilities of CTC.

Summarized financial information for the Caltex Group of Companies, owned 50 percent by Chevron and 50 percent by Texaco Inc., is as follows (amounts reported are on a 100 percent Caltex Group basis):
Three Months Ended
Millions of Dollars
June 30,
(1) 1998 amounts have been restated for the cumulative effect of Caltex's adoption of SOP 98-5, "Reporting on the Costs of Start-up Activities," effective January 1, 1998.

## Note 8. Income Taxes

Income tax expense for the second quarter and first half of 1999 was $\$ 227$ and $\$ 412$ million, respectively, compared with $\$ 282$ million and $\$ 549$ million for the comparable 1998 periods. The effective tax rate for the 1999 six months was 37.7 percent compared with 33.6 percent for last year's first half. The increase in the effective tax rate was primarily the result of prior period tax adjustments in 1998, which lowered the effective tax rate in the 1998 first half. Partially offsetting the increase in effective rates in 1999 were higher equity affiliates' after-tax earnings as a proportion of before-tax income.

Note 9 - Employee Staff Reductions and Other Restructuring Costs
In the second quarter 1999, the company recorded a net special before-tax charge of $\$ 187$ million, substantially all of which pertained to separation benefits payable to approximately 2,700 employees as part of a companywide staff reduction program. Staff reductions were identified prior to June 30, 1999, and employees will be separated by June 30, 2000. Of the amount recorded, \$137 million was classified as "Operating expense" and $\$ 40$ million as "Selling, general and administrative expense."

Termination benefits for approximately 2,400 of the 2,700 employees - accrued in accordance with SFAS No. 88, "Employers' Accounting for Settlements and Curtailments of Defined Benefit Plans and for Termination Benefits" - are payable from the funded assets of the company's U.S. and Canadian pension plans. Payments to other employees are from company funds. As of June 30, 1999, payments of approximately $\$ 20$ million had been made to 350 employees.

In addition to the charge discussed above, the company's share of second quarter 1999 net income included a charge of $\$ 25$ million for reorganization costs recorded by Caltex.

## Note 10. Litigation

The company is a party, along with other oil companies, to numerous lawsuits and claims, including actions challenging oil and gas royalty and severance tax payments based on posted prices and actions related to the use of the chemical MTBE in certain oxygenated gasolines. Plaintiffs may seek to recover large and sometimes
unspecified amounts, and some matters may remain unresolved for
several years. It is not practical to estimate a range of possible loss for these litigation matters, and losses could be material with respect to earnings in any given period. However, management is of the opinion that resolution of these matters will not result in any significant liability to the company in relation to its consolidated financial position or have a significant effect on its liquidity.

The company is a defendant in a lawsuit that OXY U.S.A. brought in its capacity as successor in interest to Cities Service Company. The lawsuit claims damages resulting from the allegedly improper termination of a tender offer made by Gulf Oil Corporation, acquired by Chevron in 1984, to purchase Cities Service in 1982. A 1996 trial resulted in a judgment against the company of $\$ 742$ million, including interest that continues to accrue while this matter is pending. The Oklahoma Supreme Court affirmed the lower court's decision in March 1999, and accordingly, the company recorded in 1998 results a litigation reserve of $\$ 637$ million after-tax, substantially all of which pertained to this lawsuit, for the judgment and accrued interest through December 1998. Interest was accrued subsequently and will continue to accrue until this matter is resolved. In March 1999, the company filed a petition for rehearing in the Oklahoma Supreme Court on the issue of damages and requested oral argument. In June 1999, the Oklahoma Supreme Court denied Chevron's motion. In July, the Oklahoma Supreme Court granted a motion to stay the judgment pending Chevron's intended petition for a hearing by the U.S. Supreme Court. The ultimate outcome of this matter cannot be presently determined with certainty, and is dependent on the U.S. Supreme Court's evaluation of Chevron's petition.

In a lawsuit in Los Angeles, California, brought in 1995, the company and five other oil companies are contesting the validity of a patent granted to Unocal Corporation (Unocal) for reformulated gasoline, which the company sells in California during certain months of the year. The first two phases of the trial were concluded in October and November 1997, with the jury upholding the validity of the patent and assessing damages at the rate of 5.75 cents per gallon of gasoline sold in infringement of the patent between March 1 and July 1, 1996. In the third phase of the trial, the judge heard evidence to determine if the patent was enforceable. In August 1998, the judge ruled the patent was enforceable. The defendants filed an appeal in January 1999 and oral arguments were made before the court in July 1999. While the ultimate outcome of this matter cannot be determined with certainty, the company believes Unocal's patent is invalid and any unfavorable rulings should be reversed upon appeal. Unocal continues to file for additional patents for alternate formulations. However, should the jury's findings and Unocal's patents ultimately be upheld, the company's exposure with respect to future reformulated gasoline sales would depend on the availability of alternate formulations and the industry's ability to recover additional costs of production through prices charged to its customers.

## Note 11. Other Contingencies and Commitments

The U.S. federal income tax and California income tax liabilities of the company have been settled through 1990 and 1991, respectively.

In June 1997, Caltex Corporation received a claim from the U.S. Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for $\$ 292$ million in excise taxes, $\$ 140$ million in penalties and $\$ 1.6$ billion in interest. The IRS claim relates to crude oil sales to Japanese customers beginning in 1980. Caltex believes the underlying excise tax claim is wrong and therefore the claim for penalties and interest is wrong. In May 1998, Caltex filed a complaint in the United States Court of Federal Claims asking the Court to hold that Caltex owes nothing on the IRS claim. A decision by the Court remains pending. In February 1999, Caltex renewed a letter of credit for $\$ 2.52$ billion to the IRS that was required to pursue the claim. In May 1999, the IRS agreed to reduce the letter of credit, which is guaranteed by Chevron and Texaco, to $\$ 200$ million.

Settlement of open tax years is not expected to have a material effect on the consolidated financial position or liquidity of the company and, in the opinion of management, adequate provision has been made for income and franchise taxes for all years under examination or subject to future examination.

The company and its subsidiaries have certain other contingent liabilities with respect to guarantees, direct or indirect, of debt of affiliated companies or others and long-term unconditional purchase obligations and
commitments, throughput agreements and take-or-pay agreements, some of which relate to suppliers' financing arrangements.

The company is subject to loss contingencies pursuant to environmental laws and regulations that in the future may require the company to take action to correct or ameliorate the effects on the environment of prior disposal or release of chemical or petroleum substances by the company or other parties. Such contingencies may exist for various sites including, but not limited to: Superfund sites and refineries, chemical plants, oil fields, service stations, terminals and land development areas, whether operating, closed or sold. The amount of such future cost is indeterminable due to such factors as the unknown magnitude of possible contamination, the unknown timing and extent of the corrective actions that may be required, the determination of the company's liability in proportion to other responsible parties and the extent to which such costs are recoverable from third parties. While the company has provided for known environmental obligations that are probable and reasonably estimable, the amount of future costs may be material to results of operations in the period in which they are recognized. The company does not expect these costs to have a material effect on its consolidated financial position or liquidity. Also, the company does not believe its obligation to make such expenditures has had or will have any significant impact on the company's competitive position relative to other domestic or international petroleum or chemical concerns.

The company utilizes various derivative instruments to manage its exposure to price risk stemming from its integrated petroleum activities. All these instruments are commonly used in oil and gas trading activities and are relatively straightforward, involve little complexity and are of a short-term duration. Most of the activity in these instruments is intended to hedge a physical transaction; hence, gains and losses arising from these instruments offset, and are recognized concurrently with, gains and losses from the underlying transactions. The company believes it has no material market or credit risks to its operations, financial position or liquidity as a result of its commodities and other derivatives activities, including forward exchange contracts and interest rate swaps. Its control systems are designed to monitor and manage its financial exposures in accordance with company policies and procedures. The results of operations and financial position of certain equity affiliates may be affected by their business activities involving the use of derivative instruments.

The company's operations, particularly oil and gas exploration and production, can be affected by changing economic, regulatory and political environments in the various countries, including the United States, in which it operates. In certain locations, host governments have imposed restrictions, controls and taxes, and, in others, political conditions have existed that may threaten the safety of employees and the company's continued presence in those countries. Internal unrest or strained relations between a host government and the company or other governments may affect the company's operations. Those developments have, at times, significantly affected the company's related operations and results, and are carefully considered by management when evaluating the level of current and future activity in such countries.

Areas in which the company has significant operations include the United States, Canada, Australia, United Kingdom, Republic of Congo, Angola, Nigeria, Democratic Republic of Congo, Papua New Guinea, China, Indonesia, Venezuela and Thailand. The company's Caltex affiliates have significant operations in Indonesia, Korea, Japan, Australia, Thailand, the Philippines, Singapore, and South Africa. The company's Tengizchevroil affiliate operates in Kazakhstan.

## Financial Results

Net income for the second quarter of 1999 was $\$ 350$ million ( $\$ 0.53$ per share diluted), a decrease of 39 percent from net income of $\$ 577$ million ( $\$ 0.88$ per share - diluted) for the 1998 second quarter. Excluding special items, 1999 second quarter operating earnings were $\$ 484$ million, compared with $\$ 620$ million in the prior-year quarter. Net income for the second quarter included net special charges of $\$ 134$ million in 1999, compared with $\$ 43$ million in the prior-year quarter. In the second quarter 1999, special charges of $\$ 146$ million for employee staff reductions and other restructuring costs, $\$ 74$ million for net environmental remediation provisions, $\$ 43$ million for asset write-downs, and $\$ 23$ million for litigation provisions were partially offset by gains of $\$ 92$ million from asset sales and $\$ 60$ million from favorable prior-year tax adjustments. In the 1998 quarter, special charges of $\$ 68$ million for the write-off of certain computer and telecommunications equipment, and provisions for environmental remediation of $\$ 8$ million, were partially offset by favorable prior-year tax adjustments of $\$ 33$ million

Net income for the first six months of 1999 was $\$ 679$ million ( $\$ 1.03$ per share diluted), down from $\$ 1.084$ billion ( $\$ 1.65$ per share - diluted) for the first half of 1998. Net income for the 1999 period included net special charges of $\$ 86$ million, while 1998 included benefits of $\$ 28$ million from special items. Excluding these items, six-month earnings were $\$ 765$ million in 1999 compared with $\$ 1.056$ billion in the first half of 1998.

Chevron's worldwide exploration and production (upstream) earnings, excluding special items, improved in the 1999 quarter, benefiting from higher crude oil prices and from increases in liquids production in international areas. The company's average U.S. crude oil realization of $\$ 14.29$ per barrel in the second quarter was nearly $\$ 3.00$ higher than the same period last year, while U.S. natural gas prices were about the same as last year. International liquids realizations rose approximately $\$ 2.50$ per barrel.

Chevron's refining, marketing and transportation (downstream) businesses suffered significantly lower earnings. The company's Caltex affiliate's earnings declined sharply are a result of weak refined products margins in the Asia-Pacific region. Operating problems at Chevron's refineries in California prevented the company from benefiting from improved industry margins on the U.S. West Coast.

The effects of foreign currency changes also contributed to the decline in earnings. Foreign currency losses reduced second quarter 1999 net income by \$32 million, while gains of $\$ 96$ million increased earnings in the year-ago quarter. Changes between periods occurred primarily in Caltex's operations and in Chevron's Australian and Canadian businesses. For the six-month periods, foreign currency losses were $\$ 41$ million in 1999 , compared with gains of $\$ 50$ million in the 1998 first half.

Operating Environment and Outlook
Chevron's earnings are affected significantly by fluctuations in the price of crude oil and natural gas. The average spot price for West Texas Intermediate (WTI), a benchmark crude oil, was $\$ 17.66$ per barrel for the quarter - the highest level since the fourth quarter of 1997 and 20 percent higher than the same period last year. For the first six months of 1999, the average spot price of WTI was $\$ 15.44$ per barrel, slightly higher than for the same period last year. In July, the price of WTI averaged around $\$ 20.00$ per barrel. Liquids production from international operations continues to increase, up 4 percent in the second quarter and 6 percent year to date, compared with last year's corresponding periods. The company expects international liquids production for the balance of the year to remain at higher levels than 1998.

Certain countries in which Chevron has producing operations have mandated crude oil production cuts to help boost sales prices of crude oil. To date, Chevron's production has not been materially affected by these reductions, and the company believes that in the current industry environment, the net effect of any curtailments directed by host countries would not be significant to its overall production levels. However, such curtailments or limits may have an adverse effect on the level of new production from current and future development projects.

Chevron has significant production and development projects under way in West Africa. Its share of combined production from Nigeria, Angola, Republic of Congo and Democratic Republic of Congo was more than 330,000 barrels per day in the 1999 first half. Civil unrest, political uncertainty and economic conditions in this area may affect the company's producing operations. Community protests have disrupted the company's production in these countries in the past. The company continues to monitor developments in this area closely, including Nigeria where a civilian government has been recently elected.

Higher prices for crude oil contributed to narrower margins in the downstream business, except on the U.S. West Coast. However, operational problems at the company's Richmond and El Segundo, California, refineries prevented Chevron from realizing the benefits of the strengthened west coast refined products market. Because the refinery problems restricted production of oxygenated gasoline, mandated by California, the company had to purchase products from third parties to meet its customers requirements. The company estimates these refinery upsets reduced second quarter earnings by about $\$ 100$ million. U.S. downstream earnings in the second half of the year are expected to be negatively affected by lower production capacity at the Richmond refinery, while repairs to facilities continue. Repairs to a fluid catalytic cracker are expected to be finished by mid-August 1999, but repairs to a hydrocracker are not expected to be completed until the end of 1999. The company has business interruption insurance coverage and expects to recover some of the losses attributable to the incidents at its Richmond refinery. In addition, the company continues to pursue business interruption and property damage claims for 1998 storm damages to its Pascagoula, Mississippi, refinery. The timing and amount of recovery from these claims are uncertain.

Likewise, earnings from international refining, marketing and transportation businesses declined sharply, as Caltex operations in the Far East, particularly Korea, continued to suffer from weak refined product margins resulting from higher feedstock costs and competitive price discounting. Caltex may continue to be adversely affected by these conditions through the second half of 1999.

Earnings of Chevron's chemicals operations, excluding special items, are not expected to improve significantly in the near-term from last year's trough. Results are expected to remain depressed because of continued downward pressure on commodity chemical product prices and increasing feedstock costs. The low margins are a result of industry manufacturing over-capacity, higher prices for feed stocks and reduced Asian demand for U.S. manufactured products.

Although the recent increases in crude oil and natural gas prices have improved the economic environment in which the company operates, Chevron remains focused on efforts to significantly reduce its cost structure for the long-term. Operating expense reductions, excluding the effects of special items, through the first half of this year totaled about $\$ 100$ million. On a per-barrel basis, operating expenses fell 6 percent to $\$ 5.12$. Excluding the costs associated with the company's growth components international exploration and production and international chemicals - operating expenses were about $\$ 200$ million below last year. The company still intends to reduce its total cost structure by $\$ 500$ million in 1999 compared with 1998. Initiatives that began in the first half of 1999 are expected to reduce costs at a higher rate in the second half of the year.

## Significant Developments Since the First Quarter 1999

Some of the operational highlights since the first quarter of this year were as follows:

Production of natural gas and condensate began from the subsea system at the Gemini project, located in about 3,400 feet of water in the Gulf of Mexico, about 90 miles southeast of New Orleans. Chevron holds a 40 percent interest in the project, which is expected to produce at peak rates of 150-200 million cubic feet per day of natural gas and 2,000-3,000 barrels of condensate per day by the end of 1999.

A significant natural gas discovery was made 16 miles northwest of Fort Liard, Northwest Territories, Canada. Based on the well-test data, expected production of raw gas may reach 70-100 million cubic feet per day. Plans are being developed for the construction of production and transportation facilities and additional wells to permit first production by May 2000. Chevron is the operator and has a 43.4 percent interest in the field.

Production of crude oil began in July 1999 from the Banzala oil field located 12 miles offshore Angola's Cabinda province in the Block 0 concession. Chevron owns 39.2 percent and operates the Block 0 concession. The Banzala Field was producing 4,000 barrels per day at the end of July and is expected to reach a production rate of 25,000
barrels per day when the field's initial development phase is complete and five additional wells are brought into production later this year.

In August 1999, Chevron announced initial oil and gas production from its Benchamas Field in Block 8/32, offshore Thailand. This is the first new production from assets acquired from Rutherford-Moran Oil Corporation in early 1999. Initial production from Benchamas is 35 million cubic feet of natural gas and 2,200 barrels of oil per day. Production from the field is expected to increase to 75 million cubic feet of natural gas per day and 25,000 barrels of oil per day by October. Chevron holds a 51.66 percent interest in the block and will become, subject to necessary government approvals, operator of the concession on October 1, 1999.

Total liquids production from the Tengiz Field in Kazakhstan averaged 211,000 barrels per day during the first half of 1999, up 20 percent compared with last year's first half, and reached a new monthly record of 221,000 barrels per day in June 1999. Chevron has a 45 percent interest in the field.

Site preparation is under way at the Caspian Pipeline Consortium's (CPC) marine terminal at the Russian port of Novorossiysk. When completed in 2001, the 900-mile CPC crude oil pipeline will provide a vital crude oil transportation link from the Tengiz Field in western Kazakhstan to the Black Sea. The pipeline will have an initial export capacity of 560,000 barrels per day and is expected to eventually reach 1.5 million barrels per day. It is the key transportation element in the goal to expand crude oil production from the Tengiz Field to 700,000 barrels per day by 2010.

Chevron and Sasol Ltd., a South African operator of gas-to-liquid (GTL) processing facilities, signed an agreement to create a global joint venture to utilize GTL technology that converts natural gas into synthetic crude oil for further processing into environmentally superior commercial products, principally no-sulfur diesel and naphtha. The global joint venture will participate in the operation of the previously announced wholly-owned chevron GTL facility in Nigeria, which is expected to come on-stream in 2003.
Target production is expected to be about 30,000 barrels per day.
Dynegy Inc., 28 percent owned by Chevron, announced an agreement to merge with Illinova Corp., an energy services holding company in Illinois. Chevron intends to invest an additional $\$ 200-\$ 240$ million to maintain a comparable percentage interest in the combined company. The merger, which will accelerate Dynegy's growth in the power generation and marketing business, is expected to be completed by the end of the first quarter 2000.

In July, the company announced that it had completed the sale of the company's remaining offshore California production assets to Arguello Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Plains Resources Inc.. The sale completes Chevron's exit from offshore California oil and gas production activities. At the time of the sale, Chevron's share of net production from these facilities was about 4,600 barrels of crude oil per day; less than one percent of Chevron's U.S. net production.

Caltex Corporation, Chevron's 50 percent owned affiliate, announced on July 28, 1999 that it had entered into a non-binding, written understanding with Nippon Mitsubishi Oil Corporation (NMOC) relating to a public tender offer for shares of Koa Oil Co. Ltd. (Koa), a Japanese refining enterprise. Caltex currently owns 72,600,000 shares, or 50 percent, of Koa. The understanding sets forth conditions under which NMOC would undertake a public tender in Japan for $72,600,000$ shares of Koa at 360 Yen (about $\$ 3.10$ ) per share. NMOC separately announced on July 28, 1999 an intended public tender offer in late August with completion, pricing and other details subject to due diligence review and market conditions. If formalized in late August, the tender would run until mid-September. Caltex has not committed to tendering its shares under NMOC's offer. There are numerous uncertainties surrounding the ultimate outcome of the tender offer. If Caltex were to tender its shares to NMOC for the equivalent of $\$ 3.10$ per share, a loss from the sale of the shares tendered would be recorded in the third quarter 1999.

Year 2000 Problem
The Year 2000 problem is the result of computer systems and other equipment with embedded chips or processors using two digits, rather than four, to define a specific year and potentially being unable to process accurately certain data before, during or after 2000. This could result in system failures or miscalculations, causing disruptions to various activities and operations.

Chevron has established a corporate-level Year 2000 project team to coordinate the efforts of teams in the company's operating units and corporate departments to address the Year 2000 issue in three major areas: information technology, embedded systems and supply chain. Information technology includes the computer hardware, systems and software used throughout the company's facilities. Embedded systems exist in automated equipment and associated software, which are used in the company's exploration and production facilities, refineries, transportation operations, chemical plants and other business operations. Supply chain includes the third parties with which Chevron conducts business. The company also is monitoring the Year 2000 efforts of its equity affiliates and joint-venture partners. Progress reports on the Year 2000 project are presented regularly to the company's senior management and periodically to the Audit Committee of the company's Board of Directors.

The company is addressing the Year 2000 issue in three overlapping phases: (1) identification and assessment of all critical equipment, software systems and business relationships that may require modification or replacement prior to 2000; (2) resolution of critical items through remediation and testing of modifications, replacement, or development of alternative business processes; and (3) development of contingency and business continuation plans for critical items to mitigate any disruptions to the company's operations.

Chevron intends to address all critical items prior to 2000. Phase 1 identification and assessment - is complete. Regarding Phase 2, the company estimates that at June 30, 1999, over 85 percent of embedded systems issues had been completed, along with over 90 percent of information technology issues. The company expects Phase 2 to be essentially finished by the end of the third quarter 1999. Phase 3 - contingency planning - is also scheduled for completion at the end of the third quarter. At June 30, 1999, the company estimates that it had completed over 80 percent of the work in this area.

The company used a risk-based analysis of its operations to identify those items deemed to be "mission critical," defined as having the potential for significant adverse effects in one or more of five areas: environmental protection, safety, ongoing business relationships, financial and legal exposure, and company credibility and image. Over 400 items of varying degrees of complexity in the company's own operations and about 800 third-party relationships have been deemed mission-critical. Many mission-critical items already have been found to be compliant, while others are undergoing remediation and testing. The company's major financial systems and desktop computer systems were upgraded in separate projects and are already compliant. Chevron is corresponding with all mission-critical third parties and has met with a large percentage of them, either alone or with other potentially affected parties, to determine the relative risks of major Year 2000-related problems and to determine how to mitigate such risks. Additional items and third-party relationships may be added to or removed from this population, as more information becomes available.

Using practical risk assessment and testing techniques, Chevron has divided its list of more than 400 mission-critical items in its own operations into three categories: (1) those that are expected to be tested and made Year 2000 compliant prior to 2000; (2) items that will be removed from service without testing and replaced with Year 2000 compliant items; and (3) items found not to be Year 2000 compliant, will be "worked around," until they can be replaced or made compliant. Because of the scope of Chevron's operations, the company believes it is impractical to eliminate all potential Year 2000 problems before they arise. As a result, Chevron expects that for non-mission-critical items and those mission-critical items that remain "worked around," Year 2000 remedial efforts will continue into the year 2000.

In the normal course of business, the company has developed and maintains extensive contingency plans to respond to equipment failures, emergencies and business interruptions. However, contingency planning for Year 2000 issues is complicated by the possibility of multiple and simultaneous incidents, which could significantly impede efforts to respond to emergencies and resume normal business functions. Such incidents may be outside of the company's control, for example, if mission-critical third parties do not successfully address their own material Year 2000 problems.

The company is enhancing existing plans, where necessary, and in some cases developing new plans specifically designed to mitigate the impact on its operations of potential failures from the Year 2000 issue. The company expects to complete and test, where appropriate, its contingency plans by the end of the third quarter 1999. These plans will be designed to continue safe operations, protect the environment, protect the company's assets and enable the resumption of any interrupted operations in a timely and efficient manner. The company's contingency plans will focus on: third-party relationships as necessary; internal mission critical items that are not remediated or
otherwise addressed as expected by the end of the third quarter 1999, if any; and other internal mission-critical items that have been remediated but could not be fully tested prior to 2000.

The company utilizes both internal and external resources in its Year 2000 efforts. The cumulative total cost to achieve Year 2000 compliance is currently estimated at approximately $\$ 200$ million, mostly for expense-type items, not all of which is incremental to the company's operations. This is about $\$ 25$ million lower than earlier estimates. Approximately $\$ 130$ million had been spent through June 30, 1999. Most of the future expenditures will be incurred during the remainder of 1999. The foregoing amounts include the company's share of expenditures by its major affiliates.

As part of the Securities and Exchange Commission's reporting requirements on the Year 2000 problem, companies must include a description of their "most reasonably likely worst-case scenarios" from potential Year 2000 issues. For Chevron, its business diversity is expected to reduce the risk of widespread disruptions to its worldwide operations from Year 2000-related incidents. The company does not expect unusual risks to public safety or to the environment to arise from potential Year 2000-related failures. While the company believes that the impact of any individual Year 2000 failure most likely will be localized and limited to specific facilities or operations, it is not yet able to fully assess the likelihood of significant business interruptions occurring in one or more of its operations around the world. Such interruptions could delay manufacturing and delivery of refined products and chemicals products by the company to customers. The company could also face interruptions in its ability to produce crude oil and natural gas. While not expected, failures to address multiple critical Year 2000 issues, including failures to implement contingency plans in a timely manner, could materially and adversely affect the company's results of operations or liquidity in any one period. The company is currently unable to predict the aggregate financial or other consequences of such potential interruptions.

The foregoing disclosure is based on Chevron's current expectations, estimates and projections, which could ultimately prove to be inaccurate. Because of uncertainties, the actual effects of the Year 2000 issues on Chevron may be different from the company's current assessment. Factors, many of which are outside the control of the company, that could affect Chevron's ability to be Year 2000 compliant by the end of 1999, include: the failure of customers, suppliers, governmental entities and others to achieve compliance, and the inability or failure to identify all critical Year 2000 issues, or to develop appropriate contingency plans for all Year 2000 issues that ultimately may arise. The foregoing disclosure is made pursuant to the Federal Year 2000 Information and Readiness Disclosure Act.

Other Contingencies and Significant Litigation
The company is a defendant in a lawsuit that OXY U.S.A. brought in its capacity as successor in interest to Cities Service Company. The lawsuit claims damages resulting from the allegedly improper termination of a tender offer made by Gulf Oil Corporation, acquired by Chevron in 1984, to purchase Cities Service in 1982. A 1996 trial resulted in a judgment against the company of $\$ 742$ million, including interest that continues to accrue while this matter is pending. The Oklahoma Supreme Court affirmed the lower court's decision in March 1999, and accordingly, the company recorded in 1998 results a litigation reserve of $\$ 637$ million after-tax, substantially all of which pertained to this lawsuit, for the judgment and accrued interest through December 1998. Interest was accrued subsequently and will continue to accrue until this matter is resolved. In March 1999, the company filed a petition for rehearing in the Oklahoma Supreme Court on the issue of damages and requested oral argument. In June 1999, the Oklahoma Supreme Court denied Chevron's motion. In July, the Oklahoma Supreme Court granted a motion to stay the judgment pending Chevron's intended petition for a hearing by the U.S. Supreme Court. The ultimate outcome of this matter cannot be presently determined with certainty, and is dependent on the U.S. Supreme Court's evaluation of Chevron's petition.

In a lawsuit in Los Angeles, California, brought in 1995, the company and five other oil companies are contesting the validity of a patent granted to Unocal Corporation (Unocal) for reformulated gasoline, which the company sells in California during certain months of the year. The first two phases of the trial were concluded in October and November 1997, with the jury upholding the validity of the patent and assessing damages at the rate of 5.75 cents per gallon of gasoline sold in infringement of the patent between March 1 and July 1, 1996. In the third phase of the trial, the judge heard evidence to determine if the patent is enforceable, and in August 1998, ruled that the patent was enforceable. The defendants filed an appeal in January 1999 and oral arguments were made before the court in July 1999. While the ultimate outcome of this matter cannot be determined with certainty, the company believes Unocal's patent is invalid and any unfavorable rulings should be reversed upon appeal. Unocal continues to file for
additional patents for alternate formulations. However, should the jury's findings and Unocal's patents ultimately be upheld, the company's exposure with respect to future reformulated gasoline sales would depend on the availability of alternate formulations and the industry's ability to recover the additional costs of production through prices charged to its customers.

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The company is a party to numerous lawsuits and claims, including, along with other oil companies, actions challenging oil and gas royalty and severance tax payments based on posted prices and others related to the use of the chemical MTBE in certain oxygenated gasolines. These lawsuits and other contingent liabilities are discussed in the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements. The company believes that the resolution of these matters will not materially affect its financial position or liquidity, although costs associated with their resolution could be material with respect to earnings in any given period.

The company utilizes various derivative instruments to manage its exposure to price risk stemming from its integrated petroleum activities. All these instruments are commonly used in oil and gas trading activities and are relatively straightforward, involve little complexity and are of a short-term duration. Most of the activity in these instruments is intended to hedge a physical transaction; hence, gains and losses arising from these instruments offset, and are recognized concurrently with, gains and losses from the underlying transactions. The company believes it has no material market or credit risks to its operations, financial position or liquidity as a result of its commodities and other derivatives activities, including forward exchange contracts and interest rate swaps. Its control systems are designed to monitor and manage its financial exposures in accordance with company policies and procedures. The results of operations and financial position of certain equity affiliates may be affected by their business activities involving the use of derivative instruments.

The company's operations, particularly oil and gas exploration and production, can be affected by changing economic, regulatory and political environments in the various countries, including the United States, in which it operates. Political uncertainty and civil unrest may, at times, threaten the safety of employees and the company's continued presence in a country. Management carefully considers these factors when evaluating the level of current and future activity in such countries.

Chevron and its affiliates continue to review and analyze their operations and may close, abandon, sell, exchange, acquire or restructure assets to achieve operational or strategic benefits and to improve competitiveness and profitability. In addition, Chevron receives claims from, and submits claims to, customers, trading partners, contractors, insurers and suppliers. The amounts of these claims, individually and in the aggregate, may be significant and take lengthy periods to resolve. The company also suspends the costs of exploratory wells pending a final determination of the commercial potential of the related oil and gas fields. The ultimate disposition of these well costs is dependent on the results of future drilling activity and/or development decisions. If the company decides not to continue development, the costs of these wells are expensed. These activities, individually or together, may result in gains or losses in future periods.

Review of Operations
Total revenues for the quarter were $\$ 8.7$ billion, an increase of 9 percent from $\$ 8.0$ billion in last year's second quarter. Higher realizations for refined products and crude oil sales primarily drove the improvement. For the six-month period, total revenues were $\$ 15.4$ billion, about the same as the first half of 1998.

Second quarter 1999 "Selling, general and administrative" (SG\&A) expenses of $\$ 449$ million were $\$ 173$ million higher than the 1998 quarter. Excluding special items, expenses in the 1999 quarter were $\$ 288$ million, compared with $\$ 320$ million in the 1998 quarter. For the six-month period, SG\&A expenses of \$846 million were $\$ 317$ million higher than the first half of 1998. Excluding special items, expenses in the 1999 period were $\$ 670$ million, compared with $\$ 640$ million for the first half of 1998.

Second quarter 1999 "Depreciation, depletion and amortization" (DD\&A) expenses of $\$ 633$ million were $\$ 76$ million higher than the 1998 quarter. For the six-month period, DD\&A expenses of $\$ 1,199$ million were $\$ 88$ million higher than the first half of 1998. Special items related to asset write-offs increased DD\&A expenses by $\$ 55$ million for the second quarter and first half of 1999.

Income tax expense for the second quarter and first half of 1999 was $\$ 227$ and $\$ 412$ million, respectively, compared with $\$ 282$ million and $\$ 549$ million for the comparable 1998 periods. The effective tax rate for the 1999 six months was 37.7 percent compared with 33.6 percent for last year's first half. The increase in the effective tax rate was primarily the result of prior period tax adjustments in 1998, which lowered the effective tax rate in the 1998 first half. Partially offsetting the increase in effective rates in 1999 were higher equity affiliates' after-tax earnings as a proportion of before-tax income.

The following tables detail the company's after-tax earnings by major operating area and selected operating data.

## EARNINGS BY MAJOR OPERATING AREA

|  | Three | Months Ended June 30, | Six Months Ended June 30, |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Millions of Dollars | 1999 | 1998 | 1999 | 1998 |  |
| Exploration and Production |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States | \$ 98 | \$ 85 | \$145 | \$ | 191 |
| International | 221 | 211 | 337 |  | 344 |
| Total Exploration and Production | 319 | 296 | 482 |  | 535 |
| Refining, Marketing and Transportation |  |  |  |  |  |
| International | 61 | 116 | 148 |  | 192 |
| Total Refining, Marketing and Transportation | 170 | 341 | 339 |  | 462 |
| Chemicals | (40) | 47 | 10 |  | 110 |
| All Other (2) | (99) | (107) | (152) |  | (23) |
| Net Income | \$350 | \$577 | \$679 |  | 084 |

(1) Restated for accounting changes effective January 1, 1998, the net effect of which was immaterial.
(2) Includes interest expense, interest income on cash and marketable securities, coal operations, corporate center costs, and real estate and insurance activities.
Three Months Ended

June 30, $\quad$| Six Months Ended |
| :---: |
| June 30, |

| U.S. Exploration and Production |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Crude Oil and Natural Gas Liquids Production (MBPD) |  | 312 |  | 337 |  | 309 |  | 336 |
| Net Natural Gas Production (MMCFPD) |  | 1,638 |  | 1,786 |  | 1,657 |  | 1,796 |
| Sales of Natural Gas (MMCFPD) |  | 3,265 |  | 3,336 |  | 3,312 |  | 3,416 |
| Sales of Natural Gas Liquids (MBPD) |  | 109 |  | 127 |  | 128 |  | 134 |
| Revenue from Net Production |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Crude Oil (\$/Bbl.) | \$ | 14.29 | \$ | 11.35 | \$ | 12.16 | \$ | 11.92 |
| Natural Gas (\$/MCF) | \$ | 2.06 | \$ | 2.08 | \$ | 1.85 | \$ | 2.08 |
| International Exploration and Production |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Crude Oil and Natural Gas Liquids Production (MBPD) |  | 796 |  | 764 |  | 803 |  | 756 |
| Net Natural Gas Production (MMCFPD) |  | 837 |  | 559 |  | 835 |  | 602 |
| Sales of Natural Gas (MMCFPD) |  | 1,679 |  | 1,398 |  | 1,793 |  | 1,363 |
| Sales of Natural Gas Liquids (MBPD) |  | 51 |  | 60 |  | 51 |  | 58 |
| Revenue from Liftings |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Liquids (\$/Bbl.) | \$ | 14.86 | \$ | 12.38 | \$ | 12.81 | \$ | 12.68 |
| Natural Gas (\$/MCF) | \$ | 1.77 | \$ | 1.81 | \$ | 1.80 | \$ | 1.89 |
| Other Produced Volumes (MBPD) (3) |  | 96 |  | 93 |  | 100 |  | 92 |
| U.S. Refining, Marketing and Transportation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales of Gasoline (MBPD) (4) |  | 694 |  | 689 |  | 655 |  | 644 |
| Sales of Other Refined Products (MBPD) |  | 674 |  | 618 |  | 623 |  | 576 |
| Refinery Input (MBPD) |  | 969 |  | 996 |  | 946 |  | 877 |
| Average Refined Product Sales Price (\$/Bbl.) | \$ | 25.79 | \$ | 22.75 | \$ | 23.25 | \$ | 23.17 |
| International Refining, Marketing and Transportation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales of Refined Products (MBPD) (5) |  | 895 |  | 803 |  | 902 |  | 812 |
| Refinery Input (MBPD) |  | 475 |  | 478 |  | 485 |  | 485 |
| Chemical Sales and Other Operating Revenues (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States | \$ | 720 | \$ | 660 | \$ | 1,347 | \$ | 1,340 |
| International |  | 192 |  | 140 |  | 368 |  | 285 |
| Worldwide | \$ | 912 | \$ | 800 |  | 1,715 |  | 1,625 |

(1) Includes equity in affiliates.
(2) MBPD $=$ thousand barrels per day; MMCFPD $=$ million cubic feet per day; Bbl .
= barrel; MCF = thousand cubic feet
(3) Represents total field production
under the Boscan operating service agreement in Venezuela.
(4) Includes branded and unbranded gasoline.
(5) Volumes for 1998 are revised to conform to the 1999 presentation.
(6) Millions of dollars. Includes sales to other Chevron companies.

WORLDWIDE EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION earned $\$ 319$ million in the second quarter of 1999, compared with $\$ 296$ million in the corresponding 1998 period. Earnings of $\$ 482$ million in the first six months of 1999 were 10 percent lower than the $\$ 535$ million earned in the 1998 first half. U.S. EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION net income for the 1999 second quarter was $\$ 98$ million, an increase of 15 percent from $\$ 85$ million earned in the 1998 second quarter. Net income for six months was $\$ 145$ million in 1999, compared with $\$ 191$ million earned in the first six months of 1998. Special items reduced 1999's second quarter earnings $\$ 26$ million for staff reductions and other restructuring costs;
$\$ 23$ million for litigation and regulatory provisions and $\$ 6$ million for environmental remediation accruals. In addition to the second quarter items, earnings for the 1999 six months benefited $\$ 3$ million from the first quarter 1999 reversal of certain environmental remediation provisions. There were no special items in the 1998 three- or six- month periods. Excluding special items, 1999 second quarter earnings nearly doubled to $\$ 153$ million and six-month earnings were \$197 million, compared with \$191 million in 1998.

Net U.S. liquids production averaged 312,000 barrels per day in the second quarter of 1999 and 309,000 barrels per day year to date. In 1998, liquids production was 337,000 barrels per day in the second quarter and 336,000 barrels per day year to date. Net U.S. natural gas production of 1.6 billion cubic feet per day in the 1999 second quarter and 1.7 billion cubic feet per day for six months declined from 1.8 billion cubic feet per day for each of the two 1998 periods. The declines in U.S. production of liquids and natural gas were primarily attributable to property sales and normal field declines, which more than offset new production.

The company's 1999 average second quarter U.S. crude oil realizations of $\$ 14.29$ per barrel improved \$2.94, or 26 percent, compared with the second quarter 1998. Average second quarter U.S. natural gas realizations of $\$ 2.06$ per thousand cubic feet were about flat with the second quarter of last year. On a year-to-date basis, 1999 crude oil realizations were $\$ 12.16$ per barrel, about 2 percent higher than the $\$ 11.92$ per barrel obtained in 1998; and natural gas prices were $\$ 1.85$ per thousand cubic feet, a decline of 11 percent from $\$ 2.08$ per thousand cubic feet last year.

Earnings for the 1999 second quarter also benefited from lower exploration and operating expenses.

INTERNATIONAL EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION net income for the second quarter 1999 was $\$ 221$ million, up from $\$ 211$ million in the prior year's quarter. Net income for the 1999 second quarter included no net effect from special items, as charges for staff reductions and other restructuring costs were completely offset by a gain from the sale of Canadian seismic data. Earnings for the 1998 second quarter, excluding special prior-year tax benefits of $\$ 21$ million, were $\$ 190$ million. The increase in earnings reflected higher crude oil prices and increased crude oil liftings compared with the year-ago quarter.

Net income of $\$ 337$ million in the first six months of 1999 was about flat with the $\$ 344$ million earned in the 1998 first half. There were no net effects from special items in the 1999 period. The six-month results in 1998 were reduced a net $\$ 3$ million by a first quarter loss of $\$ 56$ million on asset dispositions, partially offset by a $\$ 32$ million favorable cumulative effect from the change of accounting for certain Canadian deferred income taxes, in addition to the second quarter special items.

Net international liquids production of 796,000 barrels per day for the second quarter 1999 increased 32,000 barrels per day compared with last year's quarter, primarily due to new or increased production in Angola, Kazakhstan and offshore eastern Canada (Hibernia). These increases were partially offset by lower net liquids production in Australia, Indonesia, Nigeria and the Republic of Congo. Lower production from these areas was primarily the result of field maintenance activities and OPEC-related curtailments. Year-to-date 1999 production was 803,000 barrels per day, a 6 percent increase from 756,000 barrels per day produced in 1998.

Net natural gas production increased about 50 percent to 837 million cubic feet per day, reflecting production from the Britannia Field in the U.K. North Sea which began production in August 1998 - and higher production in western Canada. Year-to-date natural gas production was 835 million cubic feet per day, up 39 percent from last year.

The company's average international crude oil realizations of $\$ 14.86$ per barrel in the 1999 second quarter improved $\$ 2.48$, or 20 percent, compared with the second quarter of 1998. Average 1999 international natural gas realizations of $\$ 1.77$ per thousand cubic feet were 4 cents lower than in the second quarter of last year. On a year-to-date basis, 1999 crude oil realizations were $\$ 12.81$ per barrel, 13 cents higher than the $\$ 12.68$ per barrel obtained in 1998. Natural gas prices were $\$ 1.80$ per thousand cubic feet, a decline of 5 percent from $\$ 1.89$ per thousand cubic feet last year.

Net income in the 1999 second quarter and six months included foreign currency losses of $\$ 12$ million and $\$ 28$ million, respectively, compared with gains of $\$ 38$ million and $\$ 23$ million in the comparable periods in 1998. Effects in both years were primarily in the company's Australian and Canadian operations.

WORLDWIDE REFINING, MARKETING AND TRANSPORTATION operations reported earnings of $\$ 170$ million in the 1999 second quarter, about half the $\$ 341$ million earned in last year's second quarter. The 1999 first-half earnings were $\$ 339$ million, a 27 percent decrease from the corresponding 1998 period. U.S. REFINING, MARKETING AND TRANSPORTATION net income was $\$ 109$ million in the second quarter, compared with $\$ 225$ million in the second quarter of 1998. In the 1999 quarter, a $\$ 75$ million gain from the sale of the company's interest in a pipeline affiliate was partially offset by net charges of $\$ 40$ million for environmental remediation and a $\$ 24$ million provision for staff reductions and other restructuring costs. A net special environmental remediation charge of $\$ 8$ million was recorded in the 1998 second quarter. Excluding special items, earnings were $\$ 98$ million compared with $\$ 233$ million in last year's second quarter.

Six-month earnings for 1999 were $\$ 191$ million compared with $\$ 270$ million in the comparable 1998 period. Special charges reduced earnings $\$ 4$ million and $\$ 13$ million, respectively in the 1999 and 1998 first half. In addition to the second quarter special items, both six months periods included additional provisions for environmental remediation - \$15 million in 1999 and $\$ 5$ million in 1998. Excluding special items, year-to-date earnings were $\$ 195$ million compared with \$283 million in the 1998 first half.

Refined products sales realizations increased over last year's quarter, primarily reflecting stronger West Coast prices. However, due to operating problems at Chevron's California refineries, these improved market conditions did not lead to higher earnings for the company. Consequently, second quarter and six-month 1999 earnings suffered by about $\$ 100$ million, mainly the result of substituting higher priced third-party refined products purchases for the company's own production to meet marketplace demand. The purchase of third-party products continues into the third quarter, as Chevron's gasoline production capability at the Richmond, California, refinery remains restricted while repairs are under way.

Total refined product sales volumes were 1.368 million barrels per day in the second quarter 1999, up 5 percent from the comparable quarter last year. Chevron-branded motor gasoline sales improved by 4 percent over last year's quarter to 553,000 barrels per day. Year to date, sales volumes were up about 5 percent to 1.278 million barrels per day.

The company's average refined product prices were $\$ 25.79$ per barrel in the 1999 second quarter compared with $\$ 22.75$ in the 1998 quarter. Average refined product prices were $\$ 23.25$ and $\$ 23.17$ in the first halves of 1999 and 1998, respectively.

INTERNATIONAL REFINING, MARKETING AND TRANSPORTATION net earnings were \$61 million and $\$ 148$ million in the 1999 second quarter and six months, respectively, compared with $\$ 116$ million and $\$ 192$ million in the comparable periods last year. Results for the 1999 quarter and six months included net benefits of $\$ 30$ million from special items. These net benefits were comprised of favorable Korean tax adjustments that were partially offset by restructuring charges attributable to both Caltex and Chevron operations. Results for the 1998 six months included a special charge of $\$ 25$ million for the company's share of the cumulative effect from Caltex's adoption of a new accounting standard. Net income included foreign currency losses of $\$ 21$ million in the second quarter of 1999, compared with gains of $\$ 59$ million in the 1998 quarter. In the first half of 1999, foreign currency effects resulted in losses of $\$ 16$ million, compared with gains of $\$ 28$ million in the 1998 first half.

Earnings from Caltex operations, after excluding the effects of foreign currency losses of $\$ 19$ million and net special gains of $\$ 35$ million in the second quarter 1999, and foreign currency gains of $\$ 56$ million in the second quarter of 1998, were $\$ 25$ million in second quarter 1999, compared with $\$ 30$ million in the second quarter of 1998. The 1999 quarter included a benefit of $\$ 34$ million for the company's share of Caltex's lower-of-cost-or-market inventory valuation adjustment. For the six-month periods, after excluding foreign currency losses of $\$ 12$ million and net special gains of $\$ 35$ million in 1999, and foreign currency gains of $\$ 27$ million and a net special charge of $\$ 25$ million in 1998, earnings for Caltex operations were $\$ 92$ million in 1999, compared with $\$ 134$ million in 1998. The 1999 period included a benefit of about $\$ 64$ million for the company's share of Caltex's lower-of-cost-or-market inventory valuation adjustment, while the 1998 period included benefits of about $\$ 25$ million from the reversal of certain deferred income tax valuation allowances

After excluding the benefits from inventory valuation and deferred income tax adjustments and special items in all periods, earnings from Caltex operations have declined in both 1999 periods, despite increased sales volumes. This was primarily due to depressed refined products sales margins in the Asia-Pacific region. In particular, results from

Caltex's Korean operations suffered from lower refined products sales prices in the second quarter and first half of 1999, compared with the corresponding year-ago periods. The Asia-Pacific market continues to experience competitive price discounting and has failed to recover rising crude oil costs in the prices for refined products. We do not anticipate any immediate recovery in sales margins, as the Asia-Pacific markets continue to experience surplus manufacturing capacity and related oversupply conditions.

Total refined products sales volumes increased by 11 percent to 895,000 barrels per day in the second quarter of 1999 and 902,000 barrels per day, year to date, compared with the same periods last year. The increase occurred primarily in the Caltex areas of operation and in the company's fuel and marine lubricants affiliate that was formed in late 1998.

CHEMICALS recorded a net loss of $\$ 40$ million in the 1999 second quarter, compared with net earnings of $\$ 47$ million in last year's second quarter. Results in the first half of 1999 were $\$ 10$ million compared with $\$ 110$ million in 1998. Net income for the second quarter and six months of 1999 included special charges of $\$ 43$ million for asset write-downs, $\$ 28$ million for environmental remediation, and $\$ 20$ million for staff reductions and other restructuring costs. There were no special items in the 1998 periods. Excluding special items, earnings were $\$ 51$ million and $\$ 101$ million in the 1999 second quarter and six months, respectively, compared with $\$ 47$ million and $\$ 110$ million in the comparable periods last year. Operating earnings for the quarter and year to date remained depressed because of prolonged unfavorable market conditions for commodity chemicals and additives for lubricants and fuels. In addition, prices have not increased sufficiently to offset rising feedstock costs.

ALL OTHER includes interest expense, interest income on cash and marketable securities, coal operations, corporate center costs and real estate and insurance operations. These activities incurred net charges of $\$ 99$ million in the second quarter of 1999, compared with net charges of $\$ 107$ million in the comparable prior-year quarter. The 1999 second quarter results included special charges of $\$ 29$ million for employee termination benefits. Special charges of $\$ 56$ million in the 1998 quarter consisted of $\$ 68$ million of asset write-offs, partially offset by $\$ 12$ million of favorable prior-year tax adjustments. Year-to-date charges were $\$ 152$ million in 1999, compared with $\$ 23$ million in last year's first half. Net special items of $\$ 31$ million in the 1999 first half included gains from asset sales of $\$ 60$ million partially offset by the second quarter charges for employee termination benefits. The 1998 year-to-date results included favorable prior-year income tax related adjustments of $\$ 125$ million in addition to the second quarter special charge.

Earnings from the company's coal operations for the 1999 second quarter fell $\$ 5$ million to $\$ 3$ million and included a charge for the planned disposition of the company's remaining coal assets. Net income in the 1999 six months was $\$ 82$ million compared with $\$ 20$ million last year. Results for the 1999 six months included a $\$ 60$ million gain from the sale of the company's equity interest in a coal mining affiliate. Excluding the special gain, earnings were about flat at $\$ 22$ million. The company's exit from the coal business, which has experienced unforeseen delays is expected to be substantially complete by the end of the third quarter of 1999.

Excluding special items, ongoing charges from other activities in the second quarter of 1999 were $\$ 73$ million, compared with $\$ 59$ million last year. Charges for six months were $\$ 205$ million compared with $\$ 112$ million last year. Higher charges in the 1999 periods were primarily the result of higher interest expense on higher debt levels.

Liquidity and Capital Resources
Cash and cash equivalents totaled $\$ 752$ million at June 30, 1999 - a $\$ 183$ million increase from year-end 1998. In addition to cash from operations, an increase in short-term debt was required to fund the company's capital expenditures and dividend payments to shareholders.

On July 28, 1999, Chevron declared a quarterly dividend of 61 cents per share, unchanged from the preceding quarter.

In March 1999, Chevron purchased the Rutherford-Moran Oil Corporation and another interest in Block 8/32, offshore Thailand, for approximately 1.1 million shares of its treasury stock, $\$ 57$ million in cash and the assumption of outstanding debt of $\$ 341$ million. Concurrent with the purchase, $\$ 202$ million of that debt was retired and the remaining $\$ 139$ million was called and retired in April 1999. The company financed these retirements through an increase in short-term debt.

The company's debt and capital lease obligations totaled $\$ 8.120$ billion at June 30, 1999, up $\$ 562$ million or 7 percent from $\$ 7.558$ billion at year-end 1998 . The increase was primarily from net additions of $\$ 636$ million in short-term debt, primarily commercial paper, and newly issued long-term obligations of $\$ 70$ million. Partially offsetting these increases were scheduled and unscheduled long-term debt repayments of $\$ 74$ million and a scheduled non-cash retirement in January of ESOP debt of $\$ 70$ million. These changes in long-term debt exclude the assumption and retirement of long-term debt included in the Rutherford-Moran transaction.

Although the company benefits from lower interest rates on short-term debt, its proportionately large amount of short-term debt has kept Chevron's ratio of current assets to current liabilities at relatively low levels. This ratio was .77 at June 30, 1999, down from . 88 at year-end 1998. This reduction is primarily due to an increase in current liabilities of $\$ 2.181$ billion. This increase is primarily due to the June 1999 reclassification from noncurrent to current of a $\$ 964$ million accrual established in 1998 for the Cities Service litigation and the increase in short-term debt. Interest will continue to accrue on the amount of judgment in this case until the matter is resolved. The company continues to pursue the Cities Service matter in the courts.

The company's short-term debt, consisting primarily of commercial paper and the current portion of long-term debt, totaled $\$ 6.526$ billion at June 30, 1999. This amount includes $\$ 2.725$ billion that was reclassified as long-term since the company has both the intent and ability, as evidenced by revolving credit agreements, to refinance it on a long-term basis. The company's practice has been to continually refinance its commercial paper, maintaining levels it believes to be economically attractive.

The company's debt ratio (total debt : total debt plus stockholders' equity) was 32 percent at June 30, 1999, about the same as at year-end 1998. The company continually monitors its spending level, market conditions and related interest rates to maintain what it believes to be reasonable debt levels to fund its operating and capital expenditure activities.

In December 1997, Chevron's Board of Directors approved the repurchase of up to $\$ 2$ billion of its outstanding common stock for use in its employee stock option programs. To date, the company has purchased 6.4 million shares at a cost of about $\$ 484$ million under the repurchase program. There has been no activity under that program in 1999.

In July, the company's Employee Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP) issued $\$ 620$ million of long-term debt at an average rate of $7.42 \%$, guaranteed by Chevron Corporation. The proceeds from the issuance of debt were paid to Chevron Corporation in exchange for Chevron's assumption of the existing ESOP 8.11\% long-term debt of $\$ 620$ million. Chevron used the proceeds to reduce existing short-term debt, primarily commercial paper. These transactions will be reflected in the company's third quarter 1999 financial statements.

WORLDWIDE CAPITAL AND EXPLORATORY EXPENDITURES for the first half of 1999, including the company's share of affiliates' expenditures, totaled $\$ 2.609$ billion, up 12 percent from $\$ 2.323$ billion spent in the 1998 first half. Expenditures for international exploration and production activities in the 1999 period were $\$ 1.418$ billion or about 54 percent of total expenditures, reflecting the company's continued emphasis on increasing international oil and gas production. This amount included about $\$ 500$ million in the first quarter of 1999 for the acquisition of the Rutherford-Moran Oil Corporation and another interest in Block $8 / 32$ offshore Thailand. The company's other segments have incurred lower expenditures in 1999, compared with 1998 as the company restricts spending in these areas to fund its international exploration and production prospects. Spending outside the United States accounted for 62 percent of total expenditures in 1999 compared with 50 percent in 1998. The actual C\&E expenditures for the full year 1999 in the international exploration and production segment will be dependent upon, among other factors, the ability of our partners, some of which are national petroleum companies, to fund their share of project expenditures.

Item 1. Legal Proceedings
Item 3A of the Corporation's Annual Report on Form $10-\mathrm{K}$ for the period ended December 31, 1998 is hereby updated as follows:

Gulf's petition for rehearing in the Oklahoma Supreme Court was denied on June 22, 1999. Gulf intends to file a petition for certiorari asking the United States Supreme Court to determine if the Oklahoma trial court properly barred Gulf from raising its principal defense to liability based on the allegedly preclusive effect of a non-final, non-appealable ruling in other litigation by a federal district judge. The issue of preclusive effect is governed by federal law.

The petition for writ of certiorari is due September 20, 1999. On July 12, 1999, the Oklahoma Supreme Court granted Gulf's motion to suspend the effectiveness of the court's mandate (thus preventing enforcement of the judgment by Cities) until final disposition by the United States Supreme Court of Gulf's petition and, should the Court grant the petition, until the Court's final decision on the merits of the case.

Item 4. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders
The following matters were submitted to a vote of stockholders at the Annual Meeting on April 28, 1999.

Voters elected 13 incumbent directors for one-year terms. The vote tabulation for individual directors was:

| Directors | Shares For | Shares Withheld |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| S. H. Armacost | 486, 052,444 | 22,095,068 |
| K. T. Derr | 486, 780, 099 | 21,367,413 |
| S. Ginn | 487,192,898 | 20, 954,614 |
| C. A. Hills | 486, 673,594 | 21,473,918 |
| J. B. Johnston | 486, 333, 067 | 21,814,445 |
| R. H. Matzke | 486, 833, 265 | 21,314, 247 |
| D. J. O'Reilly | 487, 262,485 | 20,885, 027 |
| C. M. Pigott | 486, 845,658 | 21,301, 854 |
| C. Rice | 486, 511, 494 | 21,636,018 |
| F. A. Shrontz | 486, 912,740 | 21,234,772 |
| J. N. Sullivan | 486, 899,948 | 21,247,564 |
| C. Tien | 486,709, 078 | 21,438,434 |
| J. A. Young | 487, 042,612 | 21,104,900 |

Voters approved the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the company's independent accountants by a vote of $504,113,067$ ( 99.5 percent) for and $2,344,331$ ( 0.5 percent) against. There were also 1,690,013 abstentions and 101 broker non-votes.

A stockholder proposal to adopt a toxic chemicals information policy was rejected. There were $26,461,991$ votes ( 6.6 percent) for the proposal and $376,639,206$ votes ( 93.4 percent) against. There were $25,205,948$ abstentions and 79,840,367 broker non-votes.

A stockholder proposal to report on greenhouse gas emissions was rejected. There were 29, 847,863 votes ( 7.4 percent) for the proposal and $373,447,690$ votes ( 92.6 percent) against. There were also $25,037,257$ abstentions and $79,814,702$ broker non-votes.

A stockholder proposal to abandon Alaska Natural Wildlife Reserve drilling plans was rejected. There were $15,988,163$ votes ( 4.0 percent) for the proposal and 386, 098,468 votes ( 96.0 percent) against. There were also $26,244,535$ abstentions and $79,816,346$ broker non-votes.

Item 6. Exhibits and Reports on Form 8-K
(a) Exhibits
(4) Pursuant to the Instructions to Exhibits, certain instruments defining the rights of holders of long-term debt securities of the company and its consolidated subsidiaries are not filed because the total amount of securities authorized under any such instrument does not exceed 10 percent of the total assets of the company and its subsidiaries on a consolidated basis. A copy of any such instrument will be furnished to the Commission upon request.
(12) Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges
(27) Financial Data Schedule
(b) Reports on Form 8-K
(1) A Current Report on Form 8-K, dated June 22, 1999, was filed by the company on April 23, 1999. In this report, Chevron discussed a meeting between Chevron's Chairman, Mr. K.T. Derr, security analysts and institutional investors to review the company's growth strategies and recent developments.
(2) A Current Report on Form 8-K, dated June 24, 1999, was filed by the company on June 24, 1999. In this report, Chevron announced its intent to petition the U.S. Supreme Court to hear the Cities Service case following the Oklahoma Supreme Court's decision not to reconsider its previous ruling.

## SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

CHEVRON CORPORATION

Date August 5, 1999 Duly Authorized Officer)

CHEVRON CORPORATION - TOTAL ENTERPRISE BASIS COMPUTATION OF RATIO OF EARNINGS TO FIXED CHARGES
(Dollars in Millions)

| Six Months Ended |  | Year Ended December 31, |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| June 30, 1999 | 1998 | 1997 | 1996 | 1995 | 1994 |


| Net Income (1) | \$ | 679 | \$1,339 |  | 3,256 | \$2,607 | \$ | 930 |  | \$ 1,693 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Income Tax Expense |  | 500 | 658 |  | 2,428 | 2,624 |  | 1,094 |  | 1,322 |
| Distributions (Less Than) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Greater Than Equity in Earnings of Less Than 50\% Owned Affiliates |  | (71) | (72) |  | (70) | 29 |  | (5) |  | (3) |
| Minority Interest |  | 2 | 7 |  | 11 | 4 |  | - |  | 3 |
| Previously Capitalized Interest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Interest and Debt Expense |  | 257 | 492 |  | 405 | 471 |  | 557 |  | 453 |
| Interest Portion of Rentals (2) |  | 89 | 187 |  | 167 | 158 |  | 148 |  | 156 |
| Earnings before Provisions for |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Taxes and Fixed Charges |  | 474 | \$2,646 | \$ | 6,225 | \$ 5,917 |  | 2,771 |  | \$ 3,656 |
| Interest and Debt Expense | \$ | 257 | \$ 492 | \$ | 405 | \$ 471 | \$ | 557 | \$ | \$ 453 |
| Interest Portion of Rentals (2) |  | 89 | 187 |  | 167 | 158 |  | 148 |  | 156 |
| Capitalized Interest |  | 4 | 39 |  | 82 | 108 |  | 141 |  | 80 |
| Total Fixed Charges | \$ | 350 | \$ 718 | \$ | 654 | \$ 737 | \$ | 846 |  | \$ 689 |
| Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges |  | 21 | 3.68 |  | 9.52 | 8.03 |  | 3.28 |  | 5.31 |

1) The information for 1995 and thereafter reflects the company's adoption of the Financial Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 121, "Accounting for the Impairment of Long-Lived Assets and for Long-Lived Assets to be Disposed Of," effective October 1, 1995.
(2) Calculated as one-third of rentals.

THIS SCHEDULE CONTAINS SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM THE COMPANY'S BALANCE SHEET AT JUNE 30, 1999 AND INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1999 AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCNE TO SUCH FINCANCIAL STATEMENTS AND THEIR RELATED FOOTNOTES.

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