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Mr. Joe Ramey New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Post Office Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

OIL CON. DIV.

Unit K, Section 10, T-23-N, R-3-W Rio Arriba County Re: Jicarilla Jt. Venture KD #9

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico Chacon Dakota Associated Pool

Dear Mr. Ramey:

This is a request by El Paso Exploration Company for administrative approval for a non-standard proration unit for the subject gas well located in the Chacon Dakota Associated Pool.

Reference is made to the special rules and regulations for the Chacon Dakota Associated Pool which states a standard oil proration unit shall be 160 acres and a standard gas proration unit shall be 320 acres.

The Jicarilla Jt. Venture KD #9 is currently classified as a gas well which would require the 320 acres of the S/2 of Section 10, T-23-N, R-3-W to be dedicated to this well. However, the Jicarilla Jt. Venture KD #5 located in the SE/4 of Section 10, T-23-N, R-3-W is classified as an oil well which requires a 160 acre dedication. Since simultaneous dedication of acreage is prohibited, it is impossible to operate the Jicarilla Jt. Venture KD #9 on a standard proration unit.

A copy of this application is being submitted to all offset operators by certified mail with a request that they furnish your Santa Fe office with a waiver of objection.

Plats showing the well location and offset ownership are attached.

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cc: Frank Chavez - NMOCD

Minerals Management Service-BLM

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All distances must be from the cuter houndaries of the Section. Operator Well No. EL PASO EXPLORATION COMPANY JICARILLA JOINT VENTURES "KD" 9 Township Section 2 3N 3W Rio Arriba Actual Footage Location of Well: 1850 South 1850 line and West feet from the line Ground Level Elev. Producing Formation Dedicated Acreage: 7238 Dakota Chacon Dakota Associated 160 1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below. 2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty). 3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling. etc? If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _ If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.). No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commis-CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information co uecd Nome Drilling clerk El Paso Exploration Co. June 8, 1983 Sec. 10 I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field 18501 notes of actual surveys made by me or is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. August 10 Fred Certificate No

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1850' FSL, 1850' FWL

Jicarilla Joint Venture "KD" #9, Chacon Dakota

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