

October 16, 1957

Oil Conservation Commission  
State of New Mexico  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

*Northwest*

Re: Request for Approval of Non-  
Standard Gas Production Unit  
for "W" Well 5-6

Attention: Mr. A. L. Porter

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Order No. R-128-C, Rule 1 (b), request is made for administrative approval of a non-standard gas production unit for Northwest Production Corporation "W" Well 5-6, which is located in the NW/4 of the SW/4 of Section 6, Township 26 North, Range 4 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

The proposed non-standard unit for "W" 5-6 consists of the W/2 of said Section 6, including lots 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 contiguous to the W/2, a total of 329.32 acres. The unorthodox size of the proposed unit is caused by a variation in the legal subdivision of the United States Public Land Survey, and it lies within a single governmental section, all of which is subject to an oil and gas lease in favor of Northwest Production Corporation. It is reasonable to presume that all of the non-standard unit is productive of gas.

According to our records, and as indicated on the attached plat, Southern Union Gas Company, 1001 Hart Building, Dallas, Texas, owns the mineral rights in Sections 1 and 12, T26N, R3W, El Paso Natural Gas Company, Box 1492, El Paso, Texas, owns the minerals in Section 32, T27N, R4W, and Pan American Petroleum Company, Box 1410, Fort Worth, Texas, owns the minerals in the Southeast quarter of Section 36, T27N, R3W, all of which offset our "W" Well 5-6. Copy of this request for approval of a non-standard gas production unit is being given these operators by registered mail.

Very truly yours,

NORTHWEST PRODUCTION CORPORATION

RP/mw  
Encl.

W. R. Johnston, Manager  
Production Operations

cc: Southern Union Gas Company  
El Paso Natural Gas Company  
Pan American Petroleum Company  
N. M. Oil Conservation Commission, Astec ✓



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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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ATTENTION: ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR POLICY AND PLANNING

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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W. J. G. DE VRIES, *Director*

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