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### STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

October 17, 1985

Meridian Oil P. O. Box 4289 Farmington, New Mexico 87499

Attention: G. W. Brink

Administrative Order NSL-2171

#### Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for El Paso Natural Gas Company's San Juan 27-5 Unit #108E to be located 530' from the South line and 90 feet from the West line of Section 15, Township 27 North, Range 5 West, NMPM, Basin-Dakota Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The S/2 of said Section 15 shall be dedicated to the well.

By authority granted me under the provisions of Rule 104 F(I), the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

Sincerely,

STAMETS, DIRECTOR

RLS/DC/dr

Oil Conservation Division - Aztec Bureau of Land Management - Farmington

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

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September 25, 1985

Mr. Richard Stamets
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Post Office Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Dear Mr. Stamets:

This is a request for administrative approval for an unorthodox gas well location in the Basin Dakota Pool.

It is intended to locate the El Paso Natural Gas Company's San Juan 27-5 Unit #108E at 530' from the North line and 90' from the West line of Section 15, T-27-N, R-5-W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

Due to extremely rough terrain in the form of a mesa in the southwest corner of this section makes it impossible to build an orthodox location. Furthermore, an abandoned location at this spot could be utilized for this well, which would minimize the surface damage in this area.

El Paso Natural Gas Company operates all proration units offsetting the proposed unorthodox location.

Plats showing the proposed well location and the terrain in Section 15, along with an ownership plat, are attached.

Sincerely, yours,

G. W. Brink

Project Drilling Engineer

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## NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102 Supersedes C-128 Effective 1-1-65

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### EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name San Juan 27-5 Unit #108E, Basin Dakota

Footage--- 530' FNL, 90' FWL

APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION



