El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas 79999 August 13, 1971



Mr. A. R. Kendrick New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission 1000 Rio Brazos Road Aztec, New Mexico 87410

Re:

El Paso Natural Gas Company San Juan 28-7 Unit No. 96 (PM) G-8, T-27-N, R-7-W

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Sir:

Communication existed between the zones of the referenced Pictured Cliffs-Mesa Verde dual. The communication was caused by a leak in the lower (Mesa Verde) zone tubing above the packer. You verbally agreed on July 29, 1971, that the separation of zones within the well could be accomplished by temporarily abandoning the Mesa Verde zone by installing a plug choke in the Mesa Verde tubing below the packer.

The plug choke was installed, as stated above, on August 10, 1971. A temperature survey run in the Mesa Verde tubing above the choke revealed that the choke is effectively sealing off gas production from below, thus separating the zones. Three copies of the survey are enclosed.

Yours very truly,

F. H. Wood,

Division Petroleum Engineer

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