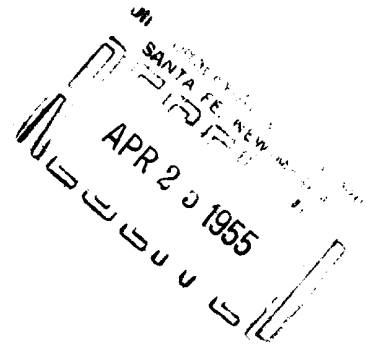


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# El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas

April 15, 1955



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

Re: Application for Exception to Rule 6 (a) of Order No. R-565 for Non-Standard Proration Unit, Fulcher-Kutz Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

El Paso Natural Gas Company hereby submits its application for administrative approval of a non-standard proration unit comprising the Southeast Quarter (SE/4) (or Lots 3, 4, NW/4 SE/4, SW/4 SE/4) of Section 24, Township 27 North, Range 10 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

1. The Gordon #1-A Well, located 990' from the South line and 1650' from the East line of Section 24, Township 27 North, Range 10 West, was completed as a gas well on May 11, 1953, and connected to El Paso Natural Gas Company's gathering system on September 23, 1953.
2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 152.40 acres which are contiguous quarter-quarter sections and lots.
3. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit lies wholly within a single governmental section.
4. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit may reasonably be presumed to be productive of gas.
5. That by copy of this letter of application all operators owning interests (a) in the section in which any part of the non-standard proration unit is situated and which acreage is not included in said non-standard gas proration unit, and (b) in acreage offsetting the non-standard gas proration unit, are notified by registered mail of this proposed non-standard gas proration unit.

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Therefore, El Paso Natural Gas Company requests that under the provision of Rule 6 (b) Revised of Order No. R-565, the Secretary of the Commission grant exception to Rule 6 (a) without Notice and Hearing, and approve the subject non-standard gas production unit.

Respectively submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

By R. L. Hamblin  
R. L. Hamblin  
Manager  
Lease Department

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A copy of this application is being sent by registered mail, return receipt requested to the attached list of owners.

Copies of the foregoing Application for non-standard gas proration unit on the Gordon #1-A Well were forwarded by Registered Mail, return receipt requested, to the following listed parties:

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company  
Oil and Gas Building  
P. O. Box 1410  
Fort Worth, Texas

Three States Natural Gas Company  
Seventeenth Floor  
Corrigan Tower  
Dallas, Texas

Byrd-Frost, Inc.  
and P. B. English  
1110 Tower Petroleum Building  
Dallas 1, Texas

Argo Oil Corporation  
First National Bank Building  
Denver 2, Colorado

Johnston Oil and Gas Company  
Mr. Ralph A. Johnston  
1453 Esperson Building  
Houston 2, Texas

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STATE OF TEXAS            )  
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COUNTY OF EL PASO        )

R. L. HAMBLIN, being first duly sworn, hereby states that he is Manager of the Lease Department for El Paso Natural Gas Company, the Applicant in the foregoing application; that he has executed said application on behalf of El Paso Natural Gas Company; that he has read said application and, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, all statements of fact therein contained are true and correct; that a copy of this application was duly deposited on April 20th 1955, in the United States post office as registered mail, with all charges prepaid, addressed to the parties shown on the attached sheet of this application.

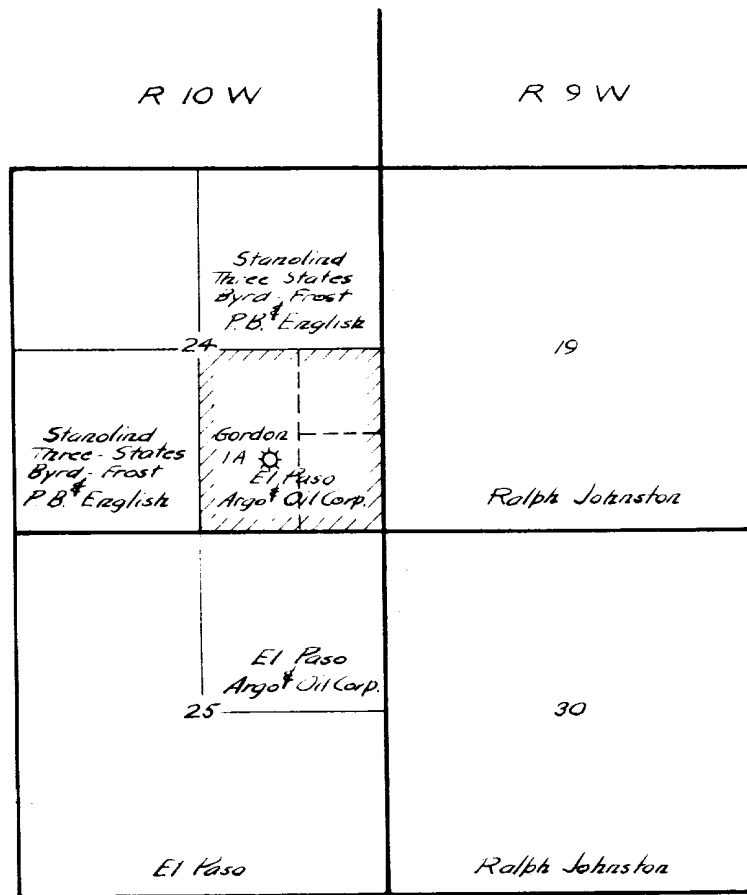
R L Hamblin  
R. L. Hamblin

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said R. L. HAMBLIN this 20th day of April, 1955, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

Helen Adams  
Notary Public in and for El Paso County  
State of Texas

My Commission expires:  
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Helen Adams  
Notary Public, in and for El Paso County, Texas  
My commission expires June 1, 1955



El Paso Natural Gas Co.  
SCALE: 2" = 1 MILE

Plot Accompanying Application for  
152.40-Acre Non-Standard Gas Unit  
Gordon 1-A