

The COLORADO FUEL AND IRON CORPORATION
DENVER, COLORADO
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OFFICE OF
LAND AND TAX COMMISSIONER

November 8, 1950

AIR MAIL

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
Aztec, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. Greer

Gentlemen:

I wish to thank you for the excellent help you gave Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Nelson and myself on our recent trip to the San Juan Basin. I am sure that the geologists going over this area, in their field trip, would not have any better conducted tour than you gave us.

With reference to the well in which I was very much interested, the Delhi-Daum No. 1, Section 32, Township 28, Range 9, which is now waiting on cable tools for completion, I would appreciate it very much if you would send me a telegram "collect" as soon as this well is completed and official gauge made. I would like to know the size of this well at the earliest possible moment.

Thanking you for your kind attention and with kind personal regards, I am

Very truly yours,



C. R. McKnight
Geologist and Special Engineer

CRMCK/hc

20710-112

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, Aztec-
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 Southwest Quarter (SW/4) (or Lots 1, 2, NW/4 SW/4, NE/4 SW/4) of Section 32, Township 28 North, Range 9 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

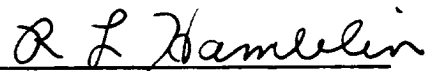
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1. The Daum #1 Well, located 660' from the South line and 660' from the West line of Section 32, Township 28 North, Range 9 West, was completed as a gas well on October 20, 1950, and connected to El Paso Natural Gas Company's gathering system on May 18, 1953.
 2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 168.37 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
Manager
Lease Department

RLH/JCV/mas

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

STATE OF TEXAS)
)
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.

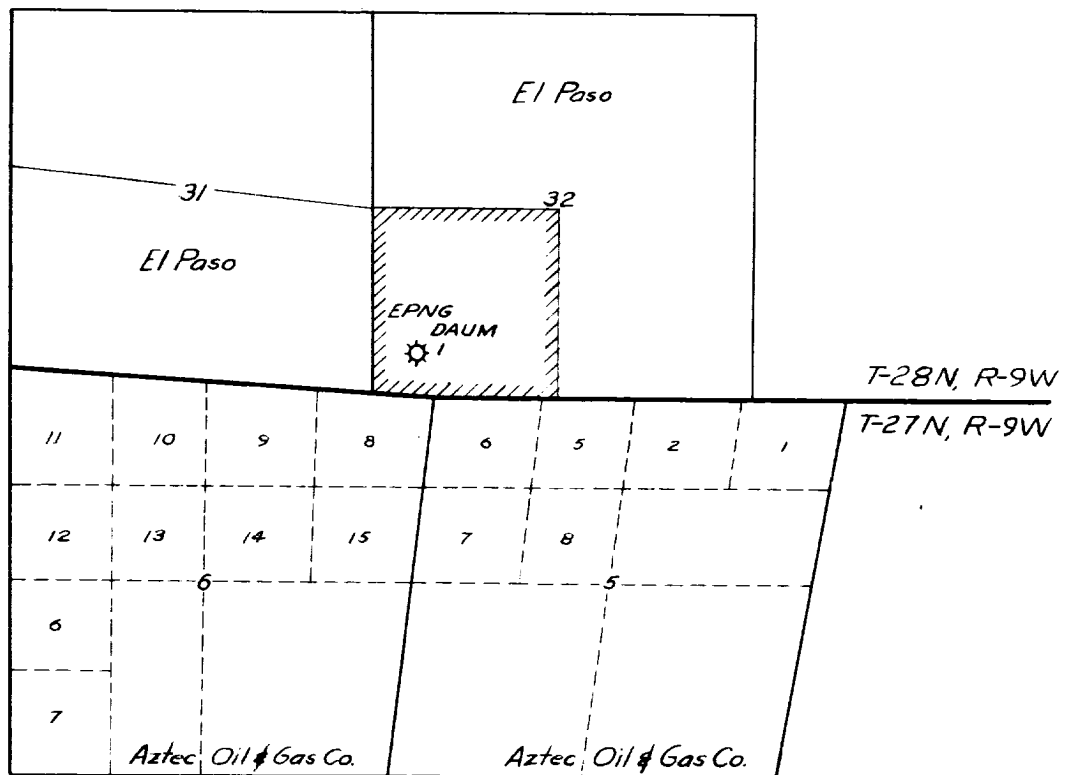
Helen Adams
Notary Public in and for El Paso County
State of Texas

My Commission expires:

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

Copy of the foregoing Application for non-standard gas proration unit on the Daum #1 Well was forwarded by Registered Mail, Return Receipt Requested, to the following listed party:

Aztec Oil and Gas Company
920 Mercantile Securities Building
Dallas 1, Texas



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

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168.37-Acre Non-Standard Gas Unit
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