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Attention: G. W. Brink

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OIL CON. DIV.  
DIST. 3

Administrative Order NSL-2074

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your application for a non-standard location for your Hancock Well No. 3A to be located 1430 feet from the North line and 1365 feet from the West line of Section 22, Township 28 North, Range 9 West, NMPM, Blanco Mesaverde Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico. The W/2 of said Section 22 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,

R. L. STAMETS, DIRECTOR

RLS/DC/dr

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
Bureau of Land Management - Farmington



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
BOX 2088  
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DATE 6-20-85

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL A \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 6-10-85  
for the EL Paso Nat Gas Co. Hancock #3A F-22-28N-9d  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Yours truly,

E. Brail



P. O. BOX 4289  
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87499-4289  
PHONE: 505-325-2841

June 7, 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 Blanco Mesa Verde Pool.

It is intended to locate the El Paso Natural Gas Company's Hancock #3A at 1430' from the North line and 1365' from the West line of Section 22, T-28-N, R-9-W, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Extremely rough terrain in the form of steep cliffs in the northwest corner of this section makes it impossible to build an orthodox gas well location.

A copy of this application is being submitted to all offset operators by certified mail with a request that they furnish your Santa Fe office with a Waiver of Objection, and return one copy to this office.

Plats showing the proposed well location and the terrain in Section 22, along with an ownership plat, are attached.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "G. W. Brink". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

G. W. Brink  
Project Drilling Engineer

encl.

WAIVER

\_\_\_\_\_ hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural Gas Company's application for an unorthodox location for their Hancock #3A as proposed above.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

cc: Union Texas Petroleum

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

JUN 10 1985  
OIL CONSERVATION DIV.  
DIST. 9

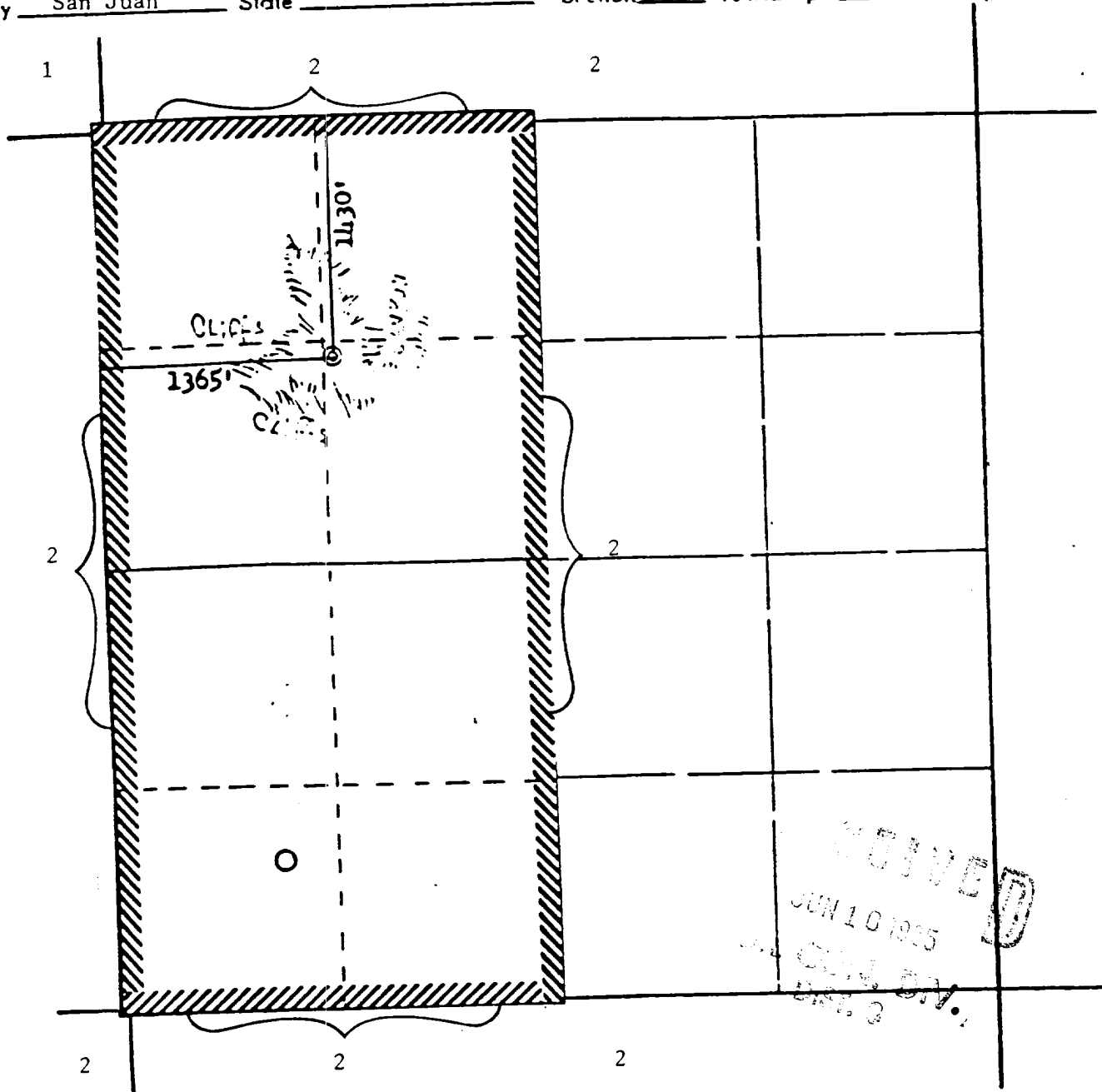
# EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name Hancock #3A, Blanco Mesaverde

Footage----- 1430' FNL, 1365' FWL

## APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County San Juan State New Mexico Section 22 Township 28N Range 9W



### REMARKS:

(1) Union Texas Petroleum - Operator

(2) El Paso Natural Gas Company - Operator

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

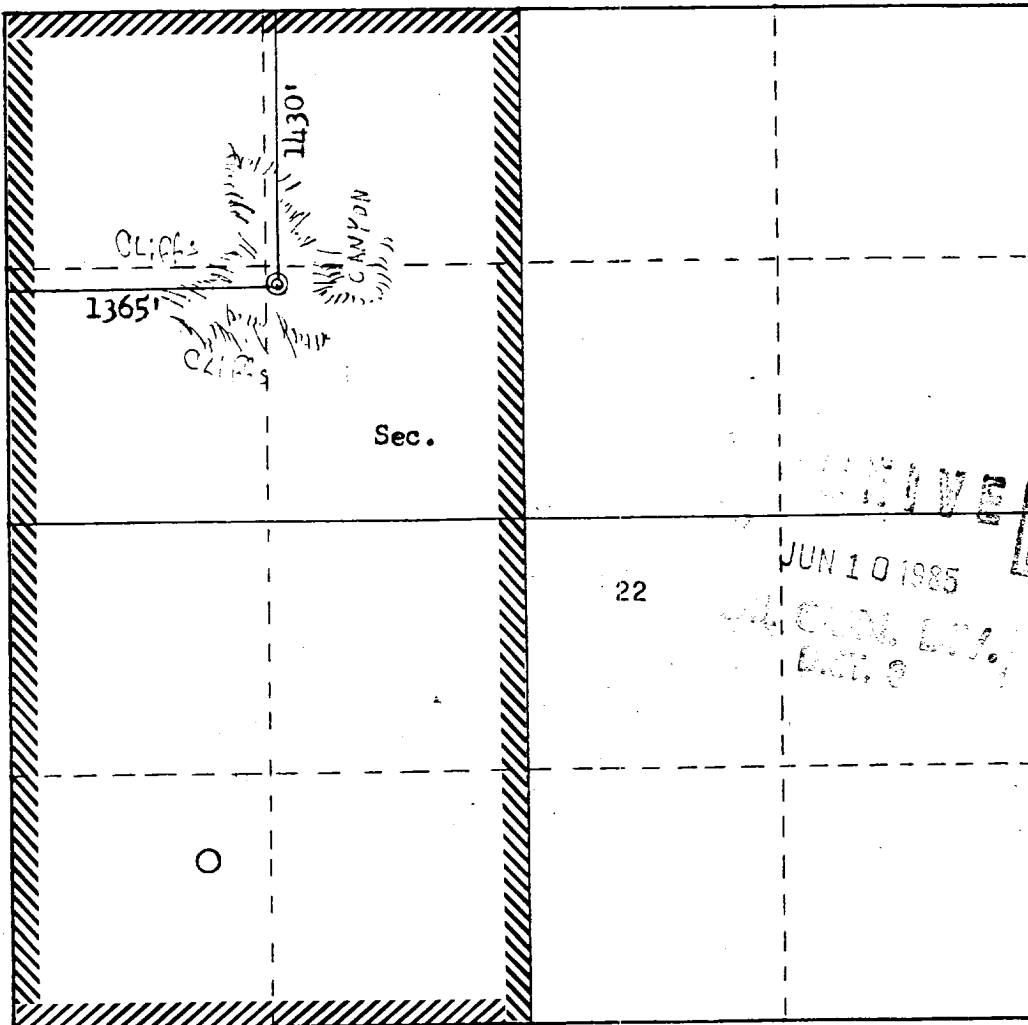
Operator <b>EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY</b>			Lease <b>HANCOCK (SE 077107A)</b>		Well No. <b>3A</b>
Unit Letter <b>F</b>	Section <b>22</b>	Township <b>28N</b>	Range <b>9W</b>	County <b>San Juan</b>	
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>1430</b> feet from the <b>North</b> line and <b>1365</b> feet from the <b>West</b> line					
Ground Level Elev: <b>6165</b>	Producing Formation <b>Mesa Verde</b>		Pool <b>Blanco</b>	Dedicated Acreage <b>W 320</b>	Acres

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation \_\_\_\_\_

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) \_\_\_\_\_

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name  
**Drilling Clerk**  
Position  
**El Paso Natural Gas**  
Company

Date

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed  
**May 6, 1985**  
Registered Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor  
**Fred B. Kerr Jr.**  
Certificate No. **4220**