

30-045-21660

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. TYPE OF WORK DRILL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEEPEN <input type="checkbox"/> PLUG BACK <input type="checkbox"/>		5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO. NM 010468
b. TYPE OF WELL OIL WELL <input type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE ZONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE ZONE <input type="checkbox"/>		6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME
2. NAME OF OPERATOR El Paso Natural Gas Company		7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR PO Box 990, Farmington, NM 87401		8. FARM OR LEASE NAME Howell J
4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.)* At surface 860'N, 1525'W At proposed prod. zone		9. WELL NO. 4A
10. DISTANCE IN MILES AND DIRECTION FROM NEAREST TOWN OR POST OFFICE*		10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT Blanco Mesa Verde
11. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED* LOCATION TO NEAREST PROPERTY OR LEASE LINE, FT. (Also to nearest drilg. unit line, if any)		11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLK. AND SURVEY OR AREA Sec. 3, T-30-N, R-8-W NMPM
12. DISTANCE FROM PROPOSED LOCATION* TO NEAREST WELL, DRILLING, COMPLETED, OR APPLIED FOR, ON THIS LEASE, FT.		12. COUNTY OR PARISH San Juan
13. PROPOSED DEPTH 5655'		13. STATE NM
14. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.) 6208'GL		14. NO. OF ACRES ASSIGNED TO THIS WELL 321.60
15. NO. OF ACRES IN LEASE		15. ROTARY OR CABLE TOOLS Rotary
16. APPROX. DATE WORK WILL START*		

23. PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENTING PROGRAM				
SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	QUANTITY OF CEMENT
13 3/4"	9 5/8"	32.3#	200'	225 cu. ft. to circulate
8 3/4"	7"	20.0#	3335'	333 cu. ft. to cover Ojo Alamo
6 1/4"	4 1/2"	10.5#	3185-5655'	430 cu. ft. to circulate liner

Selectively perforate and sandwater fracture the Mesa Verde formation.

The W/2 of Section 3 is dedicated to this well.

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IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: If proposal is to deepen or plug back, give data on present productive zone and proposed new productive zone. If proposal is to drill or deepen directionally, give pertinent data on subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths. Give blowout preventer program, if any.

24. SIGNED [Signature] TITLE Drilling Engineer DATE January 9, 1975

(This space for Federal or State office use)

PERMIT NO. APPROVAL DATE
APPROVED BY [Signature] TITLE DATE
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

*See Instructions On Reverse Side

**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.

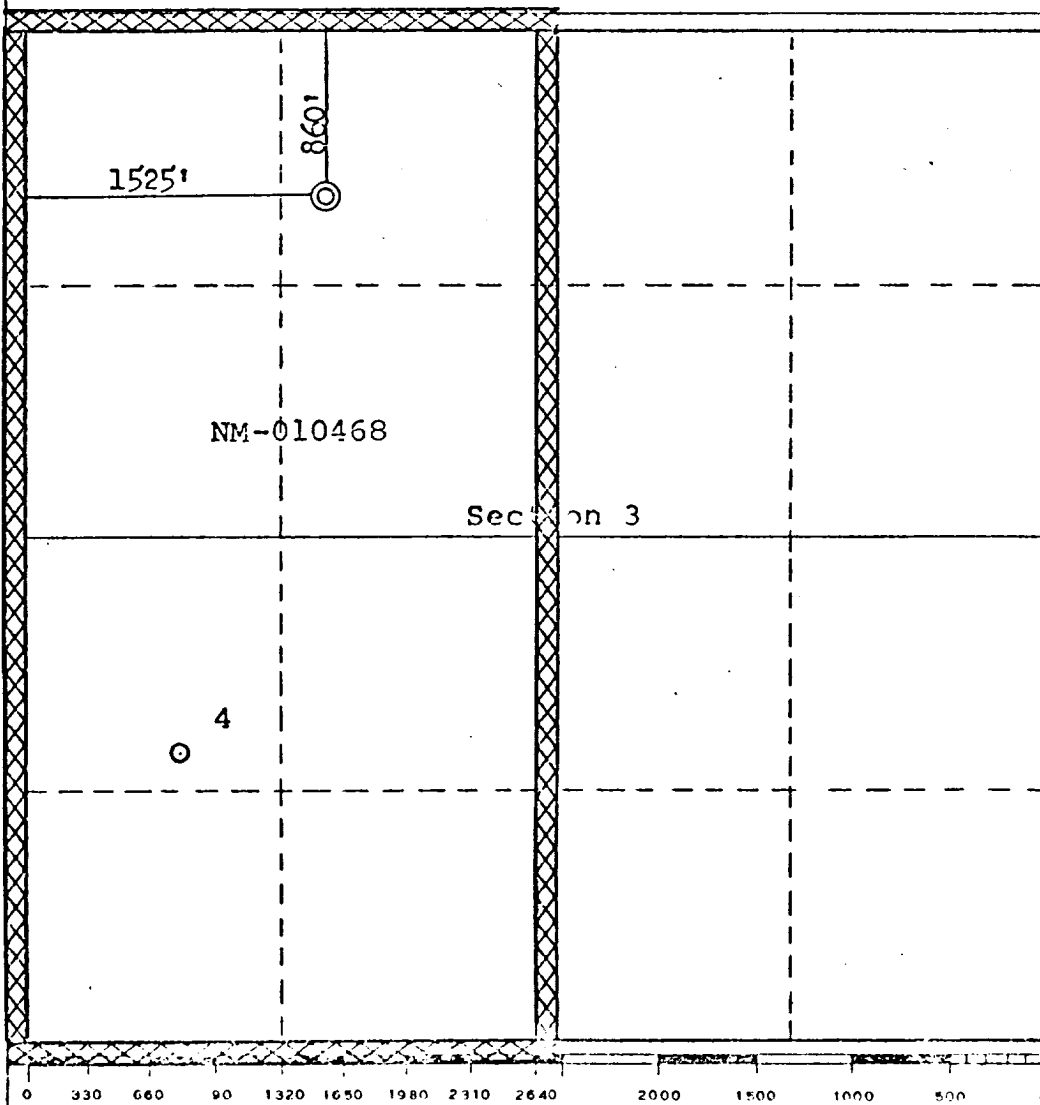
Operator El Paso Natural Gas Company			Lease Howell J (NM-010468)		Well No. 4M A
Unit Letter C	Section 3	Township 30N	Range 8W	County San Juan	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 860 feet from the North line and 1525 feet from the West line					
Ground Level Elev. 6208	Producing Formation Mesa Verde		Pool Blanco Mesa Verde	Dedicated Acreage: 321.60 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

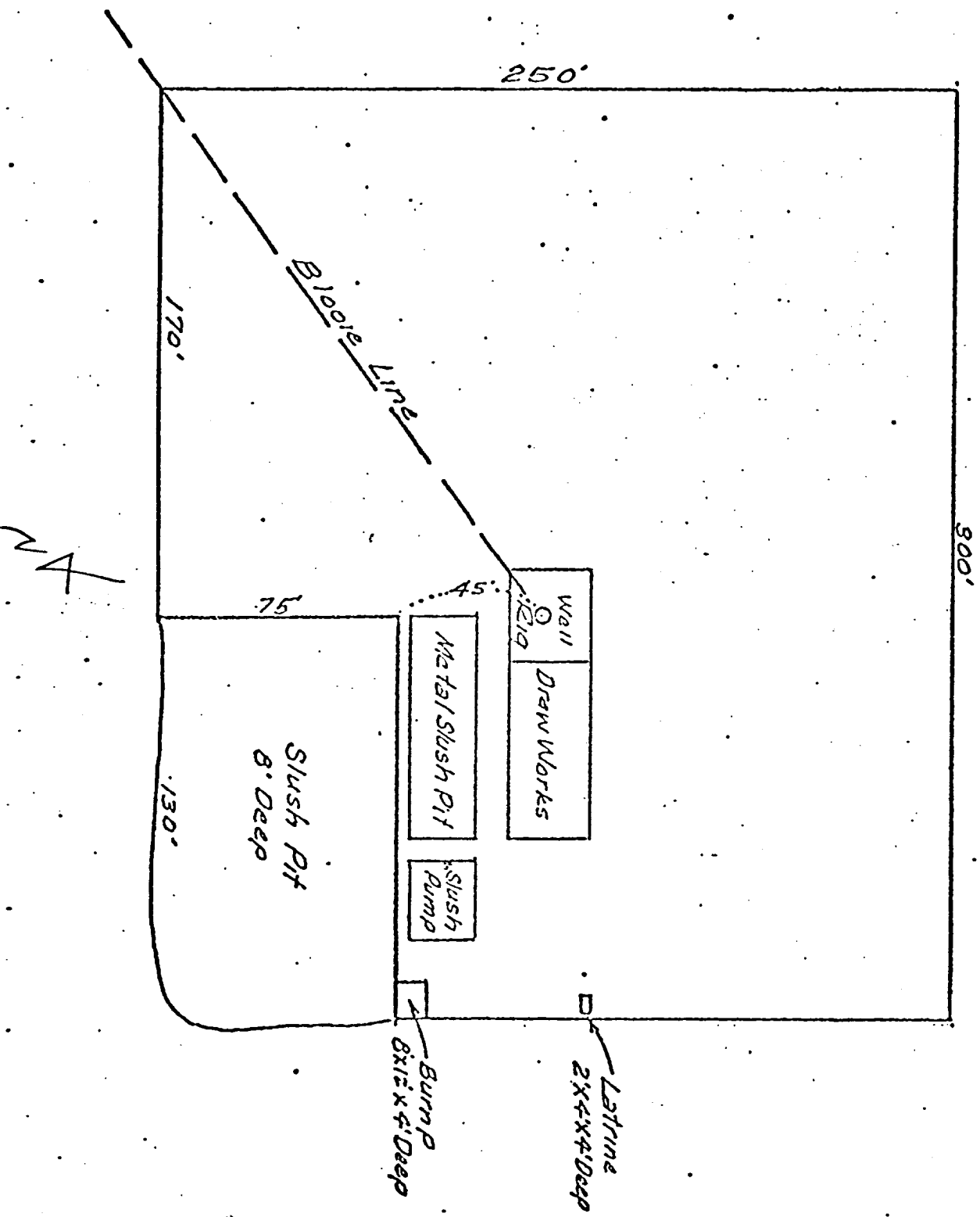
I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[Signature]
Name
Drilling Engineer
Position
El Paso Natural Gas Co.
Company
January 9, 1975
Date

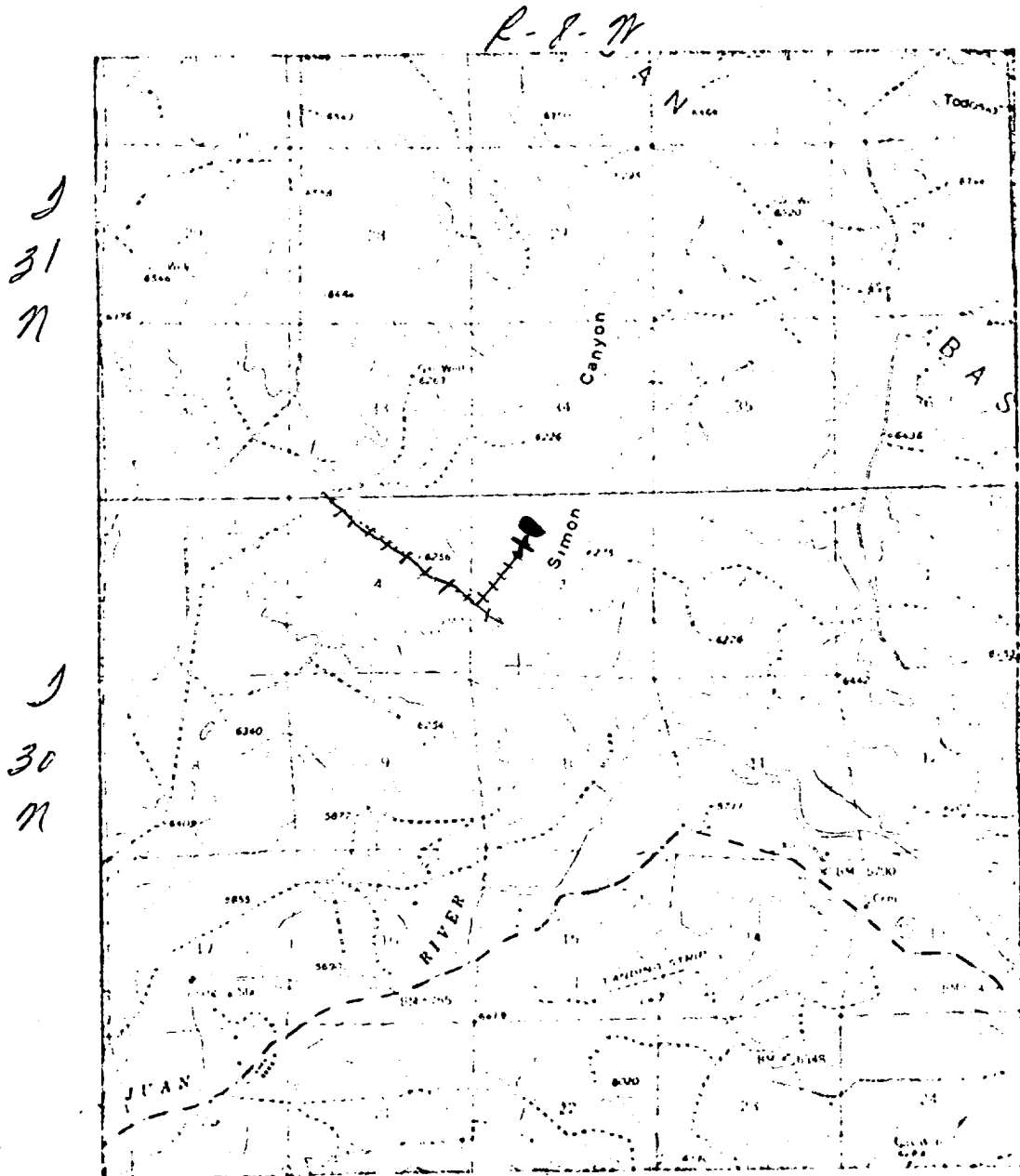
I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed
December 18, 1974
Registered Professional Engineer
and/or Land Surveyor
[Signature]
Fred B. Kott Jr.
Certificate No.
3950

HOWELL J 4A



Howell J # 4 ~~7~~A
 NE 1/4 Sec. 3, T-30-N, R-8-W



LEGEND OF RIGHT-OF-WAYS

EXISTING ROADS ————
 EXISTING PIPELINES - - - - -
 EXISTING ROAD & PIPELINE - - - - -
 PROPOSED ROADS ————
 PROPOSED PIPELINES + + + + +
 PROPOSED ROAD & PIPELINE + + + + +

El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas 79978

January 9, 1975

ADDRESS REPLY TO
POST OFFICE BOX 959
FARMINGTON NEW MEXICO 87401

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Mr. P. T. McGrath
U. S. Geological Survey
Post Office Box 959
Farmington, New Mexico 87401

Re: Application for Permit to Drill
Howell J #4A
NW/4 Section 3, T-30-N, R-8-W
Blanco Mesa Verde

Dear Mr. McGrath:

Details regarding existing roads, pipelines, wells, etc. relative to the above well location are included on the previously submitted base maps, "Field Road Map" and "Composite Map No. 1".

The proposed new well location, new roads and new pipeline are shown on the attached plat along with connecting existing roads and pipelines in the vicinity of the proposed new well.

Water for drilling and completion operations will be obtained from the following location: San Juan River

Waste material will be disposed of by burial in the burn pit, latrine, or reserve pit as applicable. There will be no camp nor air strip associated with drilling this well. Upon completion or abandonment of this well, the location will be cleaned and leveled and a dry hole marker placed, if applicable.

Yours very truly,



D. G. Brisco
Drilling Clerk

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