El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas 79999

February 16, 1972

ADDRESS REPLY TO
POST OFFICE BOX 990
FARMINGTON NEW MEXICO 8740

Well file

Mr. A. L. Porter, Secretary & Director New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission Post Office Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Dear Mr. Porter:

This is a request for administrative approval for an unorthodox gas well in the Blanco Pictured Cliffs pool.

It is intended to locate the El Paso Natural Gas Company Case #15 700' from the North line and 1030' from the West line of Section 8, T-31-N, R-87W, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico. The Northwest quarter of Section 8 is dedicated to this well.

The Northwest quarter of Section 8 contains a number of steep rocky cliffs situated so that an orthodox well location cannot be constructed for reasonable cost.

All operators of proration units offsetting the proposed unorthodox location have been notified of this application by certified mail.

Plats showing the proposed well location with terrain features and ownership of offset leases are attached.

Yours very truly

F. H. Wood

Division Petroleum Engineer

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cc: Emery Arnold w/attachments

J. Permenter w/attachments

P. T. McGrath w/attachments



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PICTURED CLIFFS OWNERSHIP

Offsetting E.P.N.G. #15 CASE - 8 - 31N-11W

San Juan Co., New Mexico

SCALE 3"= I Mile DATE 2-17-72 No.
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NEW MEXICO CIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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Aztec Oil & Gas Company 2000 First National Bank Building Dallas, Texas 75230

Kimbark Operating Company 288 Clayton Street Denver, Colorado 80206

Gentlemen:

Re: Unorthodox Gas Well Location

El Paso Natural Gas Company has requested administrative approval for an unorthodox gas well location in the Blanco Pictured Cliffs pool.

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In compliance with New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission rules we are notifying you, as operators of an offsetting proration unit, of our application for administrative approval for the aforementioned unorthodox gas well location.

A plat showing the proposed well location and offsetting Pictured Cliffs lease ownership is attached.

Yours very truly,

F. H. Wood

Division Petroleum Engineer