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August 9, 1961

Oil Conservation Commission Of the State of New Mexico Capitol Annex Building Santa Fe, New Mexico

> Re: Application for Exception to Rule 5(A) of Order R-1670-C for a Non-Standard Proration Unit, Basin-Dakota Gas Pool Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 5(B) of Order R-1670-C. El Paso Natural Gas Company, as Operator, hereby submits its application for administrative approval of a Non-Standard Proration Unit in the Dakota Formation comprising the W/2 (Lots 1,2,3,4, E/2 W/2) of Section 7, Township 27_North, Range 6 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, dedicated to the San Juan 28-6 Unit #103 well to be located thereon, and in support thereof states the following fact:

> That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 315.68 acres which is an unorthodox size or shape due to a variation in the legal subdivision of the United States Public Land Survey. (Plat attached)

Therefore, El Paso Natural Gas Company requests that under the provisions of Rule 5(B) of Order R-1670-C, the Secretary of the Commission grant exception to Rule 5(A) without Notice and Hearing and approve the subject non-standard proration unit.

Respectfully submitted, PROTN RES. EXC EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY LEGAL Sam Smith, Manager Land Department

SS:WVC:js Attachment

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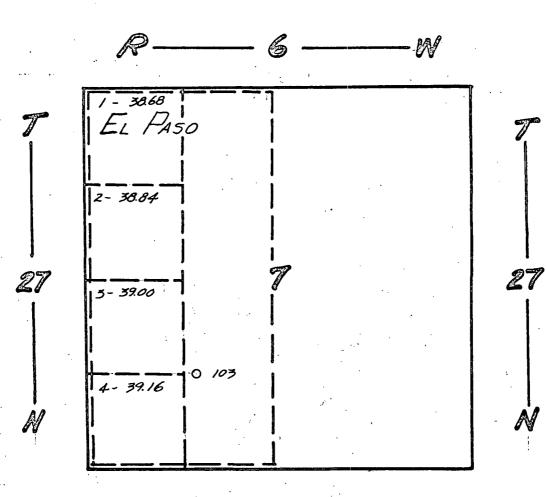
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said SAM SMITH this $\frac{4}{100}$ day of April, 1961, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office. August

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My Commission expires:

NATALIE TAYLOR Notary Public in and for El raso County, Texag My Commission Expires June 1, 1983 -2-



EL PASO NATURAL GAS CO.

PLAT ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION FOR 315.68 ACRE NON-STANDARD GAS UNIT 5. J. 28-6 #103