El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Jexas

September 15, 1961

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Oil Conservation Commission State of New Mexico Post Office Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Application for Exception to Rule 5(A) of the Northwest Portion of R-1670 for a Non-Standard Proration Unit Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 5(B) of the Northwest portion of Order R-1670, El Paso Natural Gas Company, as Unit Operator of the Rosa Unit, hereby submits its application for administrative approval of a non-standard proration unit comprising All (or Lots 1,2,3,4, S/2) of Section 5, Township 31 North, Range 5 West, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

- The Rosa Unit #41 Well, located 1500' from the South line and 1528' from the West line of Section 5, Township 31 North, Range 5 West, was completed as a gas well from the Mesaverde Formation on August 27, 1961.
- 2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 367.96 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 interest 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 in acreage offsetting this non-standard proration unit are notified by registered mail of this non-standard proration unit.

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

Respectfully submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

By

Sam Smrth, Manager

Land Department

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

SS: JBB: cah

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said SAM SMITH this / day of , 1961, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

My Commission expires:

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NATALIE TAYLOR

Notary Public in and for El caso County, Texas My Commission Expires June 1, 1963

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