

*El Paso Natural Gas Company*

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

Re: Application for Exception to Rule 5(A)  
of Order No. R-1670 for Non-Standard  
Proration Unit, Aztec-Pictured Cliffs  
Gas Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 5(B) of Order R-1670, El Paso Natural Gas Company hereby submits its application for administrative approval of a non-standard gas proration unit consisting of Lots 1,2, E/2 NW/4 (NW/4) of Section 30, Township 28 North, Range 9 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:


1. That the proposed non-standard proration unit consists of 142.62 acres which is less acreage than a standard proration unit.
2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of contiguous quarter-quarter sections and lots.
3. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit lies wholly within a single government 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 interests (a) 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 (b) in acreage offsetting the non-standard gas proration unit, are notified by registered mail of this proposed non-standard gas proration unit.

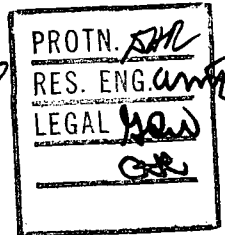
Therefore, El Paso Natural Gas Company requests that under the provisions of Rule 5(B) of Order R-1670, the Secretary of the Commission grant exception to Rule 5(A) without Notice and Hearing and approve the subject non-standard gas proration unit.

Respectfully submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

By

  
Sam Smith, Manager  
Land Department



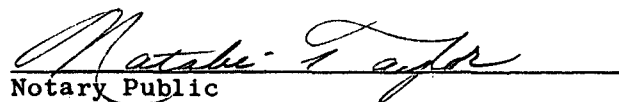
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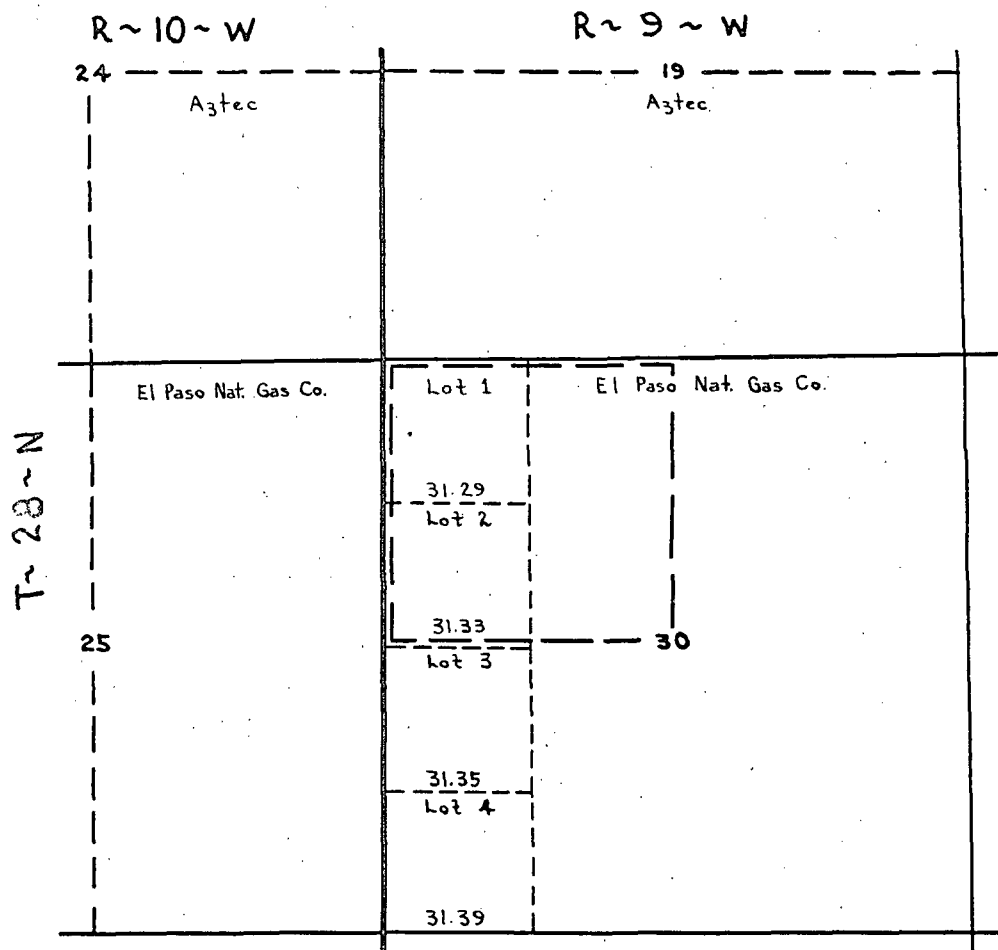
A copy of this application is being sent by registered mail, return receipt requested, to Aztec Oil & Gas Company, 920 Mercantile Securities Building, Dallas, Texas.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said SAM SMITH this 15th day of May, 1962, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

My Commission expires:

6-1-63

  
Notary Public



El Paso Natural Gas

Plat Accompanying Application For  
142.62 Acre Non Standard Gas Unit

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Pictured Cliffs Formation