

P.O. BOX 289 FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401

PHONE: 505-325-2841

May 26, 1983

Mr. Joe Ramey New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Post Office Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Subject: Mudge #4A

Unit C, Section 1, T-31-N, R-11-W

San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Ramey:

El Paso Natural Gas Company requests administrative approval to downhole commingle the production from its Mudge #4A gas well located in Unit C, Section 1, T-31-N, R-11-W, San Juan County, New Mexico. This well is producing from both the Blanco Pictured Cliffs Pool and the Blanco Mesa Verde Pool. El Paso Natural Gas Company owns 100% working interest in both producing intervals and feels downhole commingling is the most efficient means to produce the well. As reservoir pressures decline, condensate production will become more difficult, and it is intended to equip the well for a possible pumping unit in the future in order to maximize productivity and eliminate waste.

Currently, the Pictured Cliffs side of this wellbore has a casing failure. It is intended to downhole commingle and produce the well through one string of tubing after the casing failure is permanently repaired. Due to the casing failure, the current producing rate and bottom hole pressure for the Blanco Pictured Cliffs must be estimated from the 1982 production history and state deliverability test.

The attached production decline curves show both formations have established a steady rate of decline. Fluctuation in producing rates for the year 1982 is a result of line pressure changes and low market demand. It is estimated the Blanco Pictured Cliffs will produce at an average rate of 210 MCF/D after the casing failure is repaired. Furthermore, the Pictured Cliffs produces no condensate and water in an amount too small to measure. The Mesa Verde is currently producing 699 MCF/D of gas and 14.28 bbls. of condensate per day with water in amounts too small to measure. Since both formations produce relatively no water, no formation damage should occur as a result of downhole commingling. It is estimated the minimum combined producing rate after commingling will be 909 MCF/D of gas and 14.28 bbls. condensate per day with a probable increase in condensate production with the aid of the Pictured Cliffs gas lifting the Mesa Verde fluid.

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The 1982 deliverability test showed the Pictured Cliffs zone to have a shut in pressure of 484 psia. The corresponding bottom hole pressure is estimated to be 519 psia. A current bottom hole pressure survey run of the Mesa Verde formation shows a bottom hole pressure of 587 psia. The ratio of bottom hole pressures is 1.13/1.0. Therefore, due to the small pressure differential between the two formations, it is not expected that any migration of gas or liquids will occur, particularly if the well is continuously produced.

It is proposed that the future production be allocated based on calculated remaining reserves. It is estimated that the Pictured Cliffs has approximately 1470 MMCF of remaining gas reserves and the Mesa Verde has about 4450 MMCF of remaining gas reserves, for a total of 5920 MMCF. Thus, based on remaining reserves, 25% of the well's gas production could be attributed to the Blanco Pictured Cliffs Pool and 75% to the Blanco Mesa Verde Pool. All condensate produced would be attributed to the Blanco Mesa Verde Pool.

All offset operators of the proposed commingling application, including the Minerals Management Service, have been notified by certified mail.

A well location plat, offset ownership plat, production decline curves, productivity test, and bottom hole pressure survey, are attached.

sincerely

G. W. Brink

Project Drilling Engineer

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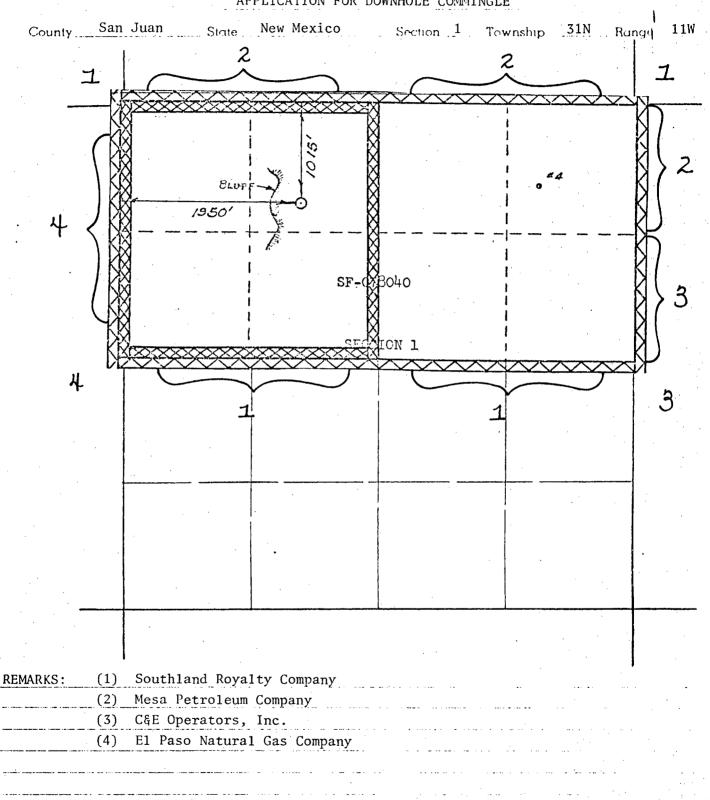
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EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name Mudge #4 A, Blanco PC/Blanco MV

Footage---- 1015' FNL, 1950' FWL

APPLICATION FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLE



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PASO NATURAL GAS

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		48950	CU.FT/BE	GAS - 011	Special X		

No well will be assigned an allowable greater than the amount of oil produced on the official test.

During gas-oil ratio test, each well shall be produced at a rate not exceeding the top unit allowable for the pool in which well is located by more than 25 percent. Operator is encouraged to take advantage of this 25 percent tolerance in order that well can be assigned increased allowables when authorized by the Commission.

will be 0.60. Gas volumes must be reported in MCF measured at a pressure base of 15.025 psia and a temperature of 60° F. Specific gravity base

Report casing pressure in lieu of tubing pressure for any well producing through casing.

Mail original and one copy of this report to the district office of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission in accordance with Rule 301 and appropriate pool rules.

Sr. Production Engineer

is true and complete to the best of my know-

I hereby certify that the above information

(Date)

May 25, 1983

El Paso Natural Gas Company

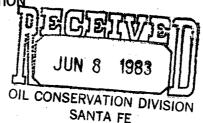
BOTTOM HOLE PRESSURE REPORT Form 23-85 (Rev. 7-62)

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2000	525	.014	Water Level		ft.
2500	533	.016	Days Shut In 7	Flowing	
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			Calibration No.		
			Calculated By L. W. Fothergill		

Remarks and/or Calculations

EI Paso EXPLORATION COMPANY



P. O. BOX 289 FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401 PHONE: 505-325-2841

June 3, 1983

Southland Royalty
Mesa Petroleum
C & E Operators, Inc.

Re: Mudge #4A

NW/4 Section 1, T-31-N, R-11-W San Juan County, New Mexico

Blanco Pictured Cliffs - Blanco Mesa Verde

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In compliance with New Mexico Oil Conservation Division rules, we are notifying you, as operators of an offsetting proration unit, of our application for administrative approval to downhole commingle the Mudge #4A. Enclosed are three copies of this letter. If there is no objection to this application, please sign and return one copy to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, PO Box 2088, Santa Fe, NM 87501; one copy to El Paso Natural Gas Company; and keep one copy for your files.

A well location plat and an offset ownership plat are attached.

L.W. Sunk

GWB:pb





June 16, 1983

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Gentlemen:

Subject: Mudge #4A

NW/4 Section 1, T31N, R11W San Juan County, New Mexico

Blanco Pictured Cliffs-Blanco Mesa Verde

Enclosed is a waiver signifying Mesa Petroleum does not object to El Paso Exploration's application for downhole commingling the Mudge #4A, located in the NW/4 Section 1, T31N, R11W, San Juan County, New Mexico. El Paso indicates they will commingle the Blanco Pictured Cliffs and Mesa Verde.

Sincerely,

Michael P. Houston

Division Production Engineer

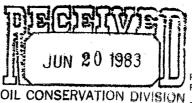
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Enclosure

Copy to Production Records El Paso Exploration





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MAIVER

Mesa Petroleum Co. hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural

Gas Company's application for downhole commingling its Mudge #4A as proposed above.

Date 6/16/83

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Southland Royalty Mesa Petroleum C & E Operators, Inc.

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Date	June 13, 1983	



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FARMINGTON DISTRICT

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WAIVER

Southland Royalty Company hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural Gas Company's application for downhole commingling its Mudge #4A as proposed above.

Date June 7

Magnet, District Production Manager



STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410 (505) 334-6178

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501
RE: Proposed MC Proposed DHC Proposed NSL Proposed SWD Proposed WFX Proposed PMX Proposed PMX Proposed PMX
Gentlemen: I have examined the application dated func 6, 1983 for the SMBC Mudge #4A C-1-31N-11W Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R
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for the SMB C Mudge #4A C-1-31N-11W Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R
operater Education No. 1100
and my recommendations are as follows:
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Yours truly,
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