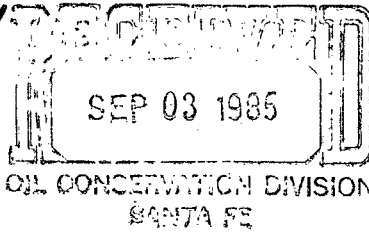


*Release Immed.
Waiver in!*

By DEC

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August 29, 1985

Mr. Richard Stamets
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Post Office Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

*NSL - 2149
RULE-104 F(I)
Dedicated Average
306.98 Acres -
into Sect. 8*

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Sincerely yours,

G. W. Brink
Project Drilling Engineer

encl.

WAIVER

_____ hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural Gas Company's application for an unorthodox location for their Hughes #10A as proposed above.

By: _____

Date: _____

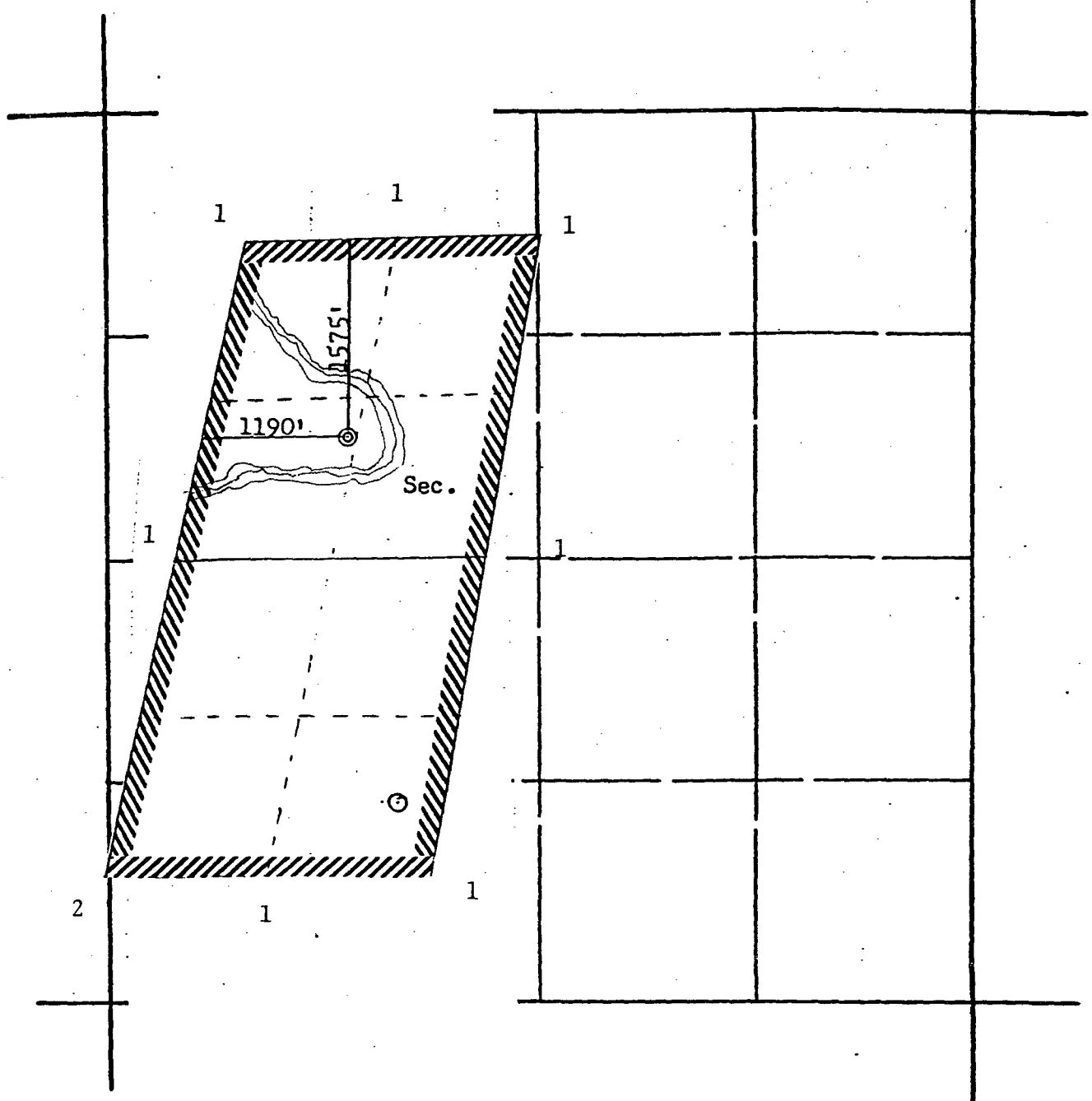
cc: Tenneco Oil

Well Name Hughes 10A

Footage---- 1575' FNL, 1190' FWL

APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County San Juan State New Mexico Section 3 Township 27N Range 9W



REMARKS: (1) El Paso Natural Gas Company
(2) Tenneco Oil Company

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form O-102
Supersedes O-129
Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

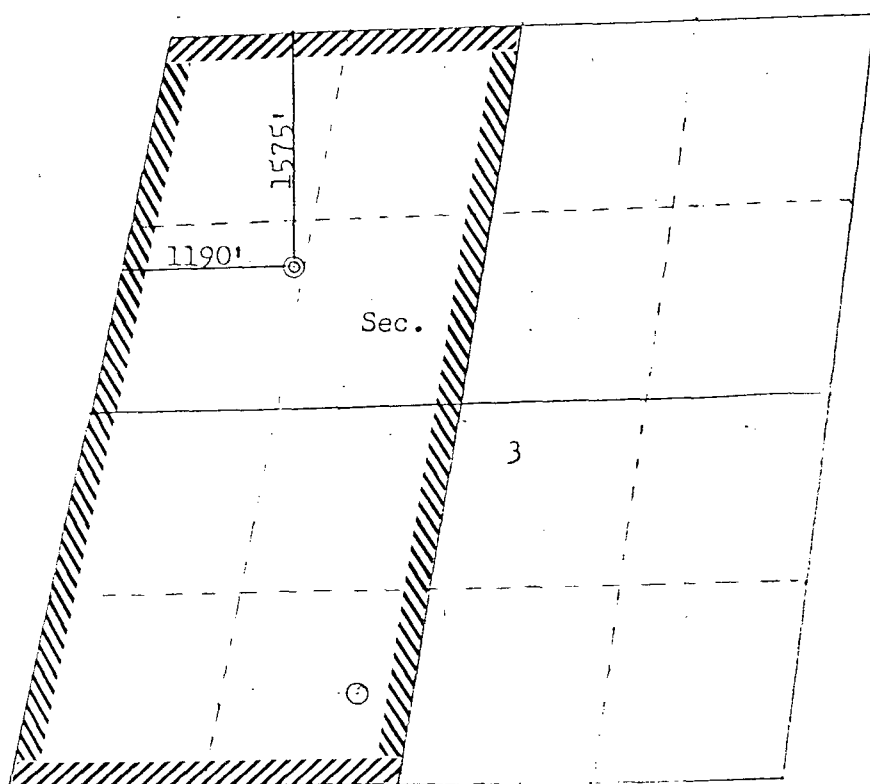
Operator EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY			Lease HUGHES (SF 078050)		Well No. 105
Unit Letter D	Section 3	Township 27N	Range 9W	County San Juan	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 1575 feet from the North line and 1190 feet from the West line					
Ground Level Elev. 6848	Producing Formation Mesa Verde	Pool Blanco		Dedicated Acreage: 306.98 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☐ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) _____

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



Scale: 1"=1320'

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

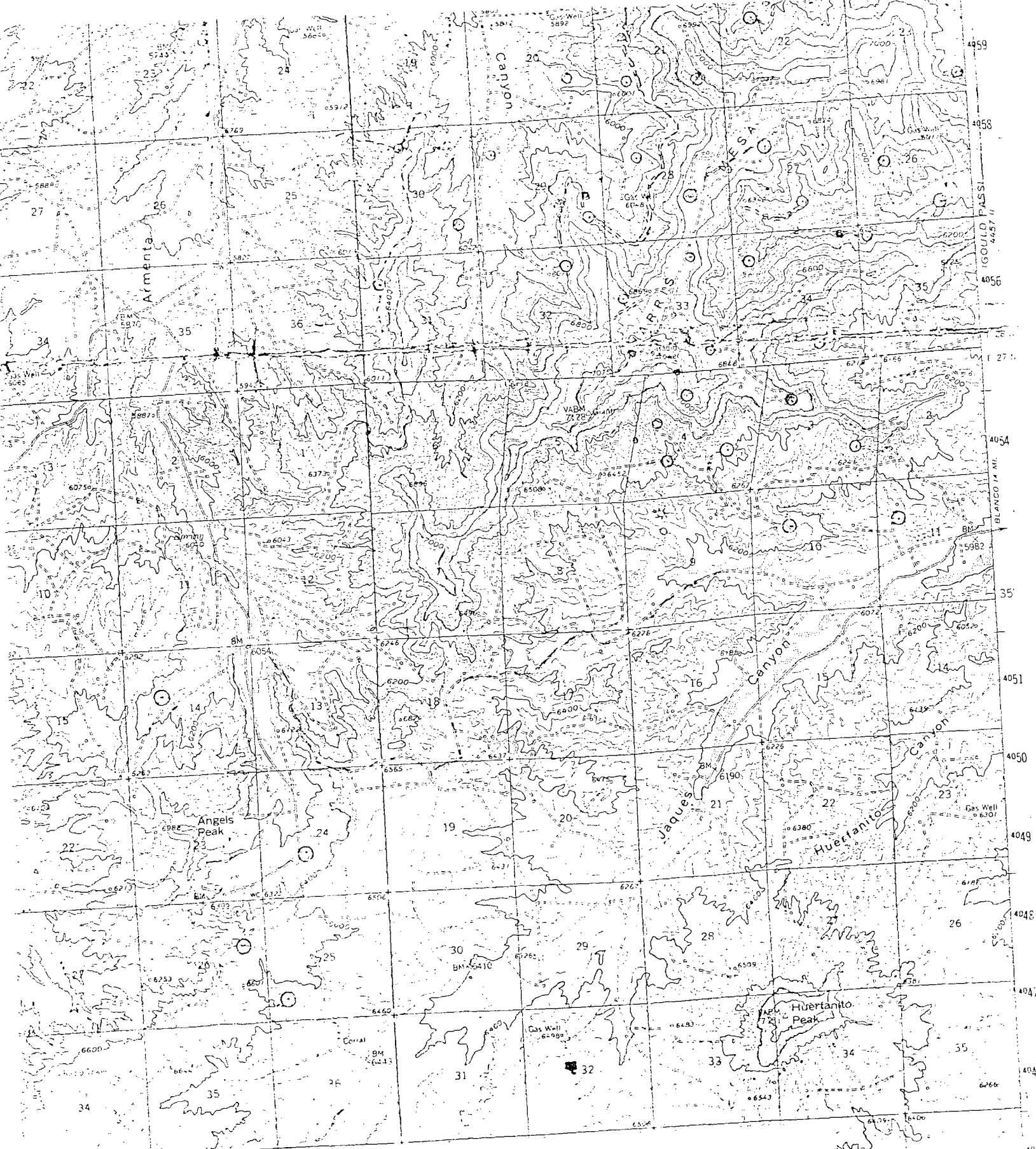
Peggy Cook

Name
Drilling Clerk
Position
El Paso Natural Gas
Company
Date
August 12, 1985

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed
July 20, 1985
Registered Professional Engineer
and Land Surveyor

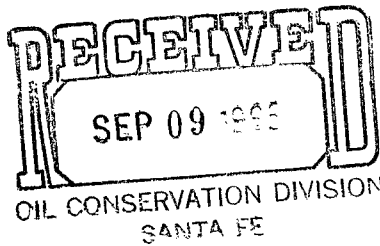
John B. Kell
Professional Engineer
and Land Surveyor
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Vicinity Map for
EL PASO NATURAL GAS CO. #10A HUGHES
1575'FNL 1190'FWL Sec. 3-T27N-R9W
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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G. W. Brink
Project Drilling Engineer

encl.

WAIVER

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By: A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Robert A. Galt".

Date: 9/5/85

cc: Tenneco Oil