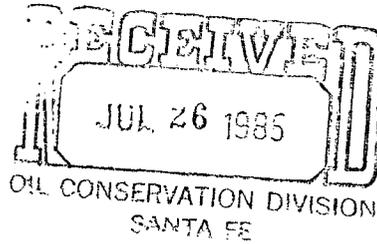


Release 8.8.85

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**El Paso**  
Exploration Company  
Natural Gas Company



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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION PHONE: 505-325-2841  
SANTA FE

July 16, 1985

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

NSL-2116  
Rule 104F (F)  
Basin Dakota Pool  
320 Acres ad. W/2,  
Section 33.

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G. W. Brink  
Project Drilling Engineer

encl.

WAIVER

D. J. SIMMONS hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural Gas Company's application for an unorthodox location for their San Juan #24 as proposed above.

BY: Ashton B. Loren, Jr.  
manager for: D. J. SIMMONS

Date: July 23, 1985

cc: Tenneco Oil Petroleum  
Koch Industries  
Amoco Production  
✓ D. J. Simmons

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102  
Supersedes C-128  
Effective 1-1-65

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

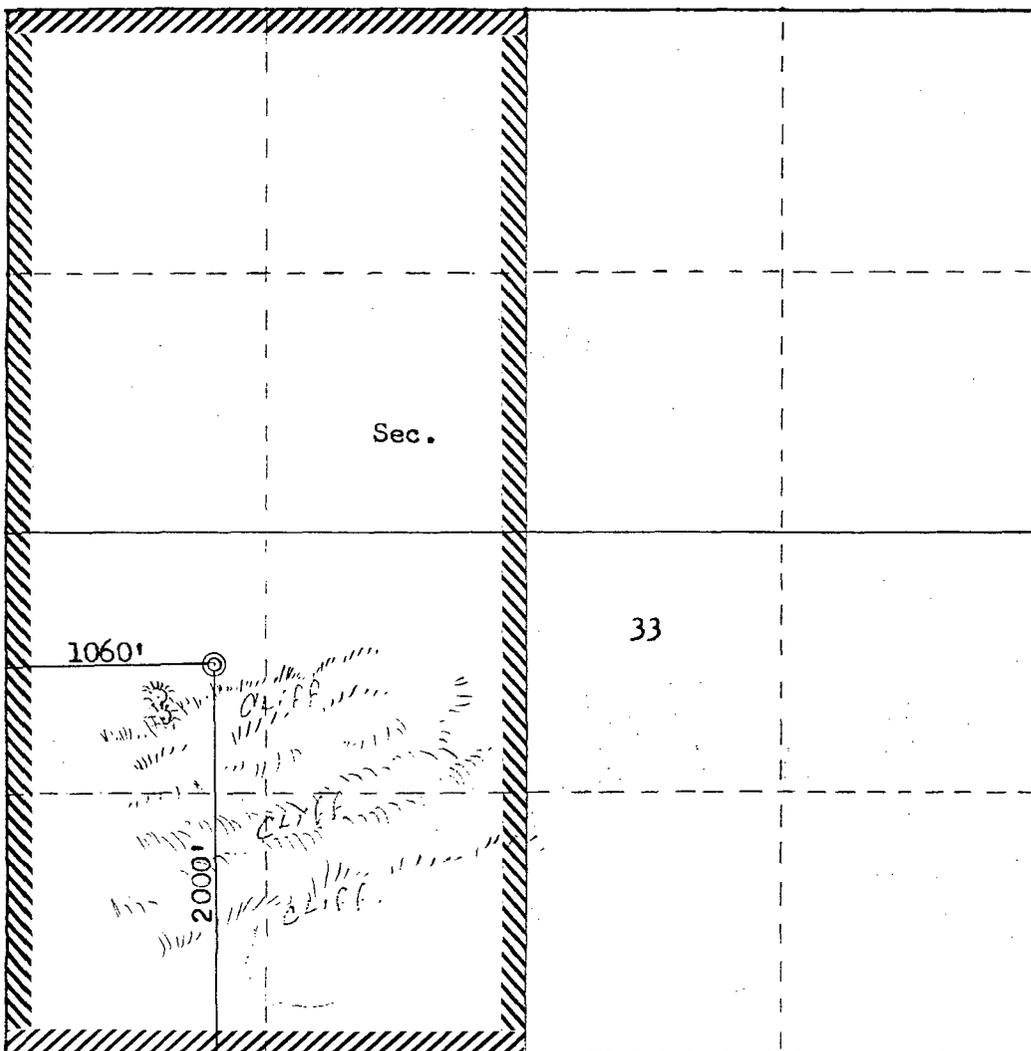
Operator <b>EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY</b>		Lease <b>SAN JUAN (NM 029146)</b>		Well No. <b>24</b>
Unit Letter <b>L</b>	Section <b>33</b>	Township <b>29N</b>	Range <b>9W</b>	County <b>San Juan</b>
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>2000</b> feet from the <b>South</b> line and <b>1060</b> feet from the <b>West</b> line				
Ground Level Elev. <b>6166</b>	Producing Formation <b>Dakota</b>	Pool <b>Basin</b>	Dedicated Acreage: <b>320</b> Acres	

- Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
- If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
- 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"=1000'

CERTIFICATION	
<i>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</i>	
Name	Drilling Clerk
Position	El Paso Natural Gas
Company	
Date	
<i>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.</i>	
Date Surveyed	July 1, 1985
Registered Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor	
<i>Fred B. Kerr Jr.</i> Fred B. Kerr Jr.	
Certificate No.	3950

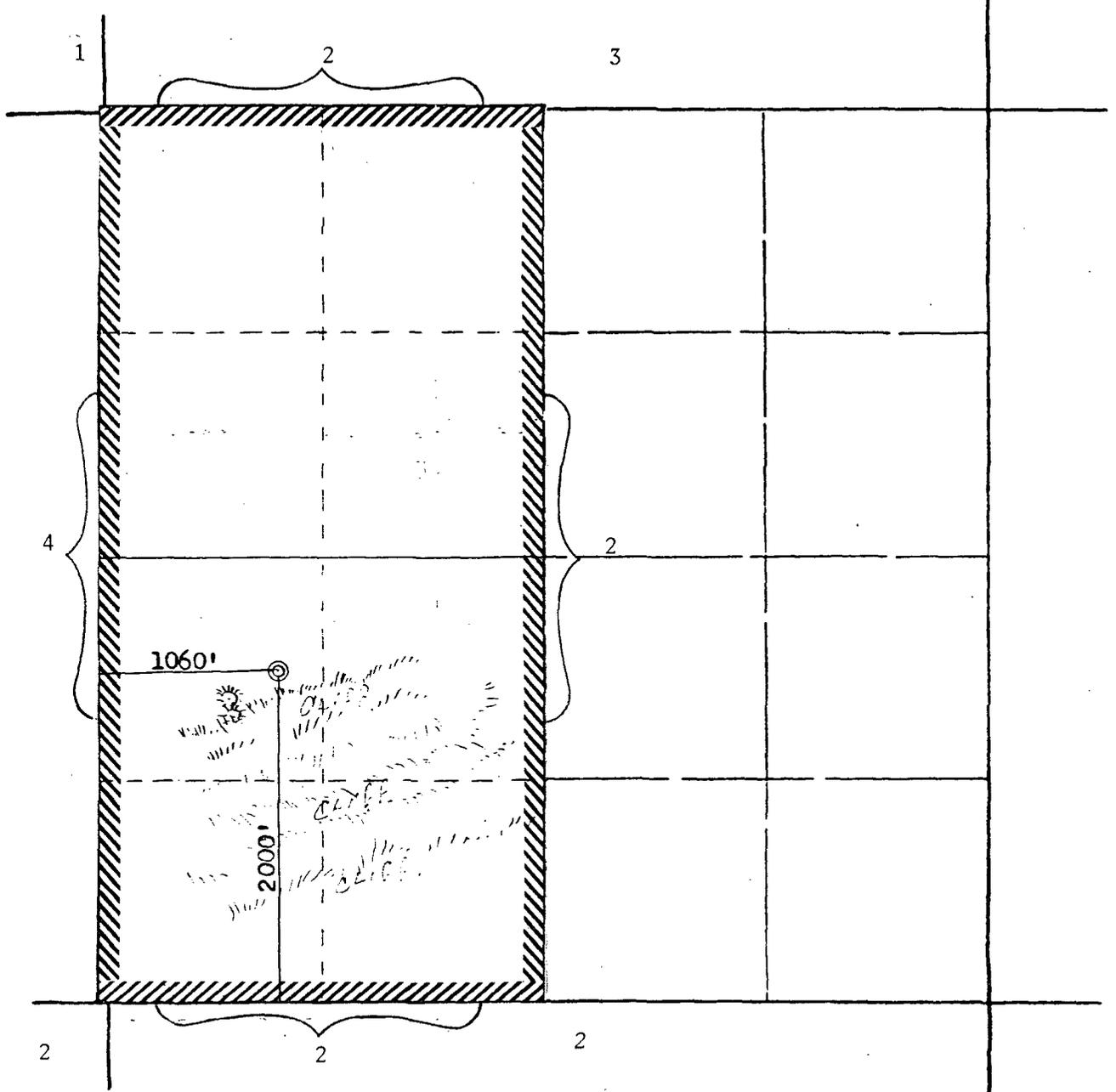
EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name San Juan #24, Basin Dakota

Footage----- 2000' FSL, 1060' FWL

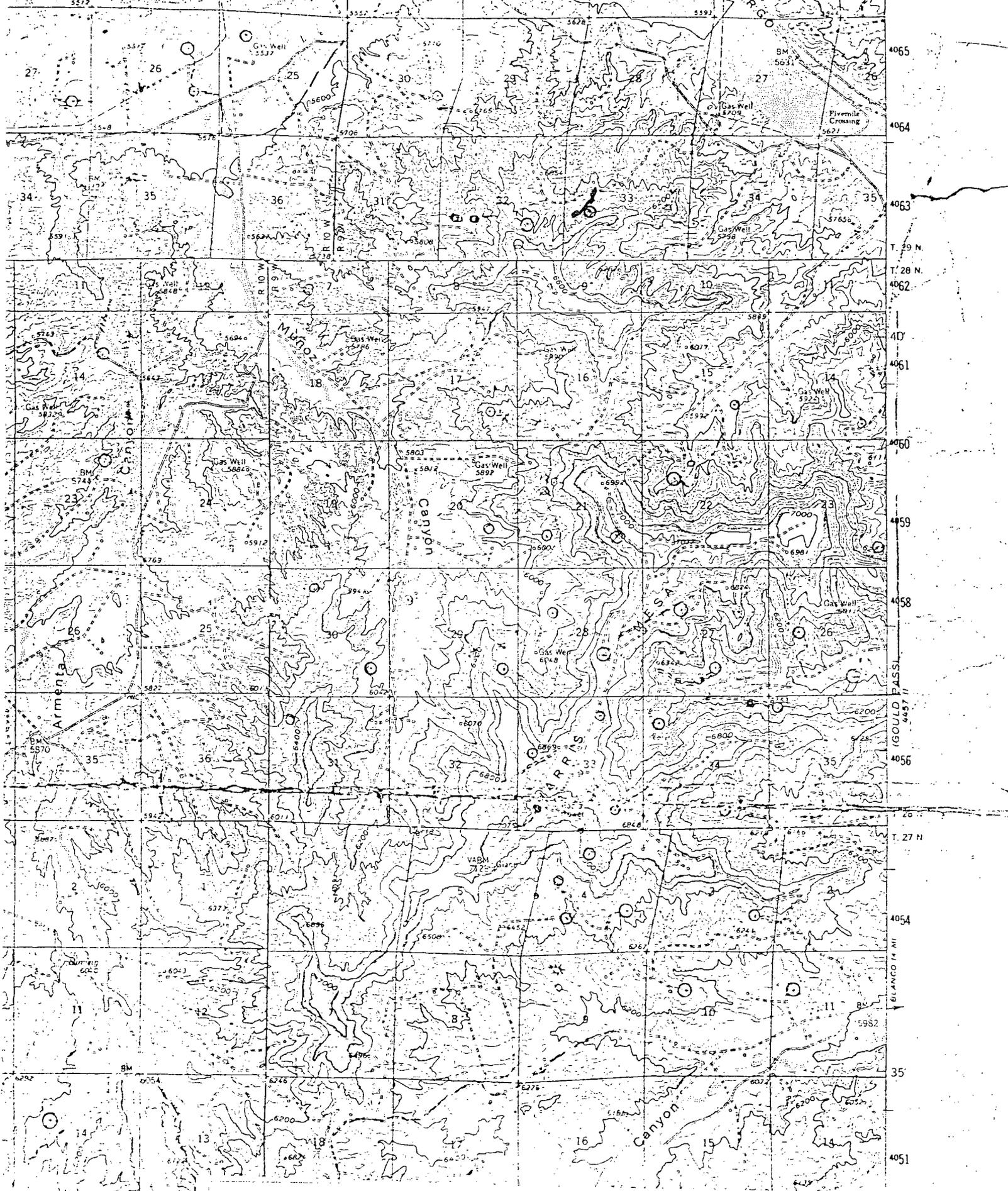
APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County San Juan State New Mexico Section 33 Township 29N Range 9W



REMARKS:

- (1) D. J. Simmons
- (2) Tenneco Oil Company
- (3) Koch, Industries
- (4) Amoco Production Company



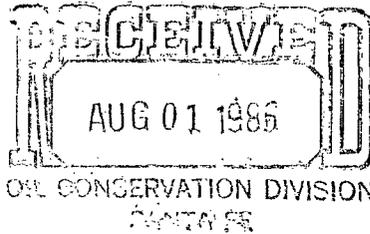
Vicinity Map for  
 EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY #24 SAN JUAN  
 2000' FSL 1060' FWL Sec. 33-T29N-R9W  
 SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Angels  
Peak

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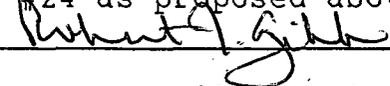
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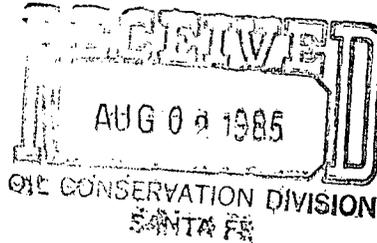
Tenneco Oil E&P hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural Gas Company's application for an unorthodox location for their San Juan #24 as proposed above.

By: 

Date: 7/29/85

cc: Tenneco Oil Petroleum  
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Amoco Production  
D. J. Simmons

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A handwritten signature in cursive that reads "G. W. Brink".

G. W. Brink  
Project Drilling Engineer

encl.

WAIVER

Koch Exploration Co. hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural Gas Company's application for an unorthodox location for their San Juan #24 as proposed above.

By: W. J. Walton *WJW*

Date: 7/26/85

cc: Tenneco Oil Petroluem  
Koch Industries  
Amoco Production  
D. J. Simmons



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 DISTRICT OFFICE

DATE 7-25-85

- RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed NSL X \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 7-17-85  
 for the El Paso Natural Gas Co. San Juan #24 L-33-29N-9W  
 Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Yours truly,

Erin Beards