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 on behalf
 of
 El Paso Natural Gas
 Co.

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 SANTA FE

April 13, 1988

Mr. William LeMay
 New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
 Post Office Box 2088
 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

NSL-2522
 RULE-104 FE
 Welded Fruitland Pool
 160 Acres
 SW 1/4 Sec 10

Dear Mr. LeMay:

This is a request for administrative approval for an unorthodox gas well location in the Undesignated Fruitland Pool.

It is intended to locate the El Paso Natural Gas Company's San Juan 30-6 Unit #431 at 740' from the South line and 715' from the West line of Section 10, T-30-N, R-6-W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

This location was moved at the request of the Bureau of Land Management to this unorthodox location.

El Paso Natural Gas Company is the unit operator of the San Juan 30-6 Unit.

Plats showing the proposed well location and the terrain in Section 10, along with an ownership plat, are attached.

Sincerely yours,

Peggy Doak
 Peggy Doak

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 clear
 Ok. E.B.

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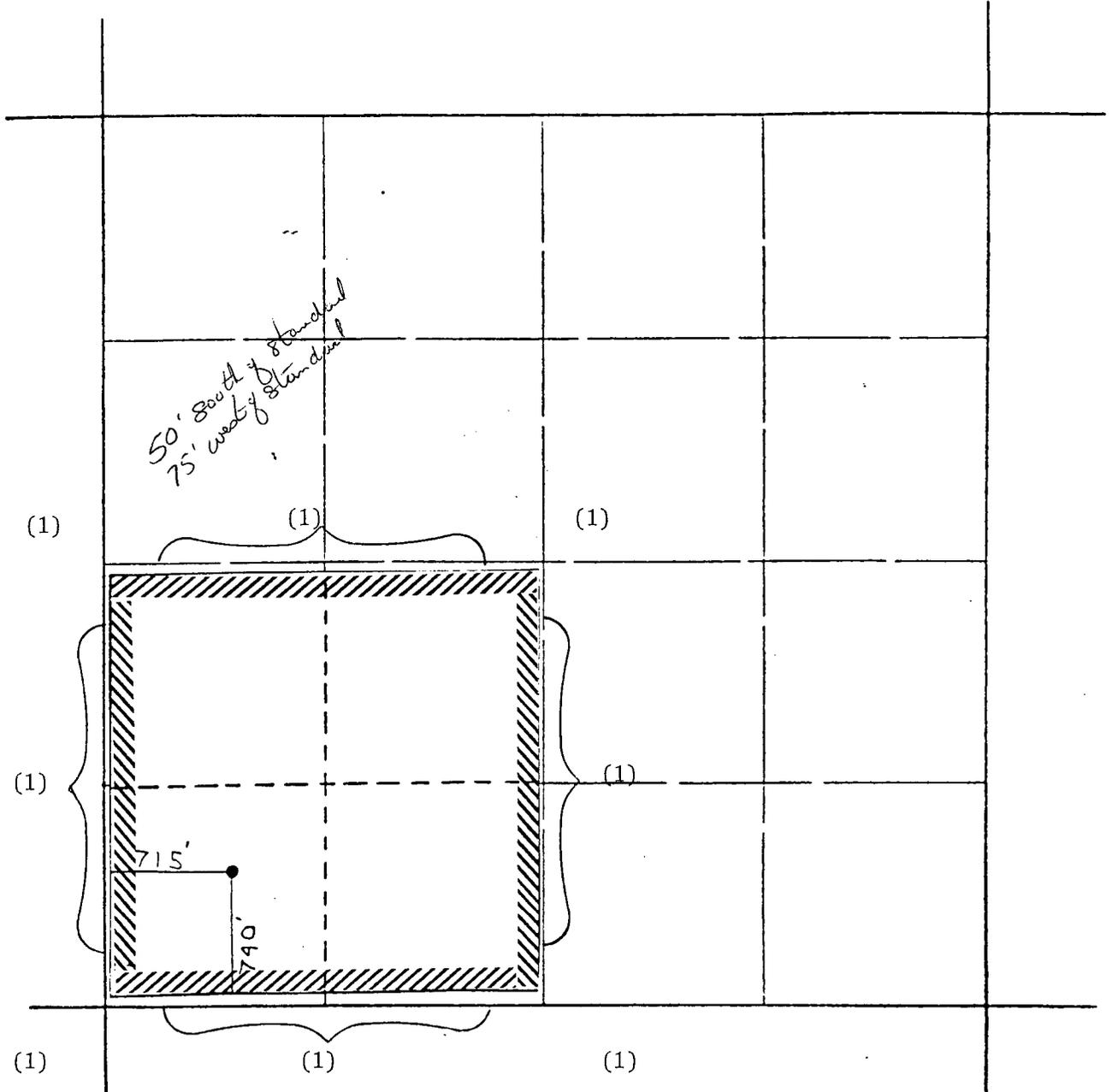
EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name SAN JUAN 30-6 UNIT #431, Undesignated Fruitland

Footage----- 740' FSL, 715' FWL

APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County Rio Arriba State New Mexico Section 10 Township 30N Range 6W



REMARKS: Offset Operators:
(1) El Paso Natural Gas Company
San Juan 30-6 Unit Operator

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Form C-102
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All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

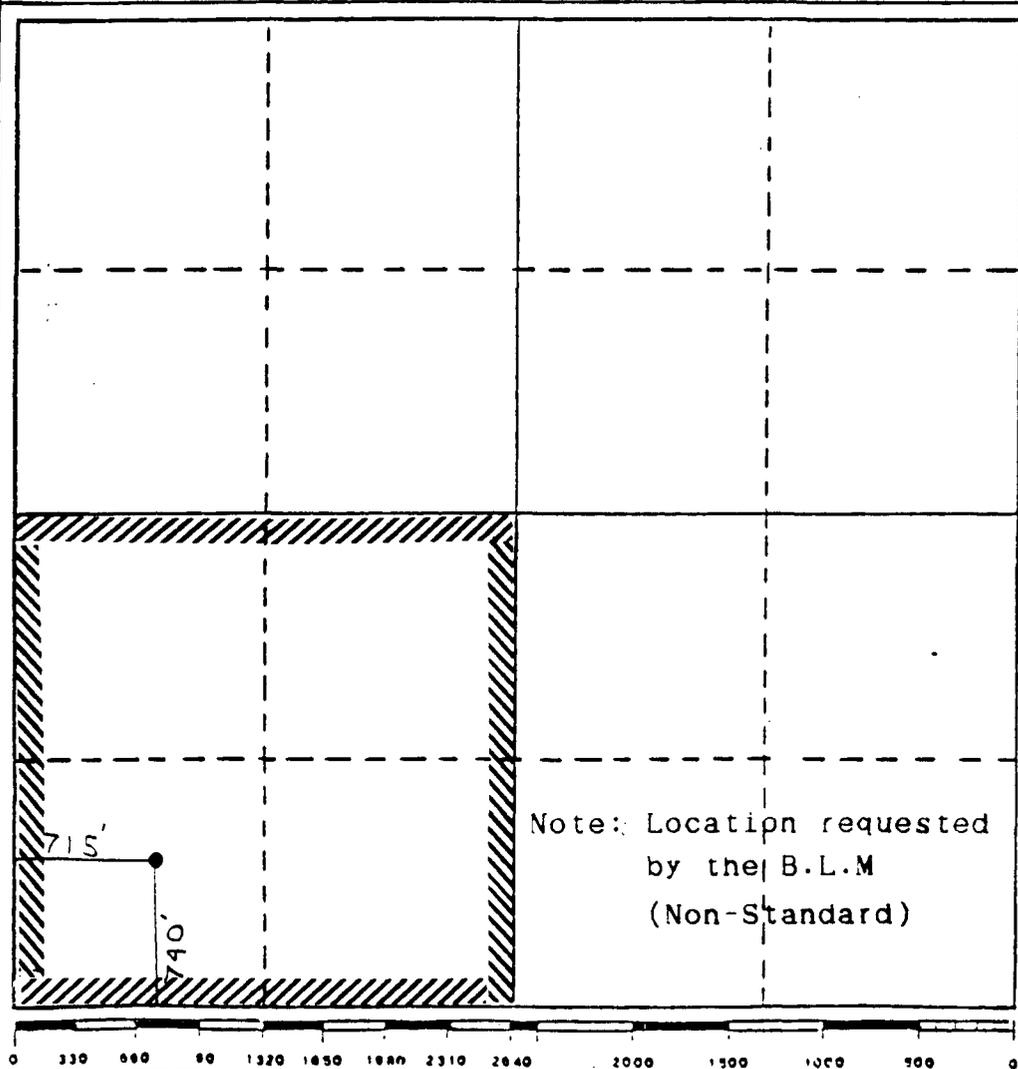
Operator El Paso Natural Gas Co.		Lease San Juan 30-6 Unit (SF-080714A)			Well No. 431
Unit Letter M	Section 10	Township T30N	Range R6W	County Rio Arriba	
Actual Footage Location of Wells					
740 feet from the South line and		715 feet from the West line			
Ground Level Elev. 6165	Producing Formation Fruitland		Pool Undesignated	Dedicated Acreage: 160 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 unitization

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 Division.



Note: Location requested by the B.L.M. (Non-Standard)

CERTIFICATION

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

Name: [Signature]
 Position: **Drilling Clerk**
 Company: **El Paso Natural Gas Co**
 Date: 4-9-88

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.

Date Signed: **March 25, 1988**
 Registered Land Surveyor
R. Howard Daggert
 PROFESSIONAL
 Certificate No. **9679**

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DATE 5-20-88

- RE: Proposed MC _____
- Proposed DHC _____
- Proposed NSL X _____
- Proposed SWD _____
- Proposed WFX _____
- Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 4-15-88

for the <u>Abasco Oil Lease, Sect. 30-6, Unit #451</u>	<u>MC-10-30NS-6-1</u>
Operator	Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

[Signature]

Yours truly,

[Signature]