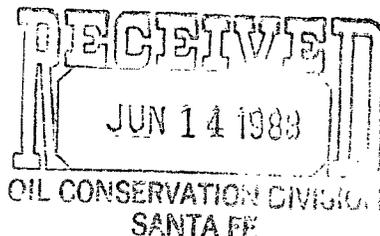


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NSL-2544
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Weldcat Fruitland Pool
160 Acre dcd.
NE1/4 Section 26

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

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 32-5 Unit #107 at 2045' from the north line and 645' from the east line of Section 26, T-32-N, R-6-W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

Extremely rough terrain in the form of steep cliffs makes it impossible to build an orthodox location in the northeast quarter of this section.

El Paso Natural Gas Company is the operator of the San Juan 32-5 Unit.

Plats showing the proposed well location and the terrain in Section 26, along with an ownership plat, are attached.

Sincerely yours,

Peggy Doak
Peggy Doak

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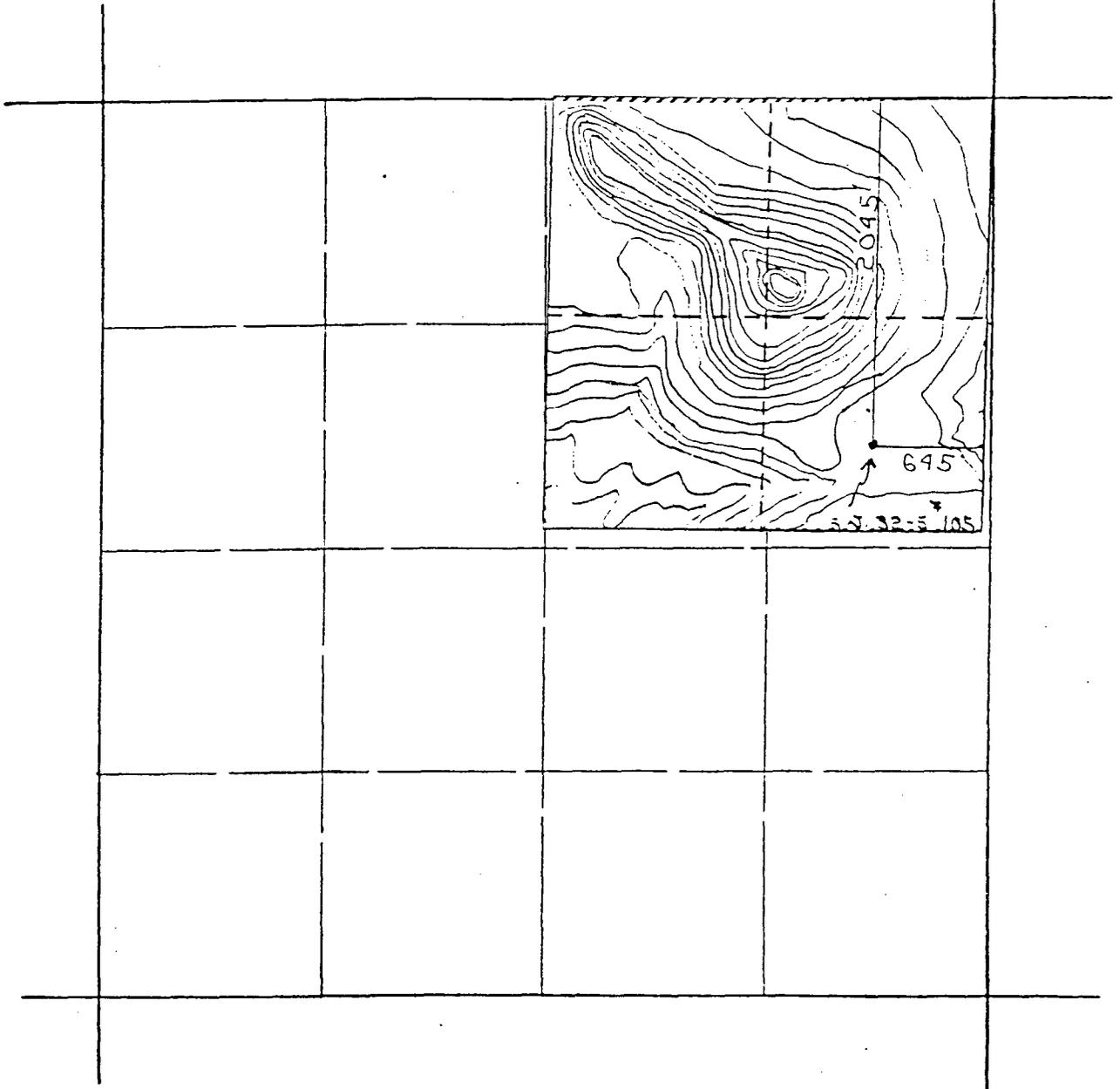
EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name San Juan 32-5 Unit #107, Undesignated Fruitland

Footage---- 2045' FNL, 645' FEL

APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County Rio Arriba State New Mexico Section 26 Township 32N Range 6W



REMARKS: All - El Paso Natural Gas Company, Operator of San Juan 32-5 Unit

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Form C-103
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All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

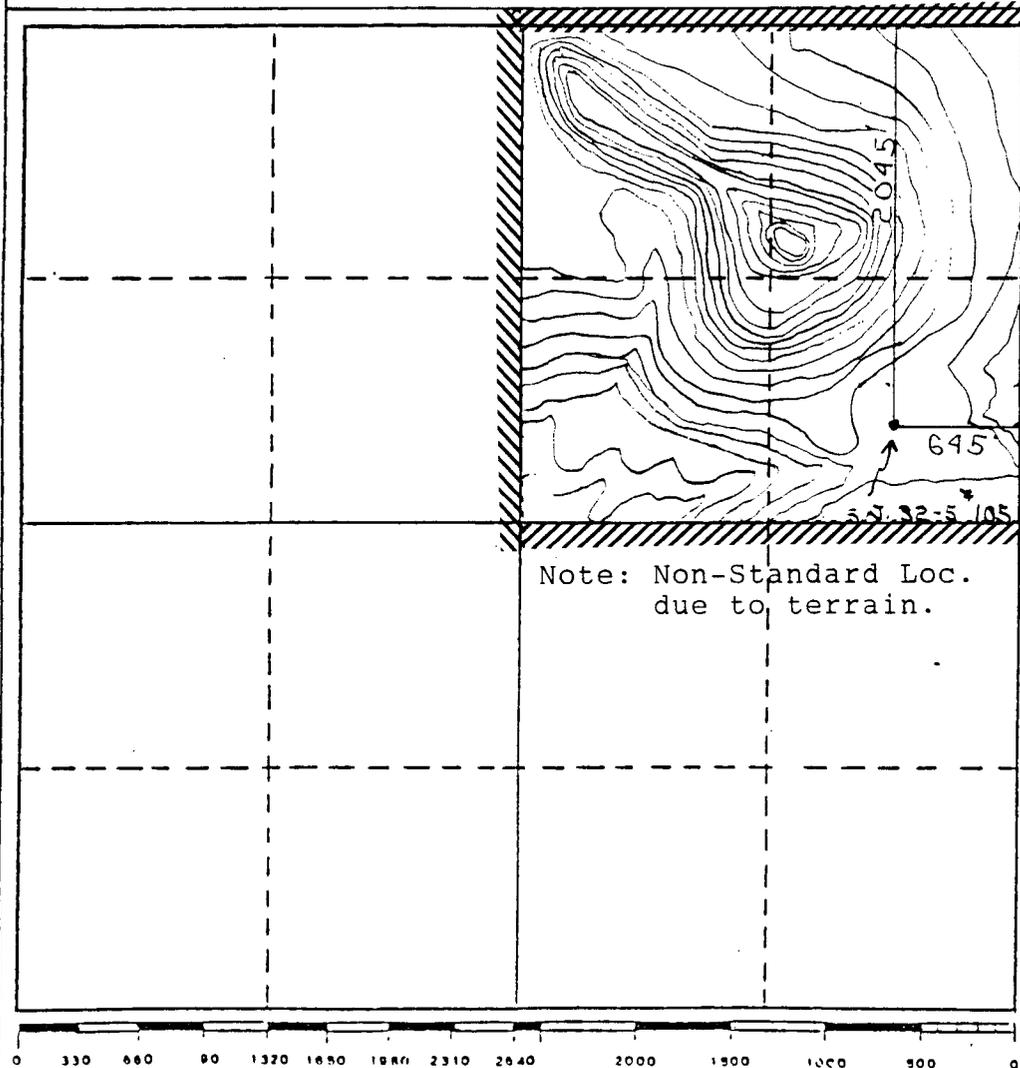
Operator El Paso Natural Gas Co.		Lease San Juan 32-5 Unit SF-081181			Well No. 107
Unit Letter H	Section 26	Township T32N	Range R6W	County Rio Arriba	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 2045 feet from the North line and 645 feet from the East line					
Ground Level Elev. 6353	Producing Formation Fruitland Coal		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.

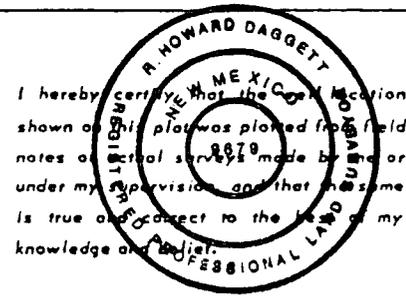


CERTIFICATION

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

Name
Drilling Clerk
Position
El Paso Natural Gas
Company

Date



I hereby certify that the location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes and 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.

Registered Professional
Land Surveyor

Date Surveyed
June 2, 1988

Registered Land Surveyor
R. Howard Daggett

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Certificate No.

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DATE 6-14-88

RE: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DIIC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 6-14-88
for the MERIDIAN OIL, INC. S.V. 525 #107 H-26-32N-6W
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

APPROVE

Yours truly,

[Signature]