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MR. W. B. MACEY  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
BOX 871  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

RE:  
PROPOSED NSP 136  
PROPOSED NSL \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Mr. Macey:

I have examined the application dated 3/29/55

for the El Paso Natural Gas Co. Shell State #11  
Operator Lease and Well No. S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

- OK-RFM
- OK-SJS
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Yours very truly,

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Stanley J. Stanley  
Engineer

hs  
160 acres  
NW/4 Sec. 13-20-36

cc: UCC - Houston  
9/6/55

NSP-136  
due 5/5/55

MAIN OFFICE El Paso Natural Gas Company

1955 APR 6 AM 8:49

El Paso, Texas  
March 29, 1955

New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
P. O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. W. B. Macey

Re: Application of El Paso  
Natural Gas Company for  
approval of a Non-Standard  
Gas Proration Unit. El Paso  
Natural Gas Company Shell State  
#11 Well, NW/4 of Section 13,  
Township 20 South, Range 36 East,  
N.M.P.M., Eumont Gas Pool, Lea  
County, New Mexico.

Gentlemen:

El Paso Natural Gas Company hereby makes application for approval of a Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit of 160.00 acres, more or less, comprising the NW/4 of Section 13, Township 20 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M., Eumont Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

1. El Paso Natural Gas Company is the owner and operator of the gas rights under State of New Mexico Lease B-1398-5 insofar as it covers the above described acreage.
2. El Paso Natural Gas Company proposes to drill the El Paso Natural Gas Company Shell State #11 Well and the proposed location for said well is 990 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West line of said Section 13.
3. El Paso Natural Gas Company proposes to commence drilling said well in the near future and possibly before April 20, 1955. Said proposed well will be drilled to test the Queen formation which we expect to encounter at approximately 3500 feet.
4. The proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit will meet the following requirements of Rule 5(b) of the Oil Conservation Commission Order No. R-520, to-wit:
  - a. That the proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit of 160.00 acres will consist of the four (4) contiguous quarter-quarter sections which comprise the NW/4 of Section 13, Township 20 South, Range 36 East, N.M.P.M.

- B. That the proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit lies wholly within a single governmental section.
- C. That the entire proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit may reasonably be presumed to be productive of gas.
- D. The length or width of the proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit does not exceed 5280 feet.
- E. That the entire proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit lies within the horizontal limits of the Eumont Gas Pool.
- F. That by copy of this Letter of Application, all the other operators owning an interest in the section in which the proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit is situated and all operators owning an interest within 1500 feet of the well have been notified by registered mail of this application.

A plat showing the acreage to be dedicated to the proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit, the location of the proposed well, and the offset ownership is attached hereto.

El Paso Natural Gas Company wishes to advise the Commission that it is our intention to use this well as the unit well.

In view of the existence of the facts herein stated and compliance with the provisions of Rule 5(b) of the Oil Conservation Commission's Order No. R-520, El Paso Natural Gas Company requests that the Secretary of the Commission approve the above described proposed Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit.

Respectfully submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

By: R. L. Hamblin  
R. L. Hamblin  
Manager  
Lease Department

The State of Texas

County of El Paso

On this 29th day of March, 1955, before me personally appeared R. L. Hamblin, to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing letter and states that the foregoing statements are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this day and year first above written.

My Commission expires:  
June 1, 1955

Helen Adams  
Notary Public in and for the State of  
Texas, County of El Paso

cc:

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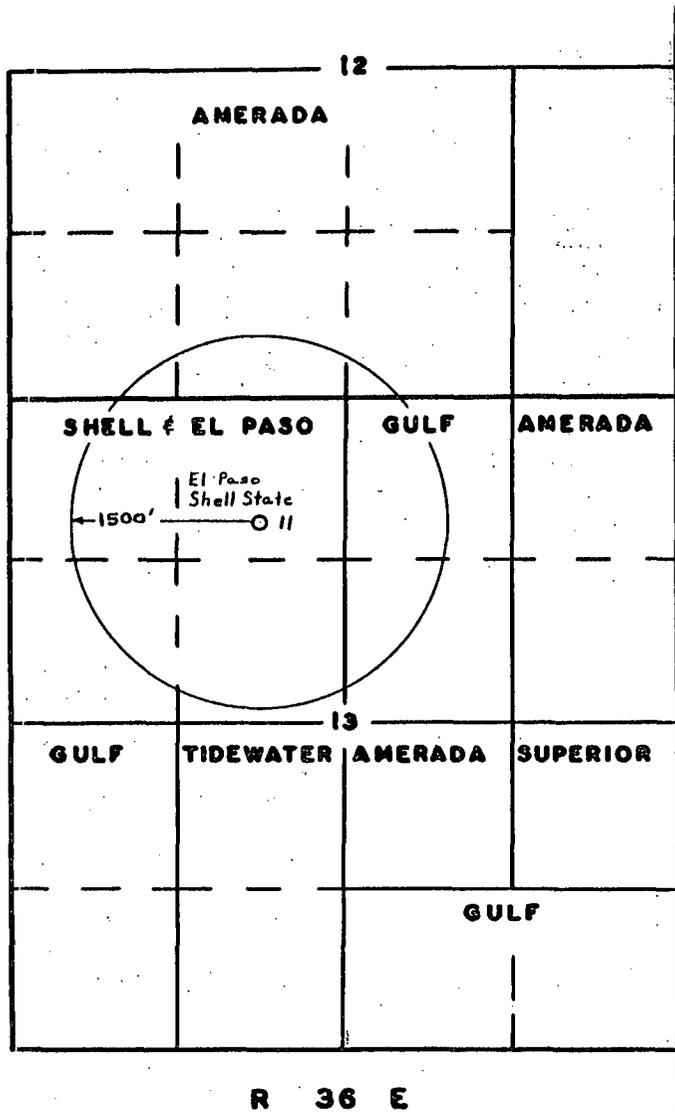
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