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October 28, 1999

Mr. William C. Olson
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2040 S. Pacheco
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RE: Notification of Monitoring Well Abandonment

Dear Mr. Olson:

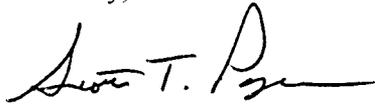
EL Paso Field Services Company (EPFS) hereby submits notification of the abandonment of monitoring wells located at sites that have been approved for closure. The sites approved for closure are included in the July 28, 1999 letter "SAN JUAN BASIN ANNUAL GROUNDWATER REPORT". The letter lists 15 sites that were approved for closure. The 15 sites will have all monitoring wells plugged and abandoned in accordance with EPFS's approved "MONITOR WELL ABANDONMENT PLAN" dated March 26, 1998. Below is a list of the sites that have been approved for closure and will require monitoring well abandonment:

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| 1. 2C-22 #3 Line Drip (Drip Pit) | Unit G, Sec. 13, T24N, R06W |
| 2. Candado #23 MV/CH (Drip Pit) | Unit B, Sec. 09, T26N, R07W |
| 3. Canyon Largo Unit #304 (Drip Pit) | Unit C, Sec. 11, T24N, R06W |
| 4. De Na Haz Za #1 (Drip Pit) | Unit D, Sec. 18, T26N, R08W |
| 5. Florance #1 (Drip Pit) | Unit J, Sec. 08, T30N, R11W |
| 6. Gallegos Canyon Unit D #160 (Dehy Pit) | Unit I, Sec. 27, T29N, R12W |
| 7. Harrington #1 (Drip Pit) | Unit M, Sec. 31, T27N, R07W |
| 8. Johnson #1E (Dehy Pit) | Unit P, Sec. 21, T31N, R13W |
| 9. Miles Federal #1E (Dehy Pit) | Unit N, Sec. 05, T26N, R07W |
| 10. Nickles #1 (Dehy Pit) | Unit K, Sec. 11, T31N, R13W |
| 11. Sanchez Gas Com B#1 (Dehy Pit) | Unit G, Sec. 28, T29N, R10W |
| 12. San Juan 28-6 #79 (Dehy Pit) | Unit M, Sec. 11, T27N, R06W |
| 13. Trujillo Gas Com A #1 (Drip Pit) | Unit C, Sec. 28, T29N, R10W |
| 14. Trunk 2B Drip X-1 (Drip Pit) | Unit J, Sec. 01, T27N, R11W |
| 15. Valdez Gas Unit A#1E (CH) (Drip Pit) | Unit G, Sec. 24, T29N, R11W |

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If you have any questions concerning the abandonment of the monitoring wells at the sites approved for closure, please call me at (505) 599-2124.

Sincerely,



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