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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, RE-ENTER, DEEPEN, PLUGBACK, OR ADD A ZONE

<sup>1</sup> Operator Name and Address <b>El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C. PO Box 190 Raton, NM 87740</b>		<sup>2</sup> OGRID Number <b>180514</b>
		<sup>3</sup> API Number <b>30-007-20568</b>
<sup>3</sup> Property Code <b>25179</b>	<sup>5</sup> Property Name <b>Vermejo Park Ranch (VPR)</b>	<sup>6</sup> Well No. <b>VPR D 196</b>

<sup>7</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<b>J</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>31N</b>	<b>17E</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>2503</b>	<b>FSL</b>	<b>2071</b>	<b>FEL</b>	<b>Colfax</b>

<sup>8</sup> Proposed Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County

<sup>9</sup> Proposed Pool 1

**Castle Rock Park - Vermejo**

<sup>10</sup> Proposed Pool 2

<sup>11</sup> Work Type Code <b>N</b>	<sup>12</sup> Well Type Code <b>G</b>	<sup>13</sup> Cable/Rotary <b>Rotary/Air</b>	<sup>14</sup> Lease Type Code <b>P</b>	<sup>15</sup> Ground Level Elevation <b>8,188'</b>
<sup>16</sup> Multiple <b>Yes</b>	<sup>17</sup> Proposed Depth <b>1,750'</b>	<sup>18</sup> Formation <b>Vermejo</b>	<sup>19</sup> Contractor <b>Pense</b>	<sup>20</sup> Spud Date <b>February 1, 2005</b>

<sup>21</sup> Proposed Casing and Cement Program

Hole Size	Casing Size	Casing weight/foot	Setting Depth	Sacks of Cement	Estimated TOC
<b>11'</b>	<b>8 5/8"</b>	<b>24#</b>	<b>330'</b>	<b>100 sk</b>	<b>Surface</b>
<b>7 7/8"</b>	<b>5 1/2"</b>	<b>17#</b>	<b>1,750'</b>	<b>235 sks</b>	<b>Surface</b>

<sup>22</sup> Describe the proposed program. If this application is to DEEPEN or PLUG BACK, give the data on the present productive zone and proposed new productive zone.  
Describe the blowout prevention program, if any. Use additional sheets if necessary.

1. Drill 11" hole to +/- 330' with air.
2. Set 8 5/8" surface casing and cement to surface with 100 sks of cement.
3. Drill 7 7/8" hole 1,750' with air. Run open hole logs.
4. Set 5 1/2" production casing to TD and cement to surface. Cement volumes calculated from open hole logs. Run Cement Bond Log.
5. Perforate and stimulate the Vermejo and/or Raton Coals. Clean out well bore and run production equipment.

<sup>23</sup> I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.		OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Signature: <i>DR Lankford</i>		Approved by: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Printed name: <b>Donald R. Lankford</b>		Title: <b>DISTRICT SUPERVISOR</b>	
Title: <b>Production Engineer</b>		Approval Date: <b>12/5/04</b>	Expiration Date: <b>12/15/05</b>
E-mail Address:			
Date: <b>12/06/05</b>	Phone: <b>(505) 445-6721</b>	Conditions of Approval:	
		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

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## WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number	<sup>2</sup> Pool Code 97046	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name CASTLE ROCK PARK - VERMEJO GAS
<sup>4</sup> Property Code 25179	<sup>5</sup> Property Name VERMEJO PARK RANCH	<sup>6</sup> Well Number VPR'D'-196
<sup>7</sup> OGRID No. 180514	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name EL PASO ENERGY RATON, L.L.C.	<sup>9</sup> Elevation 8188'

<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no. J	Section 24	Township T 31 N	Range R 17 E	Lot Idn J	Feet from the 2503	North/South line SOUTH	Feet from the 2071	East/West line EAST	County COLFAX
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<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order No.						

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A  
NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

<sup>16</sup> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px auto; width: fit-content;"> LAT/LONG NAD27 (DMS)  N 36°54'24.4"  W 105°05'12.2" </div> <div style="border: 2px solid black; width: 300px; height: 200px; margin: 10px auto; position: relative;"> <div style="position: absolute; top: 0; right: 0;">2071'</div> <div style="position: absolute; left: 0; bottom: 0;">2503'</div> </div>	<sup>17</sup> OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.  Signature: <i>DR Lankford</i> Printed Name: DONALD R. LANKFORD Title: SENIOR PETROLIUM ENGINEER Date:
	<sup>18</sup> SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION 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 belief. December 3, 2004 Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: <i>[Signature]</i> Certificate Number: NM LSN 5103