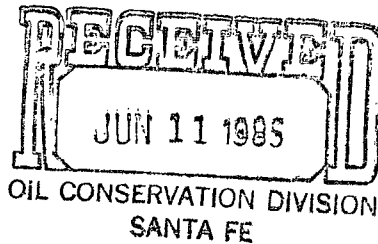


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June 7, 1985

Mr. Richard Stamets
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Post Office Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

320 Acuted.
w/2 Section 22

Dear Mr. Stamets:

This is a request for administrative approval for an unorthodox gas well location in the Blanco Mesa Verde Pool.

It is intended to locate the El Paso Natural Gas Company's Hancock #3A at 1430' from the North line and 1365' from the West line of Section 22, T-28-N, R-9-W, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Extremely rough terrain in the form of steep cliffs in the northwest corner of this section makes it impossible to build an orthodox gas well location.

A copy of this application is being submitted to all offset operators by certified mail with a request that they furnish your Santa Fe office with a Waiver of Objection, and return one copy to this office.

Plats showing the proposed well location and the terrain in Section 22, along with an ownership plat, are attached.

Sincerely yours,

G.W. Brink

G. W. Brink
Project Drilling Engineer

encl.

WAIVER

_____ hereby waives objection to El Paso Natural Gas Company's application for an unorthodox location for their Hancock #3A as proposed above.

By: _____

Date: _____

cc: Union Texas Petroleum

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102
Supersedes C-128
Effective 1-1-65

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

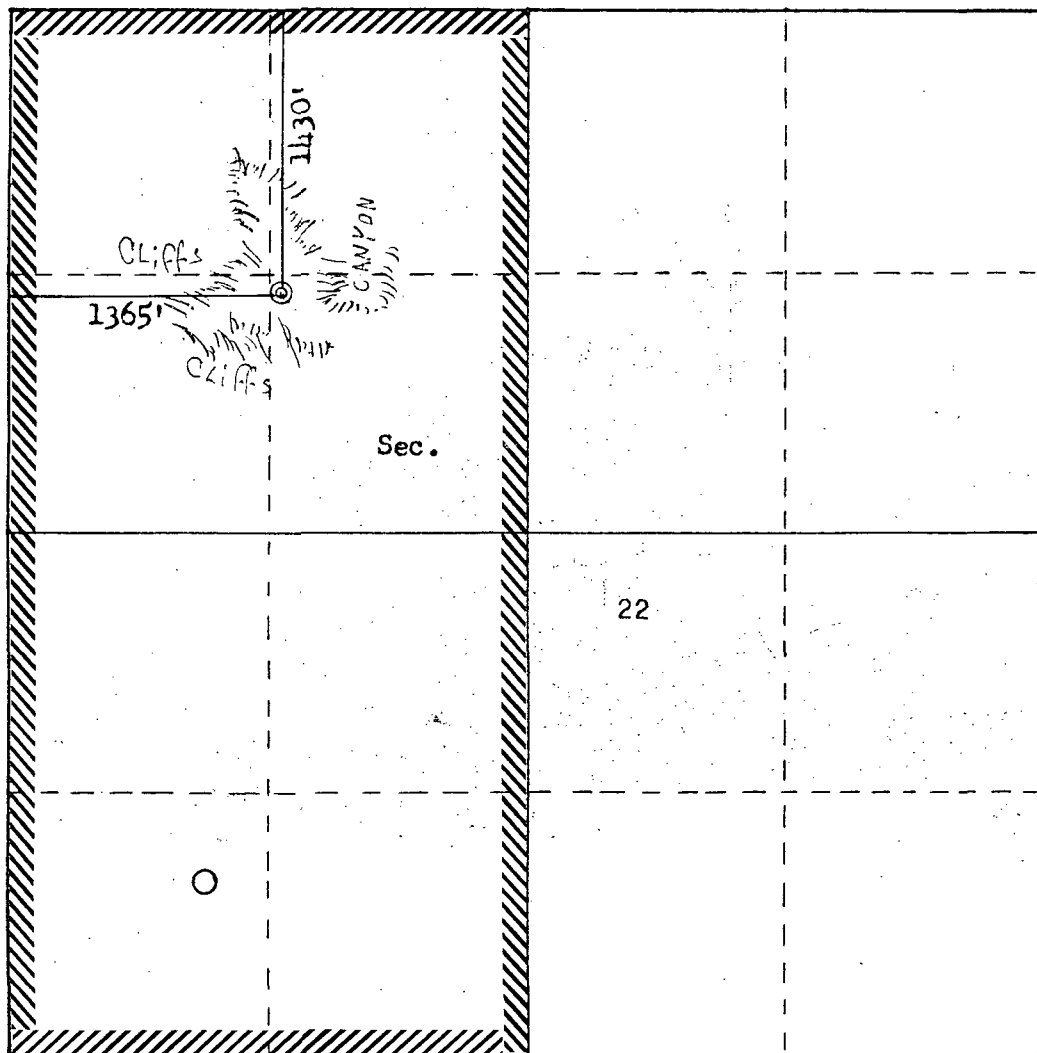
Operator EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY			Lease HANCOCK (SE 077107A)		Well No. 3A
Unit Letter F	Section 22	Township 28N	Range 9W	County San Juan	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 1430 feet from the North line and 1365 feet from the West line					
Ground Level Elev. 6165	Producing Formation Mesa Verde		Pool Blanco	Dedicated Acreage: 320 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 _____

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 Commission.



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 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 and belief.

Date Surveyed
May 6, 1985

Registered Professional Engineer
and Land Surveyor
Fred B. Kerr Jr.

Certificate No. 4280, 1st

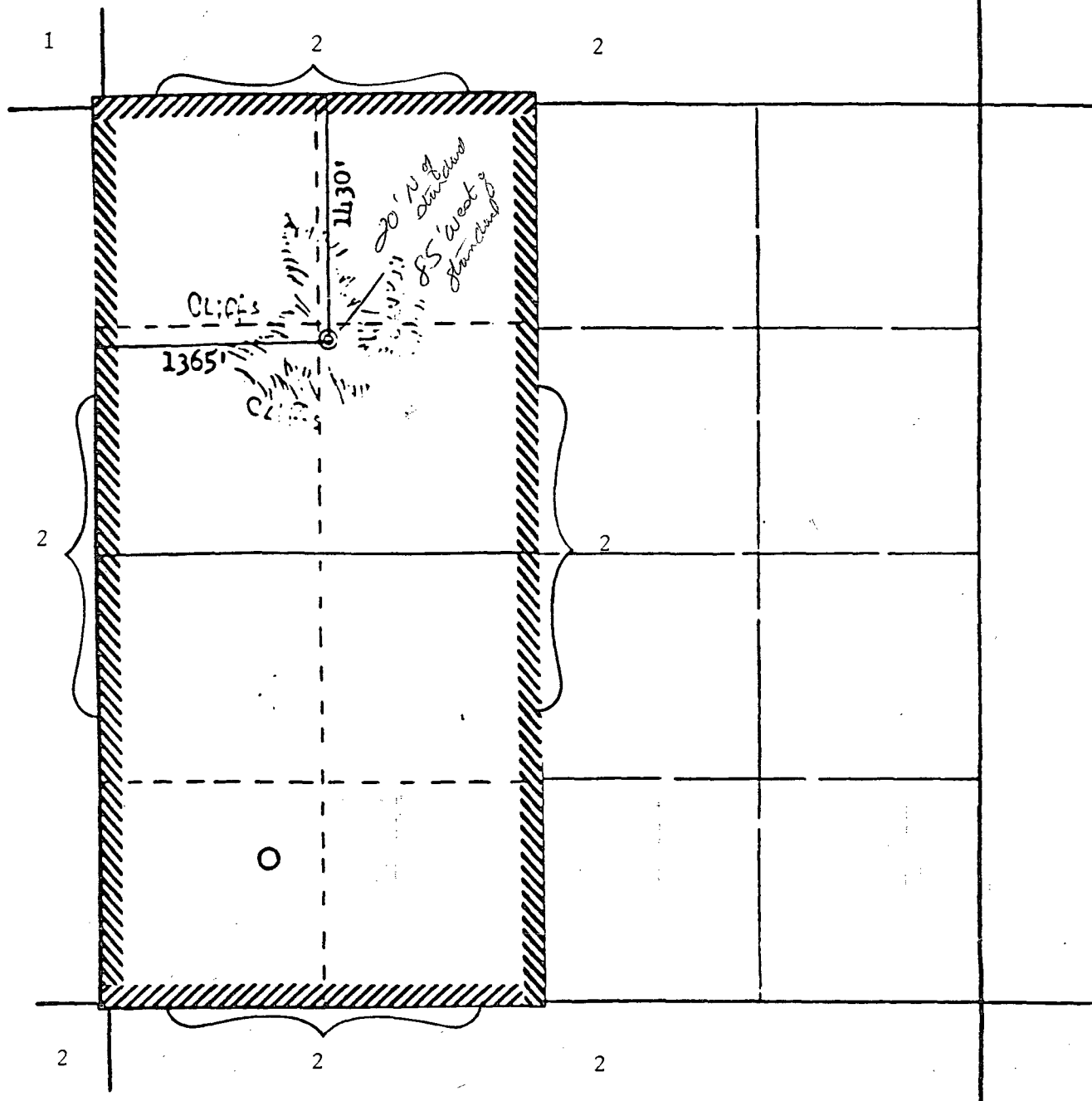
EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name Hancock #3A, Blanco Mesaverde

Footage----- 1430' FNL, 1365' FWL

APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County San Juan State New Mexico Section 22 Township 28N Range 9W



REMARKS:

(1) Union Texas Petroleum - Operator

(2) El Paso Natural Gas Company - Operator