

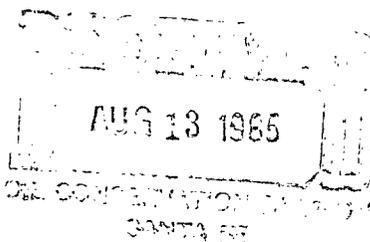
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**MERIDIAN OIL**



NSL-2141  
RULE-104F(I)

August 7, 1985

Mr. Richard Stamets  
New Mexico Oil Conservation District

*Basin Dakota Pool*

(322.35) Section 9: Lots 1, 2, and 3, SE/4 SW/4, and  
*Acres* S/2 SE/4  
 Section 10: Lot 4 and S/2 SW/4

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Sincerely yours,

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 San Juan 28-5 Unit #89E as proposed above.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

cc: Northwest Pipeline

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 <b>EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY</b>		Lease <b>SAN JUAN 28-5 UNIT (SF 079250)</b>		Well No. <b>89E</b>
Unit Letter <b>N</b>	Section <b>9</b>	Township <b>28N</b>	Range <b>5W</b>	County <b>Rio Arriba</b>
Actual Footage Location of Well: <b>1190</b> feet from the <b>South</b> line and <b>1745</b> feet from the <b>West</b> line				
Ground Level Elev. <b>6642</b>	Producing Formation <b>Dakota</b>	Pool <b>Basin</b>	Dedicated Acreage: <b>322.35</b> 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 Commission.

CERTIFICATION

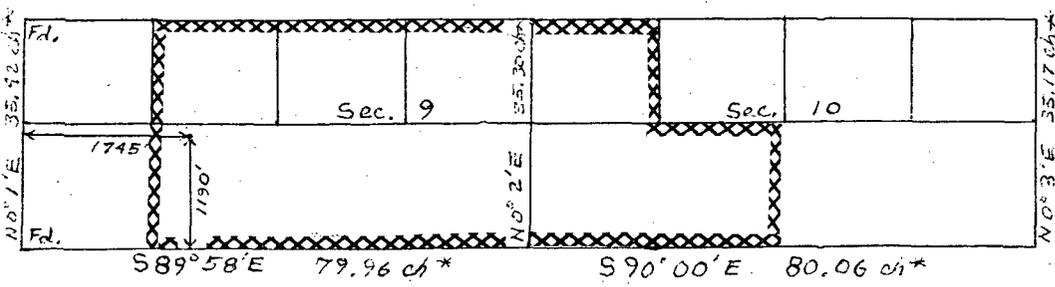
I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name <b>Drilling Clerk</b>
Position <b>El Paso Natural Gas</b>
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.

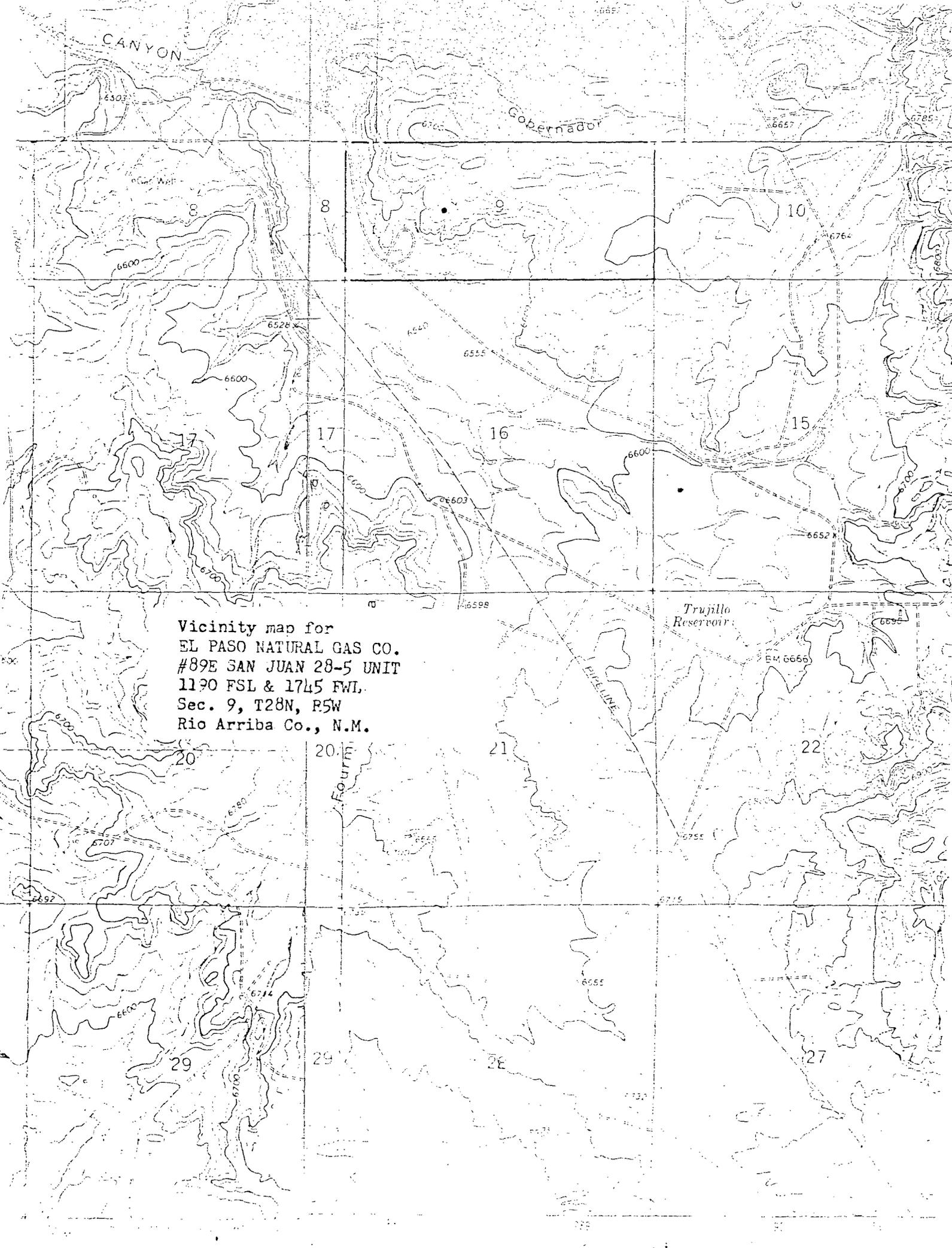
7-11-85

Date Surveyed <b>William E. Mahinke III</b>
Registered Professional Engineer and Land Surveyor <b>#8466</b>
Certificate No. <b>8466</b>



\*Record GLO Plat 1915

1" = 2000'



Vicinity map for  
EL PASO NATURAL GAS CO.  
#89E SAN JUAN 28-5 UNIT  
1190 FSL & 1745 FWL  
Sec. 9, T28N, R5W  
Rio Arriba Co., N.M.

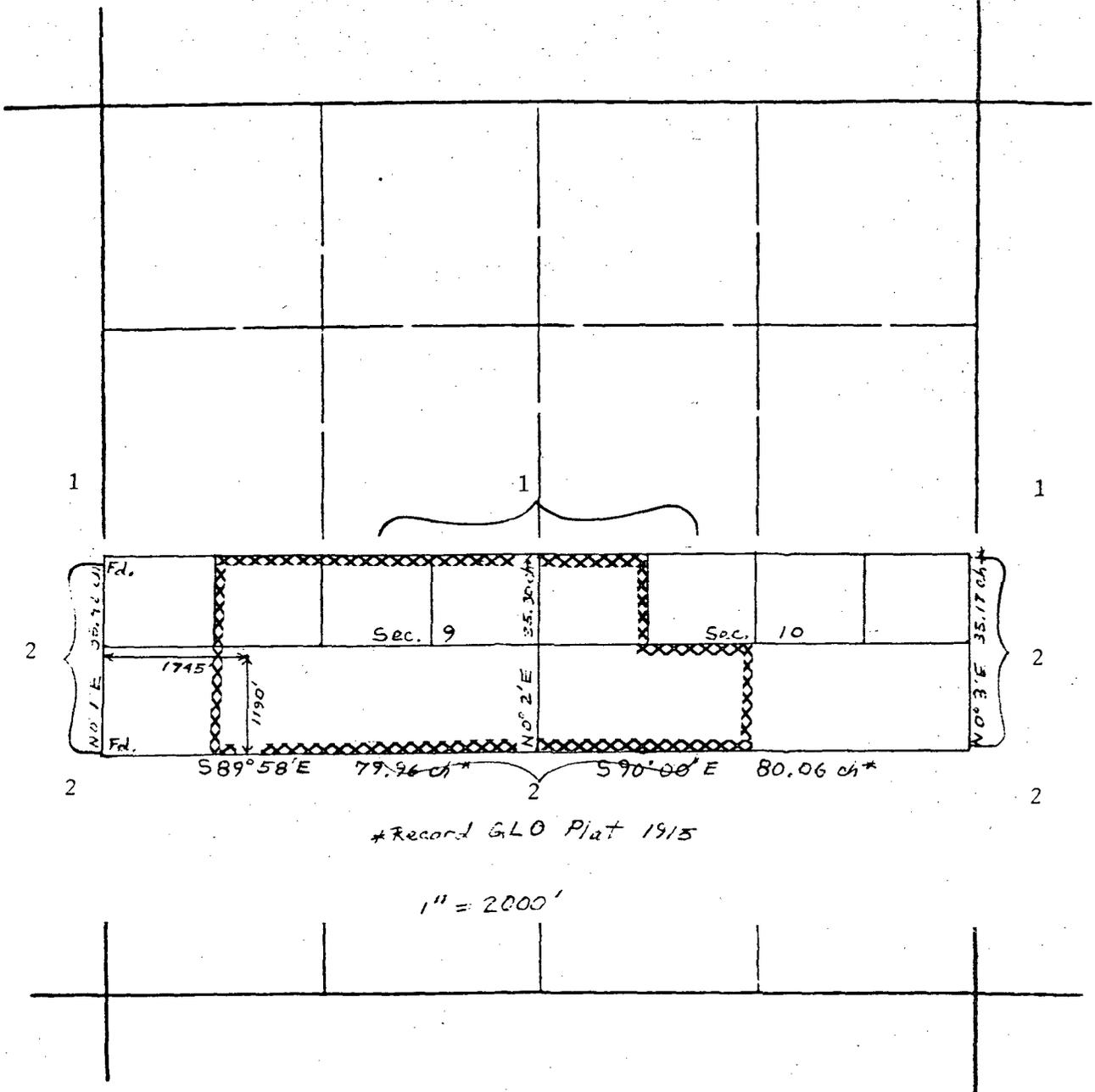
# EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name San Juan 28-5 Unit #89E, Basin Dakota

Footage----- 1190' FSL, 1745' FWL

## APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County Rio Arriba State New Mexico Section 9 Township 28N Range 5W



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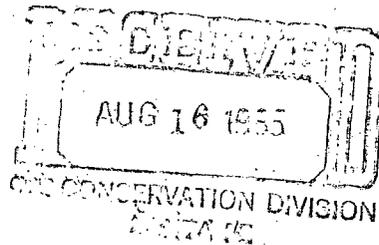
**REMARKS:**

- (1) San Juan 29-5 Unit, Northwest Pipeline Corporation - Operator
- (2) San Juan 28-5 Unit, El Paso Natural Gas Company - Operator

*Ed*

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PRODUCTION AND DRILLING

August 7, 1985

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

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By: Paul C. Thompson

Date: 8/14/85

cc: Northwest Pipeline



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
 ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT  
 OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
 AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

NSL - 2141

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DATE 8-30-85

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RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed NSL X \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed SWD \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 8-13-85  
 for the El Paso Natural Gas Co., S.V. 28-5 Unit #89E N-9-28N-SW  
 Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Yours truly,

E. Busch