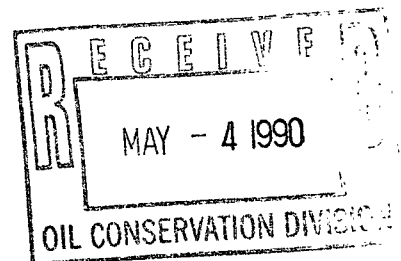


MERIDIAN OIL

May 3, 1990



Certified Mail

Mr. William LeMay
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
Post Office Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

RE: San Juan 27-5 Unit #73
890'FSL, 1550'FWL
Section 30, T-27-N, R-05-W
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

This is a request for administrative approval for a non-standard gas well location in the Basin Fruitland Pool.

Meridian Oil intends to plugback and recomplete the San Juan 27-5 Unit #73 well from the Pictured Cliffs pool to the Basin Fruitland Coal Pool. The current location of this well is 890'FSL, 1550'FWL, Section 30, T-27-N, R-05-W, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The well is considered non-standard due to the NE-SW dedicated pattern established for the Basin Fruitland Coal Pool. To comply with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division rules, Meridian is submitting the following for your approval of this non-standard location:

1. C-102 plat showing location of the well;
2. Plat showing offset owners/operators;
3. Copy of Well Completion Log for original completion.

All surrounding lands are located within the San Juan 27-5 Unit boundaries - El Paso Natural Gas Company is the operator of this unit.

Sincerely yours,


Peggy Bradfield
encl.

Submit to Appropriate
District Office
State Lease - 4 copies
Fee Lease - 3 copies

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
Revised 1-1-89

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

DISTRICT I
P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88240

P.O. Box 2088

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

DISTRICT II
P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section

Operator Meridian Oil Inc.		Lease San Juan 27-5 Unit (Fee)		Well No. 73
Unit Letter 0	Section 30	Township 27 North	Range 5 West	County Rio Arriba
Actual Footage Location of Well: 890 feet from the South line and 1550 feet from the East line				
Ground level Elev. 6388'	Producing Formation Fruitland Coal		Pool Basin	Dedicated Acreage: 320 Acres

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure 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 interest 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 interest, has been approved by the Division.

Not resurveyed: prepared
from a plat by David O.
Vilven, dated 5-3-62.

OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

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

Signature

Peggy Bradfield

Printed Name

Regulatory Affairs

Position

Meridian Oil Inc.

Company

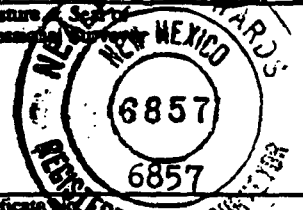
Date

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 knowledge and
belief.

4-11-90
Date Surveyed

Signature
Professional Surveyor



Certificate No. 6857
Neale C. Edwards

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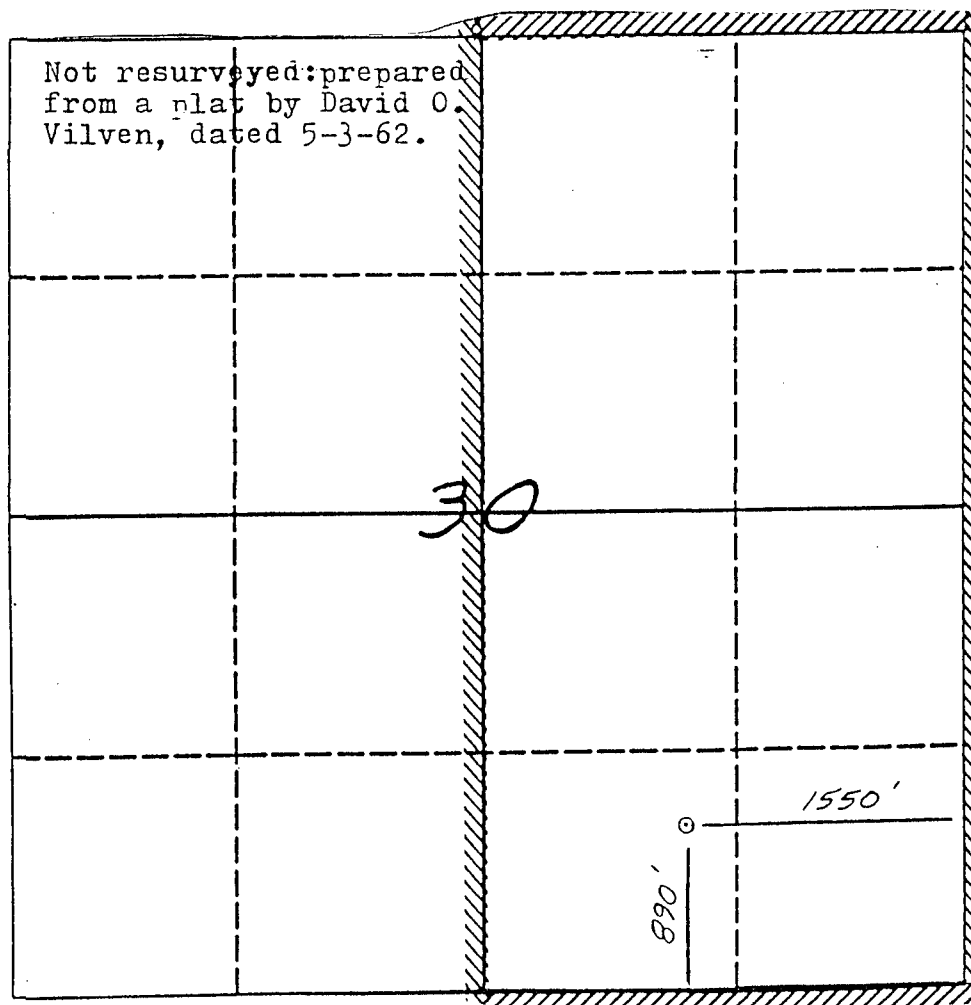
EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name SAN JUAN 27-5 UNIT #73

Footage 890' FSL; 1550' FEL

APPLICATION FOR NON-STANDARD LOCATION

County Rio Arriba State New Mexico Section 30 Township 27 N Range 5 W



Remarks All surrounding lands are located within the San Juan 27-5 Unit
boundaries - El Paso Natural Gas Company, Operator

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Santa Fe, New Mexico

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WELL RECORD

Mail to District Office, Oil Conservation Commission, to which Form C-101 was sent not later than twenty days after completion of well. Follow instructions in Rules and Regulations of the Commission. Submit in QUINTUPPLICATE If State Land submit 6 Copies

El Paso Natural Gas Company

San Juan 27-5 Unit

AREA 640 ACRES
LOCATE WELL CORRECTLY

Well No. 73, in SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, of Sec 30, T 27N, R 5W, NMPM.

South Blanco Pictured Cliffs

Pool,

Rio Arriba

County.

Well is 890 feet from South line and 1550 feet from East line

of Section 30. If State Land the Oil and Gas Lease No. is

Drilling Commenced 5-18, 1962. Drilling was Completed 5-23, 1962.

Name of Drilling Contractor Gilbert Drilling Co. & Brinkerhoff Drilling Company

Address

Elevation above sea level at Top of Tubing Head 6388. The information given is to be kept confidential until

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OIL SANDS OR ZONES

No. 1, from 3061 to 3160 (G) No. 4, from to

No. 2, from to No. 5, from to

No. 3, from to No. 6, from to

IMPORTANT WATER SANDS

Include data on rate of water inflow and elevation to which water rose in hole.

No. 1, from to feet.

No. 2, from to feet.

No. 3, from to feet.

No. 4, from to feet.

CASING RECORD

SIZE	WEIGHT PER FOOT	NEW OR USED	AMOUNT	KIND OF SHOE	CUT AND PULLED FROM	PERFORATIONS	PURPOSE
8 5/8	24#	New	124	HOWCO			Surface
2 7/8	6.5#	New	3185	Baker			Prod.

MUDDING AND CEMENTING RECORD

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WHERE SET	NO. SACKS OF CEMENT	METHOD USED	MUD GRAVITY	AMOUNT OF MUD USED
12 1/4	8 5/8	133	125	Circulated		
6 1/4	2 7/8	3188	180	Single		

① 40.27	Meridian Oil, Inc. San Juan 27-5 No. 13 896' FNL - 1650' FEL Spud - 11/17/55 T.D. - 5673'	Meridian Oil, Inc. San Juan 27-5 No. 16d 840' FNL - 1000' FEL Spud - 6-19-73 T.D. 7759 Basin Dakota Producing	
② 40.24	Blanco Mesaverte Producing		
③ 40.00			
④ 39.87	Meridian Oil, Inc. San Juan 27-5 No. 13 896' FNL - 1550' FEL Spud - 5/18/62 T.D. 3200' Blanco PC (subject well)		

Standard
320 acres
E/2

SECTION 30

TOWNSHIP 27N

RANGE 56W
Rio Arriba County



STATE OF NEW MEXICO

ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

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1100 MID BRAZOS ROAD
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410
(505) 334-6170

ARREY CARRUTHERS
GOVERNOR

Date: 5-16-90

Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Re: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL X _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 5-8-90
for the Opposition Oil Inc. S.T. 27-5 Unit #73
Operator Lease & Well No.

Q-30-27N-5W and my recommendations are as follows:
Unit, S-T-R

Approved

Yours truly,

Francis Bruce