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Oil Conservation Commission of the State of New Mexico Post Office Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

> Re: Application for Exception to Rule 6(a) Revised of Order No. R-565, for Non-Standard Proration Unit, Aztec-Pictured Cliffs Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.

## Gentlemen:

El Paso Natural Gas Company hereby submits its application for administrative approval of a non-standard proration unit comprising the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) (or NE/4 SW/4, SE/4 SW/4, Lots 3 and 4) of Section 18, Township 30 North, Range 10 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

- The Schumacker #3 Well, located 990 feet from the South line and 1650 feet from the West line of Section 18, Township 30 North, Range 10 West, was completed as a gas well on November 1, 1952, and connected to El Paso Natural Gas Company's gathering system May 26, 1953.
- 2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 156.50 acres which are contiguous quarter-quarter sections and lots.
- That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit lies wholly within a single governmental section.
- That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit may reasonably be presumed to be productive of gas.
- That by copy of this letter of application all operators owning interests (a) in the section in which any part of the non-standard proration unit is situated and which acreage is not included in said non-standard gas proration unit, and (b) in acreage offsetting the nonstandard proration unit, are notified by registered mail of this proposed non-standard gas proration unit.

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Therefore, El Paso Natural Gas Company requests that under the provision of Rule 6 (b) Revised of Order No. R-565, the Secretary of the Commission grant exception to Rule 6 (a) without Notice and Hearing, and approve the subject non-standard gas proration unit.

Respectively submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

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Manager

Lease Department

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A copy of this application is being sent by registered mail, return receipt requested to the attached list of owners.

STATE OF TEXAS	
COUNTY OF EL PASO )	
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	R. L. Hamblin
	ore me by the said R. L. HAMBLIN this 20th day of to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.
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	Notary Public in and for El Paso County State of Texas
My Commission expires:	Helen Adams Notary Public, in and for El Paso County, Texas My commission expires June 1, 1955

Copies of the foregoing Application for non-standard gas proration unit on the Schumacker #3 Well was forwarded by Registered Mail, return receipt requested, to the following listed parties:

Mr. Fred Coyte Aztec, New Mexico

Aztec Oil and Gas Company 920 Mercantile Securities Building Dallas 1, Texas Fred Coyte

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