AZTEC OIL & GAS COMPANY 920 MERCANTILE SECURITIES BLDG. LIDES 25 M n : 00 DALLAS 1, TEXAS

NWU-161

February 9, 1956

Oil Conservation Commission State of New Mexico P. O. Box 871 Santa Fe, New Mexico

> Re: Application for Exception to Rule 1(a) of Order R-128-C for Establishment of a Non-Standard Gas Proration Unit, Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

Aztec Oil & Gas Company hereby submits its application for administrative approval of a non-standard gas proration unit comprising the West Half (W3) of Section 4, Township 29 North, Range 8 West, N.M.P.M., San Juan County, New Mexico, and in support thereof respectfully states and shows the following:

- 1. That the Aztec Hill No. 1 Well, located 1650 feet from the south line and 1650 feet from the west line of Section 4, Township 29 North, Range 8 West, was completed March 3, 1953 as a gas well and connected to El Paso Natural Gas Company's pipeline on May 28, 1953.
- 2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 324.46 acres which are contiguous quarter-quarter sections and lots.
 - 3. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit lies wholly within a single governmental section.
 - 4. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit may reasonably be presumed to be productive of gas.
 - 5. So far as is known to Applicant, the following company constitutes the only operator, other than Applicant, owning an interest in any of the acreage included in or offsetting the proposed unit, and such company is being notified by registered mail of this proposed non-standard gas proration unit by the mailing of a copy of this application to it:

El Paso Natural Gas Company El Paso, Texas

Therefore, Aztec Oil & Gas Company respectfully requests that under the provisions of Rule 1(b) of Order No. R-128-C, the Secretary of the Commission grant an exception to Rule 1(a), without notice and hearing, approving the non-standard gas proration unit hereinabove requested.

Respectfully submitted,

AZTEC OIL & GAS COMPANY

Its Attorney

STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF DALLAS

Quilman B. Davis, being first duly sworn, hereby states that he is Attorney for Aztec Oil & Gas Company, the Applicant in the foregoing application; that he has executed said application on behalf of Aztec Oil & Gas Company; that he has read said application and, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, all statements of fact therein contained are true and correct; and that a copy of this application was duly deposited on February 10, 1956, in the United States post office as registered mail, with all charges prepaid, addressed to the party listed in paragraph 5 of this application.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned authority, this

Notary Public in and for

Dallas County, Texas

My Commission Expires:
June 1, 1957

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