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El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas

December 13, 1956

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,
So. Blanco 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 Northwest Quarter (NW/4) or (NE/4 NW/4, SE/4 NW/4, Lots 1,2) of Section 31, Township 28 North, Range 8 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

1. The Schwerdtfeger #8-A Well, located 1452' from the North line and 990' from the West line of Section 31, Township 28 North, Range 8 West, was completed as a gas well on October 27, 1956, and as yet, has not been connected to El Paso Natural Gas Company's gathering system.
2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 153.57 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. That El Paso Natural Gas Company is the owner of all the interest in Section 31, Township 28 North, Range 8 West, and that the operator owning the only other interest in the acreage offsetting the non-standard proration unit is 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 Ruly 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.

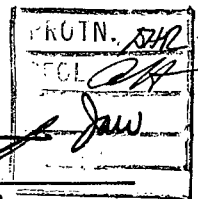
Respectfully submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

By



Samuel Smith
Ass't. Manager
Lease Department



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A copy of this application is being sent by registered mail, return receipt requested, to the owner shown on the attached sheet.

A copy of the foregoing application for non-standard gas proration unit on the Schwerdtfeger #8-A Well was forward by Registered Mail, return receipt requested to the following listed party:

Stanolind Oil and Gas Company
Post Office Box 1714
Albuquerque, New Mexico

THE STATE OF TEXAS

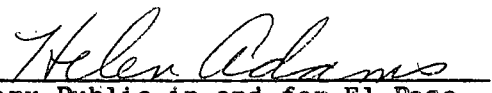
COUNTY OF EL PASO

SAMUEL SMITH, being first duly sworn, hereby states that he is Assistant Manager of the Lease Department for El Paso Natural Gas Company, the Applicant in the foregoing application; that he has executed said application on behalf of El Paso Natural 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; that a copy of this application was duly deposited on January 2nd, 1957, in the United States Post Office as registered mail, with all charges prepaid, addressed to the parties shown on the attached sheet of this application.


SAMUEL SMITH

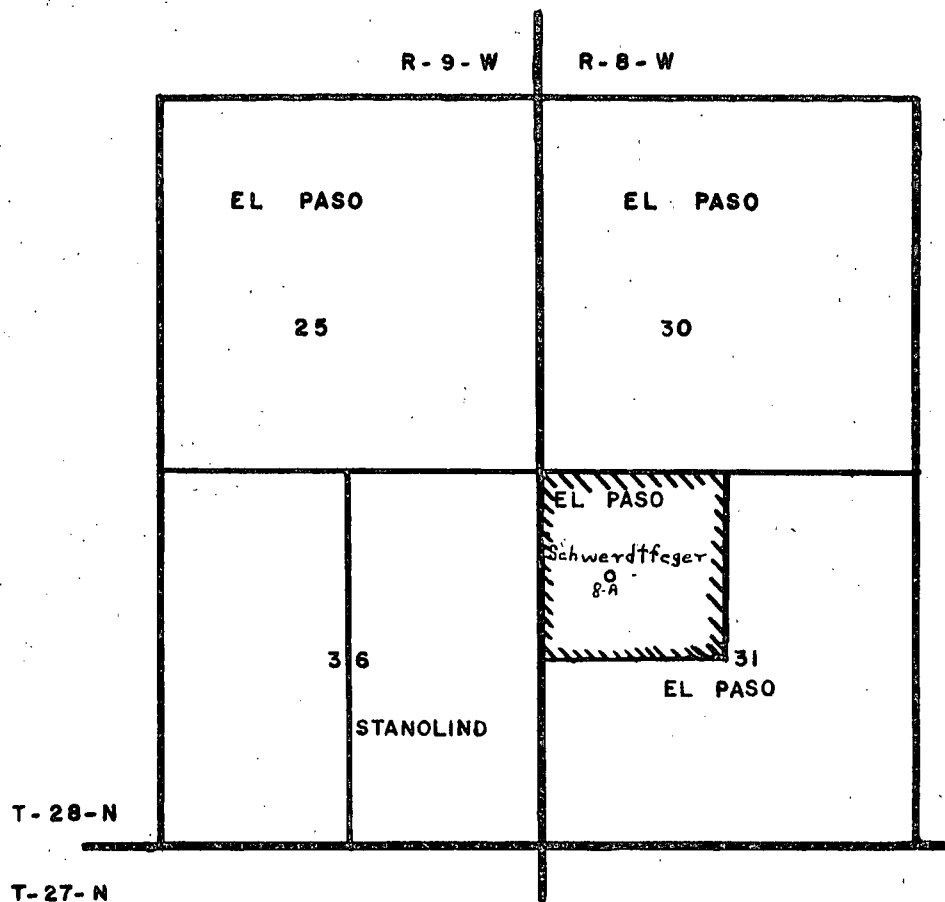
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said SAMUEL SMITH this 2nd day of January, 1957, to certify which witness my hand and seal office.

My Commission expires: *


Notary Public in and for El Paso
County, State of Texas

HELEN ADAMS

Notary Public, in and for El Paso County, Texas
My commission expires June 1, 1957



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Scale 2" = 1 mile

Plat Accompanying Application For

153.57 Acre Non-Standard Gas Unit

Schwerdtfeger no 8-A

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Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find a corrected plat sheet for the captioned application on the Schwerdtfeger #8-A Well. The original plat sheet omitted Stanolind Oil and Gas Company as working interest owner for the E/2 of Section 25, Township 28 North, Range 9 West. This does not, however, alter status of said well.

Very truly yours,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

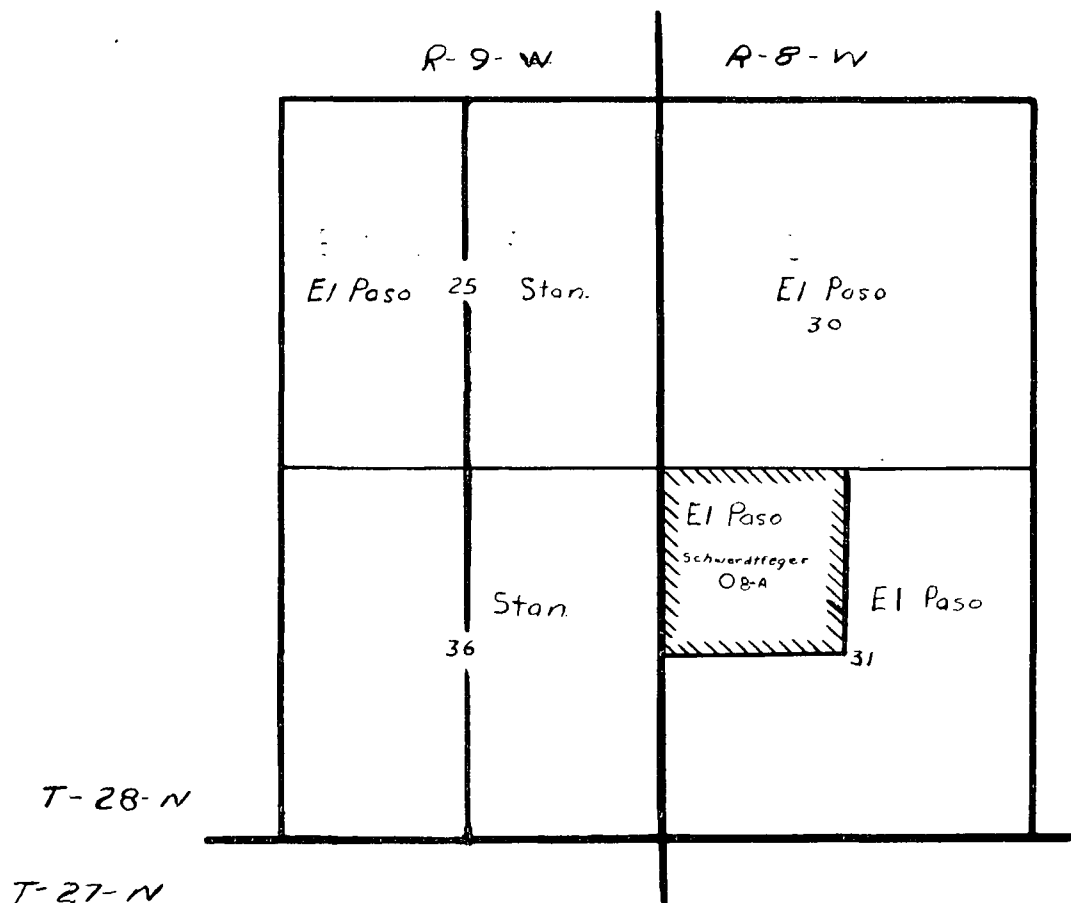
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Schwerdtfeger no. B-A