



EL PASO ENERGY RATON, L.L.C.
P.O. BOX 190 - RATON, N.M. 87740

August 13, 2001

NOTICE OF GAS CONNECTION

This is to notify the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division that connection for purchase of gas from El Paso Energy Raton's Vermejo Park Ranch Well No. E-23, meter station no. E-23, located in Unit letter G, Section 32, Township 32N, Range 19 East, Colfax County, New Mexico, 160 acre area, was made on 07/30/01 by El Paso Energy Raton L.L.C.
First delivery date: 07/30/01

Purchaser: **El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C.**

Representative: William M. Ordemann
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Title: Engineer