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State of New Mexico
 Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-103
 Revised March 25, 1999

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 1220 South St. Frances
 Santa Fe, NM 87505

WELL API NO. 30-007-20284
5. Indicate Type of Lease STATE <input type="checkbox"/> FEE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.
7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name: VPR B
8. Well No. 40
9. Pool name or Wildcat
10. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.) 8229' (GL)

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
 (DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

1. Type of Well:
 Oil Well Gas Well Other X Coalbed Methane

2. Name of Operator
EL PASO ENERGY RATON, L.L.C.

3. Address of Operator
P.O. Box 190, Raton, NM 87740

4. Well Location
 Unit Letter M : 498.0 feet from the South line and 1023.8 feet from the West line
 Section 17 Township 30N Range 18E NMPM COLFAX County

11. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:	
PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>	PLUG AND ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/>	REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>	ALTERING CASING <input type="checkbox"/>
TEMPORARILY ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/>	CHANGE PLANS <input type="checkbox"/>	COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PLUG AND ABANDONMENT <input type="checkbox"/>
PULL OR ALTER CASING <input type="checkbox"/>	MULTIPLE COMPLETION <input type="checkbox"/>	CASING TEST AND CEMENT JOB <input type="checkbox"/>	
OTHER: <input type="checkbox"/>		OTHER: <input type="checkbox"/>	

12. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work).
 SEE RULE 1103. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompilation.

02/04/02 Spud @ 11:30 a.m. Drill 11" surface hole to 330'. Run 10 jts. of 8 5/8", J-55, 23 ppf ST&C casing to 322'.

02/04/02 Halliburton mixed and pumped 85 sx Midcon II PP, 14 ppg, yield 1.66 at 3 bpm with 114 psi with 6% salt, 5#/sx gilsonite, and .3% versaset. Circulate 2 bbl of cement to surface. WOC 8 hrs. Test surface 8 5/8" csg to 500 psi for 30 minutes.

02/05/02 Drill 7 7/8" hole from 330' - 2455'. Reached TD 2455' at 1:15 p.m. MIRU Schlumberger & log well.

02/05/02 Ran 55 jts. of 5 1/2", M-50, 15.5 ppf LT&C casing to 2292'.

02/05/02 MIRU Halliburton. Mix and pump 20 bbls gel pre flush at 3 bpm with 5 psi, 5 gal LGC-8, 120# magmafiber, 100# baracarb with 5 bbls water spacer. Pumped 284 sx Midcon II PP, 13 ppg, yield 2.03 at 3 bpm with 17 psi, 6% salt, 2 lb/sx Granulite, 5 lb/sx Gilsonite, .2% Versaset and .1% Super CBL. Plug down @ 12:50 a.m. with 1848 psi. Circulated 13 bbls of cement to surface. Well shut in.

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

SIGNATURE William M. Ordemann TITLE Engineer DATE 02-19-02

Type or print name William M. Ordemann Telephone No. (505) 445-6724

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APPROVED BY [Signature] TITLE DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DATE 2/27/02

Conditions of approval, if any: