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New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, Santa Fe, New Mexico

Attention: Mr. A. L. Porter, Jr., Secretary Director

RE: R & G Drilling Company, Inc. #38 Marron NW/4, Sec. 23, 127N, P8W, N. M. P. M., San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

The above described well, of which our company is the owner and operator, was completed in the Pictured Cliffs formation and is presently producing gas from that formation. It is currently scheduled for an initial deliverability test since it was first delivered on September 24, 1957. However, this well is tied into and is producing into the Mesa Verde (500#) line of El Paso Natural Gas Company.

To our knowledge, no other Pictured Cliffs well in this area is required to produce against such excessive line pressure. Therefore, it is requested that an administrative order be promptly issued granting relief as follows:

- 1. That said well be exempt from prorationing and be allowed to produce uninterrupted into said Mess Verde (500%) line.
- 2. That said well be exempt from an initial deliverability test until such time as it may be tied into and producing into a Pictured Cliffs (250#) line.
- 3. That, when and in the event said well is tied into a Pictured Cliffs (250#) line, it be scheduled for an initial deliverability test.
- 4. That, any allowable, based upon said initial deliverability test, be rectroactive to the day of the first production into said Mesa Verde (500#) line.

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5. That the Commission order such other and further relief as they may deem proper.

Respectfully,

R & G DRILLING COMPANY, INC.,

William C. Russell, President

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Mr. H. H. Lesperance
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