El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas

April 15, 1955



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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) of Order No, R-565 for Non-Standard Proration Unit, Aztec Pictured Cliffs Gas 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 Lots 3, 4, SW/4 NW/4, SE/4 NW/4) of Section 5, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states the following facts:

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- 1. The <u>Duff #1 Well</u>, located 1450 feet from the North line and 890 feet from the West line of Section 5, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, was completed as a gas well on March 18, 1953, and connected to El Paso Natural Gas Company's gathering system on June 9, 1953.
- 2. That the proposed non-standard gas proration unit consists of 147.76 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 by copy of this letter of application all operators owning interests (a) in the section in which any part of the non-standard proration unit is situated and which acreage is not included in said non-standard gas proration unit, and (b) in acreage offsetting the non-standard gas proration unit, are notified by registered mail of this proposed non-standard proration unit.

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Therefore, El Paso Natural Gas Company requests that under the provision of Rule 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.

Respectively submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

R. L. Hamblir

Manager

Lease Department

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A copy of this application is being sent by registered mail, return receipt requested to the attached list of owners.

STATE OF TEXAS	
COUNTY OF EL PASO)
Lease Department for cation; that he has read said belief, all statementhis application was States post office as	being first duly sworn, hereby states that he is Manager of the El Paso Natural Gas Company, the Applicant in the foregoing application and application on behalf of El Paso Natural Gas Company displication and, to the best of his knowledge, information and ts of fact therein contained are true and correct; that a copy of duly deposited on the particle of this application.
	R. L. Hamblin
	SWORN to before me by the said R. L. HAMBLIN this day of , 1955, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.
	- velen Adams
	Notary Public in and for El Paso County State of Texas
My Commission expires	Helen Adams Motary Public, in and for El Paso County, Texas My comprission expires June 1, 1955
	

Copies of the foregoing Application for non-standard gas proration unit on the Duff #1 Well was forwarded by Registered Mail, return receipt requested, to the following listed parties:

Mr. J. A. DeLany Land and Survey Office P. O. Box 1251 Santa Fe, New Mexico

Miss Madge Jones and Three States Natural Gas Company Seventeenth Floor Corrigan Tower St. Paul & Pacific Streets Dallas, Texas R-12W
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EL PASO NATURAL GAS CO. SCALE: 2"=1 MILE

Plat Accompanying Application for 147.76-Acre Non-Standard Gas Unit

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