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State of New Mexico
 Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-103
 May 27, 2004

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

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WELL ARI NO. 30-007-20586
7. Indicate Type of Lease STATE <input type="checkbox"/> FEE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7. State Oil & Gas Lease No.
7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name VPR D
8. Well Number 179
9. OGRID Number
10. Pool name or Wildcat
11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.) 8,138' (GL)
Pit or Below-grade Tank Application <input type="checkbox"/> or Closure <input type="checkbox"/>
Pit type _____ Depth to Groundwater _____ Distance from nearest fresh water well _____ Distance from nearest surface water _____
Pit Liner Thickness: _____ mil Below-Grade Tank: Volume _____ bbls; Construction Material _____

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

1. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other **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 **H** : **2000** feet from the **North** line and **725** feet from the **East** line
 Section **23** Township **30N** Range **18E** NMPM **Colfax** County

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

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:

- PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK PLUG AND ABANDON
 TEMPORARILY ABANDON CHANGE PLANS
 PULL OR ALTER CASING MULTIPLE COMPL

OTHER:

SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:

- REMEDIAL WORK ALTERING CASING
 COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. P AND A
 CASING/CEMENT JOB

OTHER:

13. 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 recompletion.

- 03/14/05 Spud @ 11:30 a.m.. Drill 11" surface hole to 347'. Run 8 jts. of 8 5/8", 24#, J55 ST & C casing at 336'. Halliburton mixed and pumped 140 sx Midcon II, 14 ppg, yield 1.66. Circulate 6 bbls of cement to surface. WOC 8 hrs. Test surface 8 5/8" csg to 500 psi for 30 minutes.
- 03/15/05 Drill 7 7/8" hole from 347' - 2,675'. Reached TD 2,675' at 3:30 p.m. MIRU Patterson and log well. Logger's TD at 2,566'. Ran 59 jts of 5 1/2", 15.5, J55 LT & C casing to 2,447'. MIRU Halliburton. Pumped 363 sks Midcon II cement blend at 13 ppg, 2.04 yield. Bumped plug with 1278 psi. Circulated 19 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. I further certify that any pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines , a general permit or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan .

SIGNATURE Shirley Mitchell TITLE Regulatory Analyst DATE 03/23/05
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APPROVED BY: [Signature] TITLE DISTRICT SUPERVISOR DATE 3/28/05
 Conditions of Approval (if any)