

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources
Oil Conservation Division
1220 S. St Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-104B
Permit 21474

Change of Operator Name

OGRID: 180514
Effective Date: 12/31/2005

Previous Operator Name and Information

Name: EL PASO ENERGY RATON LLC
Address: 9 GREENWAY PLAZA
Address:
City, State, Zip: HOUSTON, TX 77046

New Operator Name and Information

Name: El Paso E & P Company, L.P.
Address: 1001 Louisiana Street
Address:
City, State, Zip: Houston, Texas 77002

I hereby certify that the rules of the Oil Conservation Division have been complied with and that the information given on this form and the certified list of wells is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature: William M Griffin

Printed Name: William M. Griffin *cm*

Title: Sr. Vice President

Date: 1/17/06 Phone: 713-420-2131

NMOCD Approval
Date: January 20, 2006