

El Paso NATURAL GAS
COMPANY

P. O. BOX 990
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87401
PHONE: 505-325-2841

May 25, 1979

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Mr. Joe Ramey
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
Post Office Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

(30-045-23557)

Dear Mr. Ramey:

This is a request for administrative approval for an unorthodox gas well location in the South Blanco Pictured Cliffs pool.

It is intended to locate the El Paso Natural Gas Company's Schultz #2R at 2150' from the North line and 930' from the West line of Section 16, T-27-N, R-8-W, San Juan County, New Mexico.

Extremely rough terrain consisting of a high bluff makes it impossible to build a location site any farther north.

All operators of proration units offsetting the proposed unorthodox location have been notified of this application by certified mail.

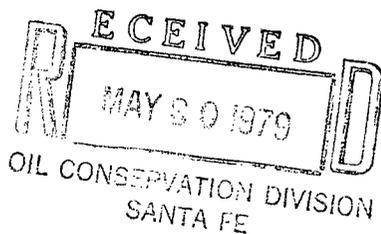
Plats showing the proposed well location and the terrain of Section 16 along with an ownership plat are attached.

Yours truly,

L. A. Aimes

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Project Drilling Engineer

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5A. Indicate Type of Lease
STATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/>
5. State Oil & Gas Lease No.
E-6634

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. Type of Work	DRILL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEEPEN <input type="checkbox"/>	PLUG BACK <input type="checkbox"/>	7. Unit Agreement Name		
b. Type of Well	OIL WELL <input type="checkbox"/>	CAS WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OTHER	SINGLE ZONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MULTIPLE ZONE <input type="checkbox"/>	8. Farm or Lease Name
2. Name of Operator	El Paso Natural Gas Company					9. Well No.
3. Address of Operator	PO Box 289, Farmington, NM 87401					10. Field and Pool, or Wildcat
4. Location of Well	UNIT LETTER E	LOCATED 2150	FEET FROM THE North	LINE	So. Blanco Pic. Cliffs	
AND 930	FEET FROM THE West	LINE OF SEC. 16	TWP. 27N	RGE. 8W	NMPM	
					12. County	
					San Juan	
		19. Proposed Depth	19A. Formation	20. Rotary or C.T.		
		2380'	Pictured Cliffs	Rotary		
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, RT, etc.)	21A. Kind & Status Plug. Bond	21B. Drilling Contractor		22. Approx. Date Work will start		
6077' GL	statewide					

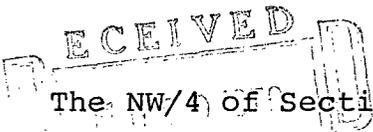
23. PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENT PROGRAM

SIZE OF HOLE	SIZE OF CASING	WEIGHT PER FOOT	SETTING DEPTH	SACKS OF CEMENT	EST. TOP
12 1/4"	8 5/8"	24.0#	120'	90 sks.	circ. to surface
6 3/4"	2 7/8"	6.4#	2380'	228 sks.	cover Ojo Alamo

Selectively perforate and sandwater fracture the Pictured Cliffs formation.

A 3000 psi WP and 6000 psi test double gate preventer equipped with blind and pipe rams will be used for blow out prevention on this well.

This gas is dedicated.



The NW/4 of Section 16 is dedicated to this well.

IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: IF PROPOSAL IS TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK, GIVE DATA ON PRESENT PRODUCTIVE ZONE AND PROPOSED NEW PRODUCTIVE ZONE. GIVE BLOWOUT PREVENTER PROGRAM, IF ANY.

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

Signed N. P. Busco Title Drilling Clerk Date May 25, 1979

(This space for State Use)

APPROVED BY _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

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SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

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All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

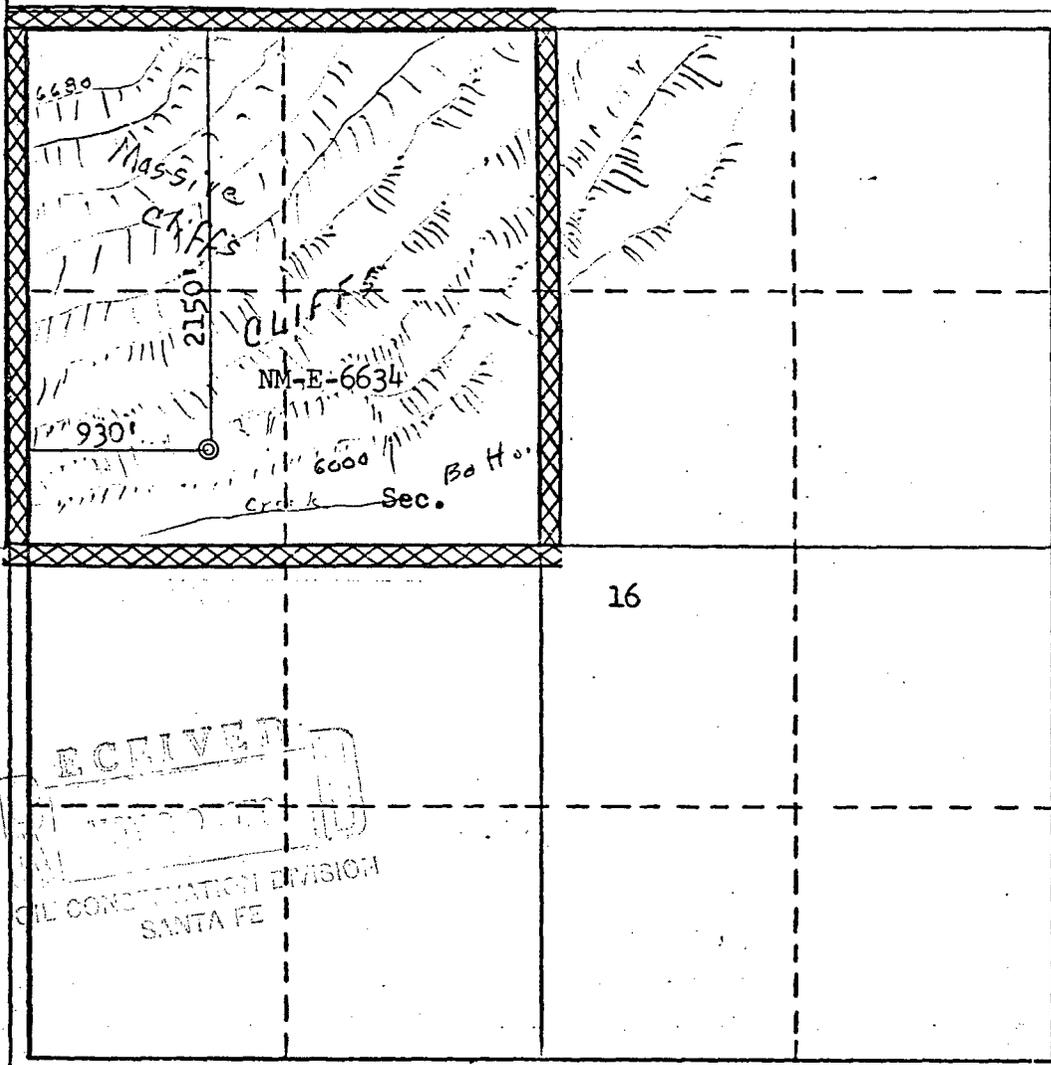
Operator EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY			Lease SCHULTZ (NM-E-6634)		Well No. 2R
Unit Letter E	Section 16	Township 27N	Range 8W	County San Juan	
Actual Footage Location of Well: 2150 feet from the North line and 930 feet from the West line					
Ground Level Elev. 6077	Producing Formation PICTURED CLIFFS		Pool SOUTH BLANCO PICTURED CLIFFS	Dedicated Acreage: 160.00 Acres	

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hachure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to working interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

Yes No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation _____

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) _____

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission. NOTE: THIS PLAT IS REISSUED TO SHOW TERRAIN FORCING UNORTHODOX LOCATION. 5-21-79



CERTIFICATION

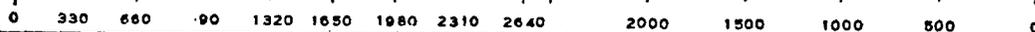
I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. J. Disco

Name
Drilling Clerk
Position
El Paso Natural Gas
Company
May 25, 1979
Date

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed
May 22, 1979
Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor
Fred B. Kerr
Fred B. Kerr
Certificate No. B. KERR, P.E.
3950

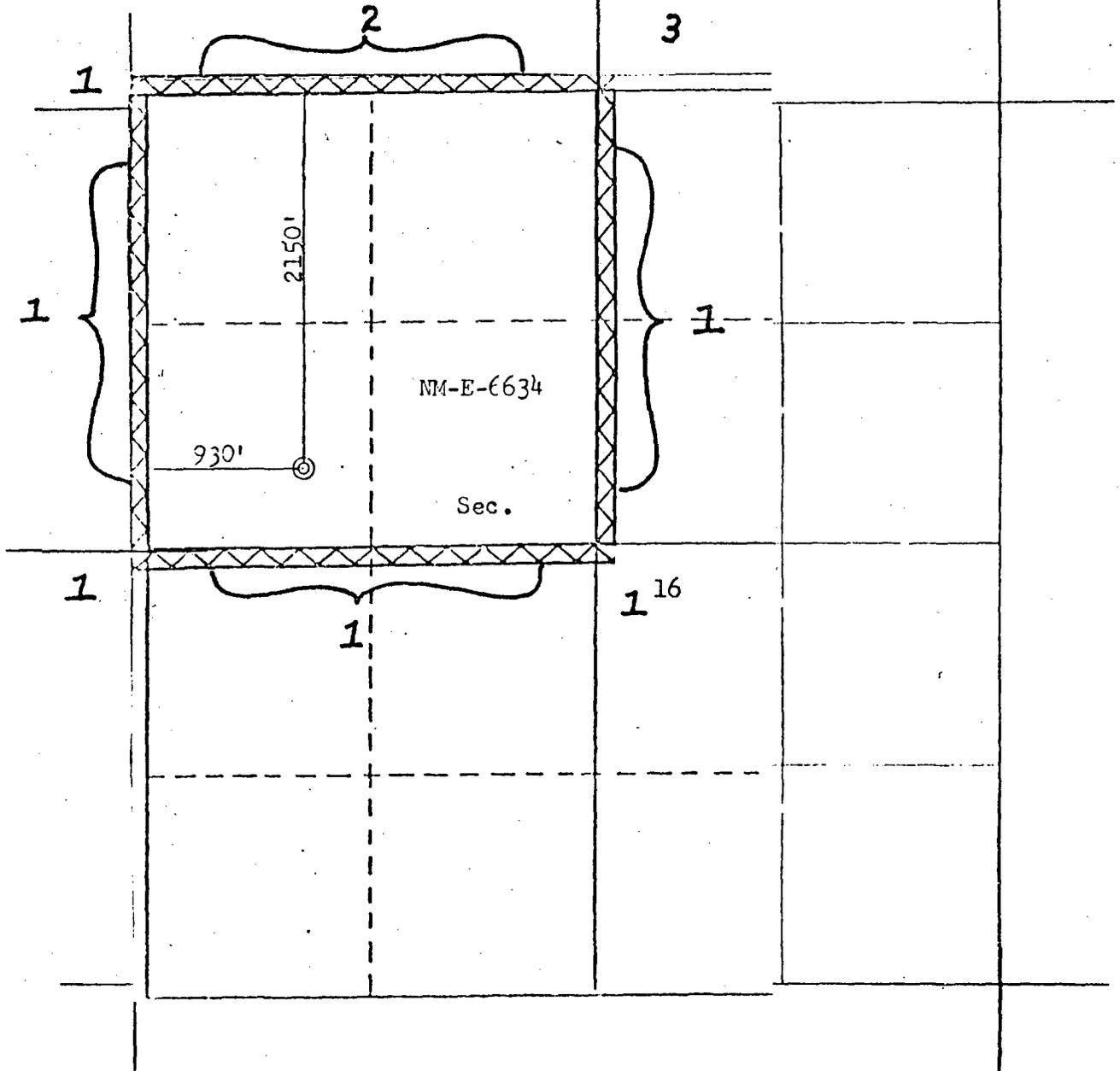


EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Well Name - Schultz #2R

Footage---- 2150' FNL, 930' FWL

County San Juan State New Mexico Section 16 Township 27N Range 8W



REMARKS:

- 1. El Paso Natural Gas Company
 - 2. Mesa Petroleum Company
 - 3. Atlantic Richfield Company
- OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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Mesa Petroleum
Atlantic Richfield Company

Re: Unorthodox Gas Well Location

Gentlemen:

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In compliance with New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission rules, we are notifying you, as operators of an offsetting proration unit, of our application for administrative approval for the aforementioned unorthodox gas well location. Enclosed are three copies of this letter. If there is no objection to this site, please sign and return one copy to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission, Post Office Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501; one copy to El Paso Natural Gas Company; and keep one copy for your files.

A plat showing the proposed well location and offsetting Pictured Cliffs ownership is attached.

Yours truly,

L. A. Aimes

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Project Drilling Engineer

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Approved:

[Signature], Division Manager
Mesa Petroleum Co
Denver, Colorado

Date:

6-8-79

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
AZTEC DISTRICT

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
BOX 2088
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

DATE 5/28/79

RE: Proposed MC _____
Proposed DHC _____
Proposed NSL XXX _____
Proposed SWD _____
Proposed WFX _____
Proposed PMX _____

Dick Stamets

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 5/25/79
for the El Paso Natural Gas Co. Schultz #2 R E-16-27N-8W
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve

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Yours very truly,

Al Kendrick
