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El Paso Natural Gas Company

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Oil Conservation Commission
Of the State of New Mexico
Capitol Annex Building
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Re: Application for Exception to Rule 5(A)
of Order R-1670-C for a Non-Standard
Proration Unit, Basin-Dakota Gas Pool
San Juan County, New Mexico

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 5(B) of Order R-1670-C, El Paso Natural Gas Company, as Operator, hereby submits its application for administrative approval of the following Non-Standard Proration Units in the Dakota Formation of the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool. The well names, descriptions of the drilling blocks, and the size of the proration units covered by this application are as follows:

<u>Well Name and Drilling Block</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>No. of Acres</u>	<u>Kind of Well</u>
Lackey "B" No. 14 T-28-N, R-9-W Sec. 30: Lots 1,2, E/2 NW/4, NE/4 (N/2)	NE/4 Sec. 30 T-28-N, R-9-W	302.62	Gas
Michener "A" No. 6 T-28-N, R-9-W Sec. 31: Lots 1,2, E/2 NW/4, NE/4 (N/2)	NE/4 Sec. 31 T-28-N, R-9-W	303.22	Gas
Ludwick No. 18 T-29-N, R-10-W Sec. 6: Lots 1,2,3,4,5, SE/4 NW/4, S/2 NE/4 (N/2)	NE/4 Sec. 6 T-29-N, R-10-W	313.00	Gas

and in support thereof states the following fact:

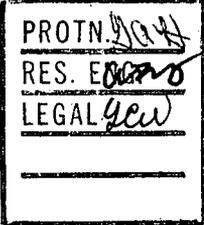
That each of the above proposed non-standard gas proration units consists of the number of acres shown and is an unorthodox size or shape due to a variation in the legal subdivision of the United States Public Land Survey. (Plats attached)

Therefore, El Paso Natural Gas Company requests that under the provisions of Rule 5(B) of Order R-1670-C, the Secretary of the Commission grant exception to Rule 5(A) without Notice of Hearing and approve the subject non-standard proration units.

Respectfully submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY

By *Sam Smith*
Sam Smith, Manager
Land Department



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Attachment

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the said SAM SMITH this 18th day of ~~March~~ April, 1961, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

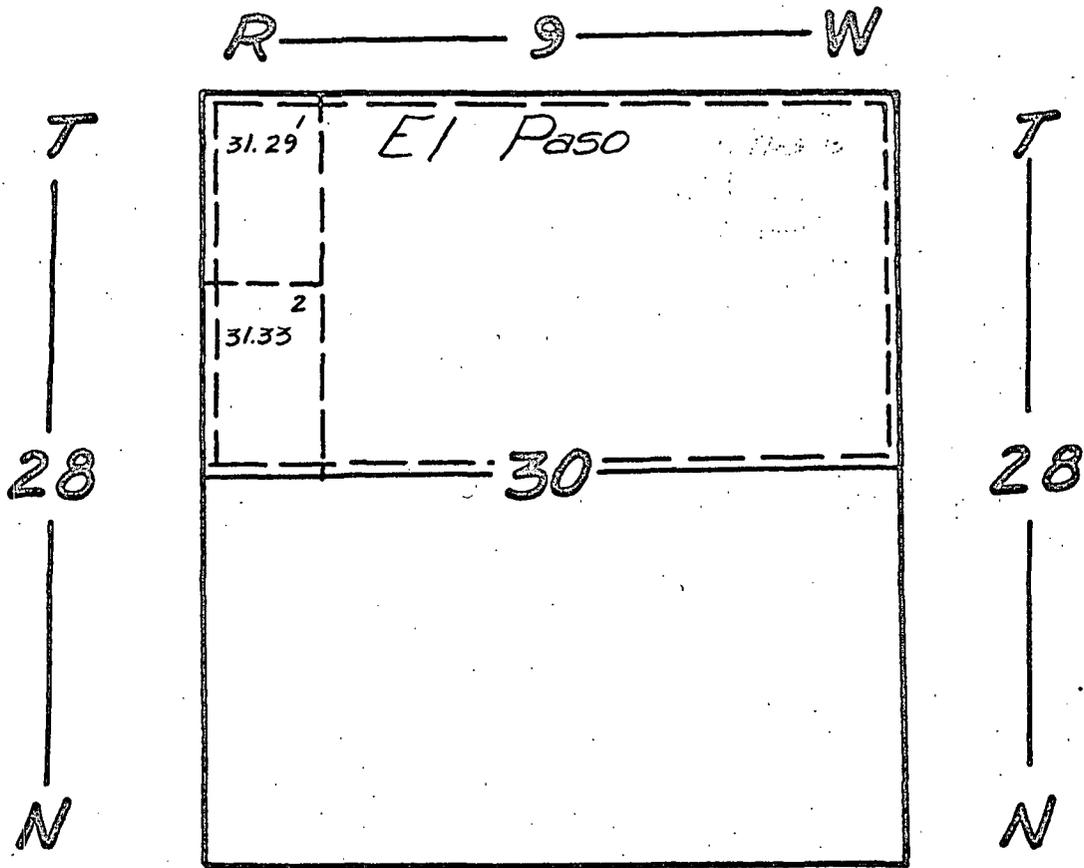
Natalie Taylor
Notary Public

My Commission expires:

NATALIE TAYLOR

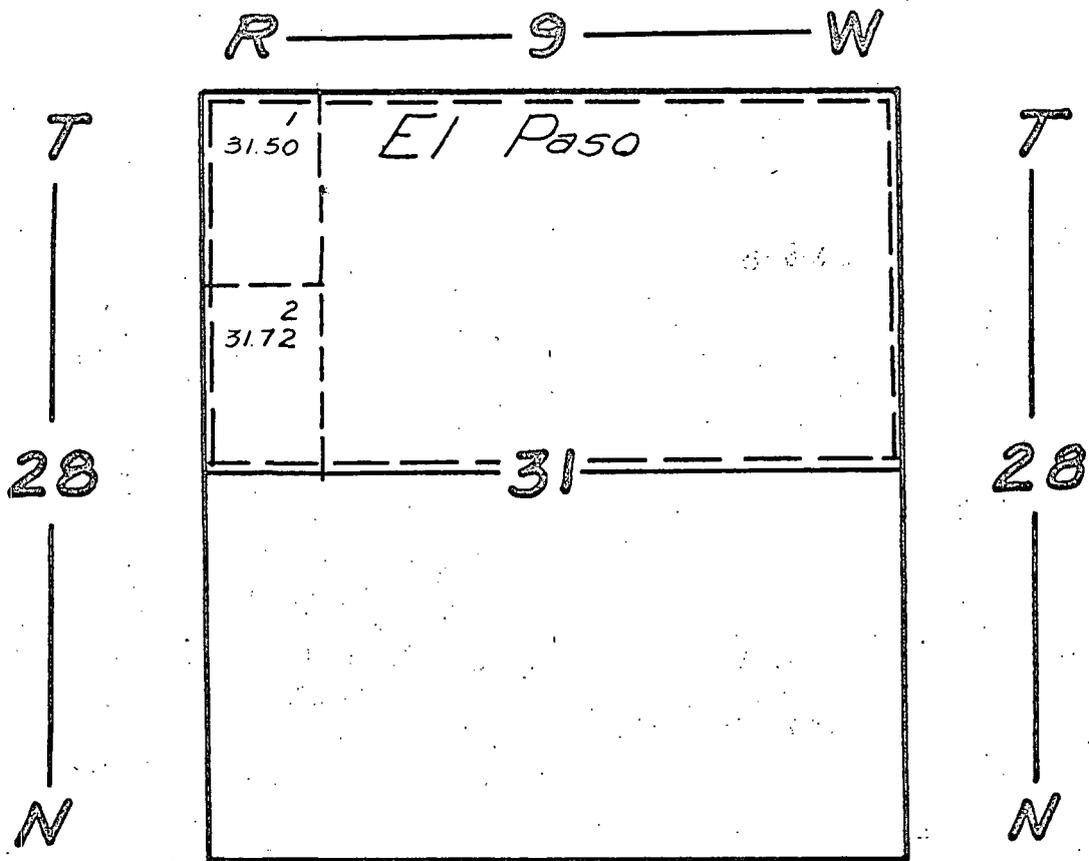
Notary Public in and for El Paso County, Texas
My Commission Expires June 1, 1961

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- NM 1010
- NM 1116



EL PASO NATURAL GAS CO.

*Plat Accompanying Application for
 302.62 Acre Non-Standard Gas Unit
 Lackey B #14*



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*Plat Accompanying Application for
 303.22 Acre Non-Standard Gas Unit
 Michener "A" #6*

