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June 8, 1993

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT NO. P-111-334-209

Ms. Lori Saylor El Paso Natural Gas Company One Petroleum Center/ Bldg. 2 3300 North A Street Midland, Texas 79705

Re:

Hydrostatic Test Water Discharge 30" Loop Line

Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Saylor:

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received your request, dated May 21, 1993, for authorization to discharge approximately 591,360 gallons of waste water from the hydrostatic test of a section of new pipeline (30" Loop Line) near Eunice, New Mexico.

Based on the information provided in your request, the hydrostatic test water discharge is hereby approved subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The test water will be discharged into the partially backfilled excavation ditch to allow for safe settling of the pipe and soil.
- 2. The pipe must be new and never previously used for oil and/or gas transmission.
- 3. Fresh water will be used to conduct the test.

Pursuant to WQCC Regulation 3-106.B, this approval will allow you to discharge without an approved discharge plan for a period not to exceed 120 days. If the site is to be used for more than one test discharge, formal reapplication must be made. If the discharge exceeds 120 days, a formal discharge plan must be submitted for review.

Ms. Lori Saylor June 8, 1993 Pg. 2

Please be advised that this approval does not relieve you of liability should your operation result in actual pollution of surface water, ground water, or the environment actionable under other laws and/or regulations. In addition, the OCD approval does not relieve you of liability for compliance with other laws and/or regulation.

If there are any questions, please call Chris Eustice at (505) 827-5824.

Sincerely,

William J. Le May
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Director

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Ms. Lori Saylor El Paso Natural Gas Company One Petroleum Center/ Bldg. 2 3300 North A Street Midland, Texas 79705

Re:

Hydrostatic Test Water Discharge

24" Discharge Line

Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Saylor:

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received your request, dated May 21, 1993, for authorization to discharge approximately 61,103 gallons of waste water from the hydrostatic test of a section of new pipeline (24" Discharge Line) located in Section 5, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

Based on the information provided in your request, the hydrostatic test water discharge is hereby approved subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The test water will be discharged into the partially backfilled excavation ditch to allow for safe settling of the pipe and soil.
- 2. The pipe must be new and never previously used for oil and/or gas transmission.
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December 2, 1992

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT NO. P-667-241-882

Mr. Joe Narvaez, P.E. El Paso Natural Gas Company P.O. Box 1492 El Paso, Texas 79978

Re:

Hydrostatic Test Water Discharge

Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Narvaez:

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received your request, dated November 23, 1992, for authorization to discharge approximately 300,000 gallons of waste water from the hydrostatic test of a section of new pipeline (No. 30131) near Eunice, New Mexico.

Based on the information provided in your request, the hydrostatic test water discharge is hereby approved subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The test water will be discharged into the partially backfilled excavation ditch to allow for safe settling of the pipe.
- 2. The pipe must be new and never previously used for oil and/or gas transmission.

Pursuant to WQCC Regulation 3-106.B, this approval will allow you to discharge without an approved discharge plan for a period not to exceed 120 days. If the site is to be used for more than one test discharge, formal reapplication must be made. If the discharge exceeds 120 days, a formal discharge plan must be submitted for review.

Mr. Joe Narvaez December 2, 1992 Pg. 2

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