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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
State of Colorado
1313 Sherman Street, Room 618
Denver, CO 80203

Gentlemen:

Colorado Interstate Gas recently received approval from your office to reenter the Flank #24 (API Number 05-009-5074) and convert it to an observation well. After the fishing problems associated with this were more fully evaluated by our drilling personnel it was decided that reentering the well was not economically feasible. Therefore, we would like to withdraw our original application to reenter this well and file the attached Form 4 to squeeze off the present Topeka completion. CIG plans to maintain the Flank #24 in this plugged back condition in case it ever becomes necessary to reenter the well.

As a substitute for the Flank #24, CIG plans to step out approximately 100 feet to the southeast of the #24 and drill the Flank #64 observation well. Attached is a Form 2 application to drill this well.

Your cooperation in this matter will be appreciated.

G. W. Gettman
Manager, Geology Dept.

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Enclosures