RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

OIL AND GAS DOCKET
IN THE BETHANY (COTTON VALLEY)
NO. 06-0230569
FIELD, PANOLA COUNTY, TEXAS

FINAL ORDER
APPROVING PERMANENT CLASSIFICATION OF
EL PASO PRODUCTION COMPANY VERA BLACK WELL NO. 8
AS A GAS WELL IN THE
BETHANY (COTTON VALLEY) FIELD
PANOLA COUNTY, TEXAS

The Commission finds that after statutory notice in the above-numbered docket heard on
August 20, 2002, the presiding examiner has made and filed a report and recommendation containing
findings of fact and conclusions of law, for which service was not required; that the proposed
application is in compliance with all statutory requirements; and that this proceeding was duly submitted
to the Railroad Commission of Texas at conference held in its offices in Austin, Texas.

The Commission, after review and due consideration of the examiner’s report and
recommendation, the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, hereby adopts as its own
the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, and incorporates said findings of fact and
conclusions of law as if fully set out and separately stated herein.

Therefore, it is ORDERED by the Railroad Commission of Texas that all overproduction for
the El Paso Production Company Vera Black Well No. 8 in the Bethany (Cotton Valley) Field, Panola
County, Texas, be and is hereby canceled, and that this well be and are permanently classified as a gas
well.

Done this twentieth day of September, 2002.

Railroad Commission of Texas

Chairman Michael L. Williams

Commissioner Charles R. Matthews

Commissioner Tony Garza

Attest:

Secretary