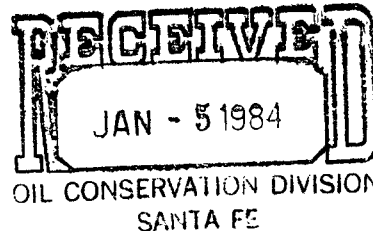


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December 30, 1983



Mr. Joe D. Ramey, Director
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
P.O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Request for Exception to Standard Location
Carson Unit Well No. 24-15
SW/4 of Section 15, T25N, R12W
San Juan County, New Mexico
Bisti Lower Gallup Pool

1090' FSL & 1550' FWL

Case 8090
2/17/84
(Dismissed)
DAP

Dear Mr. Ramey:

Hixon Development Company requests administrative approval of an exception to a standard Bisti Lower Gallup location for the subject Lower Gallup infill oil well on the basis of topographic condition. Per the attached maps we desire to drill the Carson Unit Well No. 24-15 at 1090' FSL, 1550' FWL, Section 15, T25N, R12W in order to avoid excessive earth moving. A standard location of 990' FSL, 1650' FWL would put the subject well within an area of particularly rugged topography in the badlands at the head of the west fork of Gallegos Canyon.

Attached is a topographic map with the standard location window outlined and the proposed location plotted to support our request. Also attached is a map of the Carson and Central Bisti Units which are operated by Hixon Development Company. Offset Section 22 which falls outside the Unit boundary is also operated by Hixon Development Company.

We would appreciate your considering this request at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

Hixon Development Company

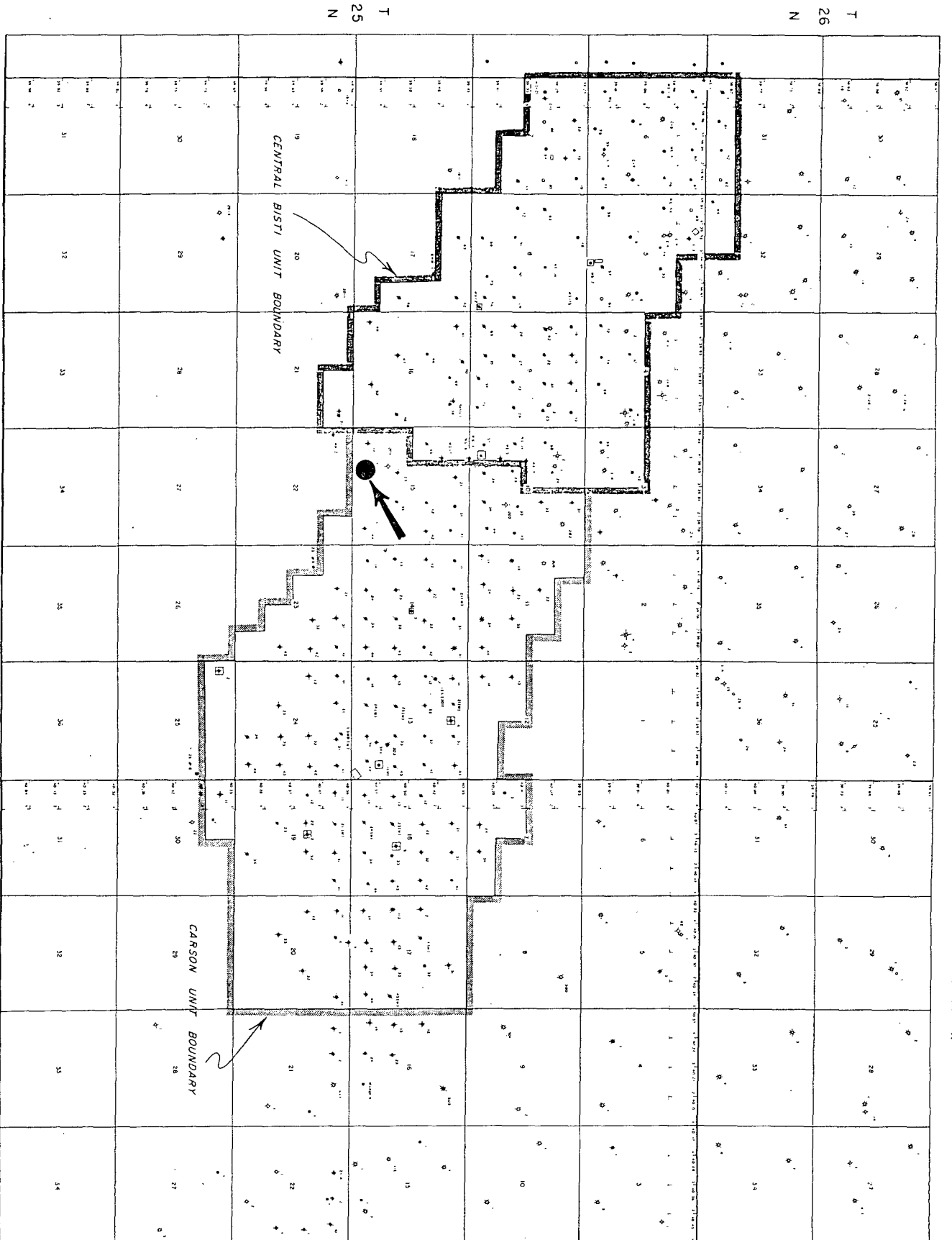
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Executive Vice President

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Attachments

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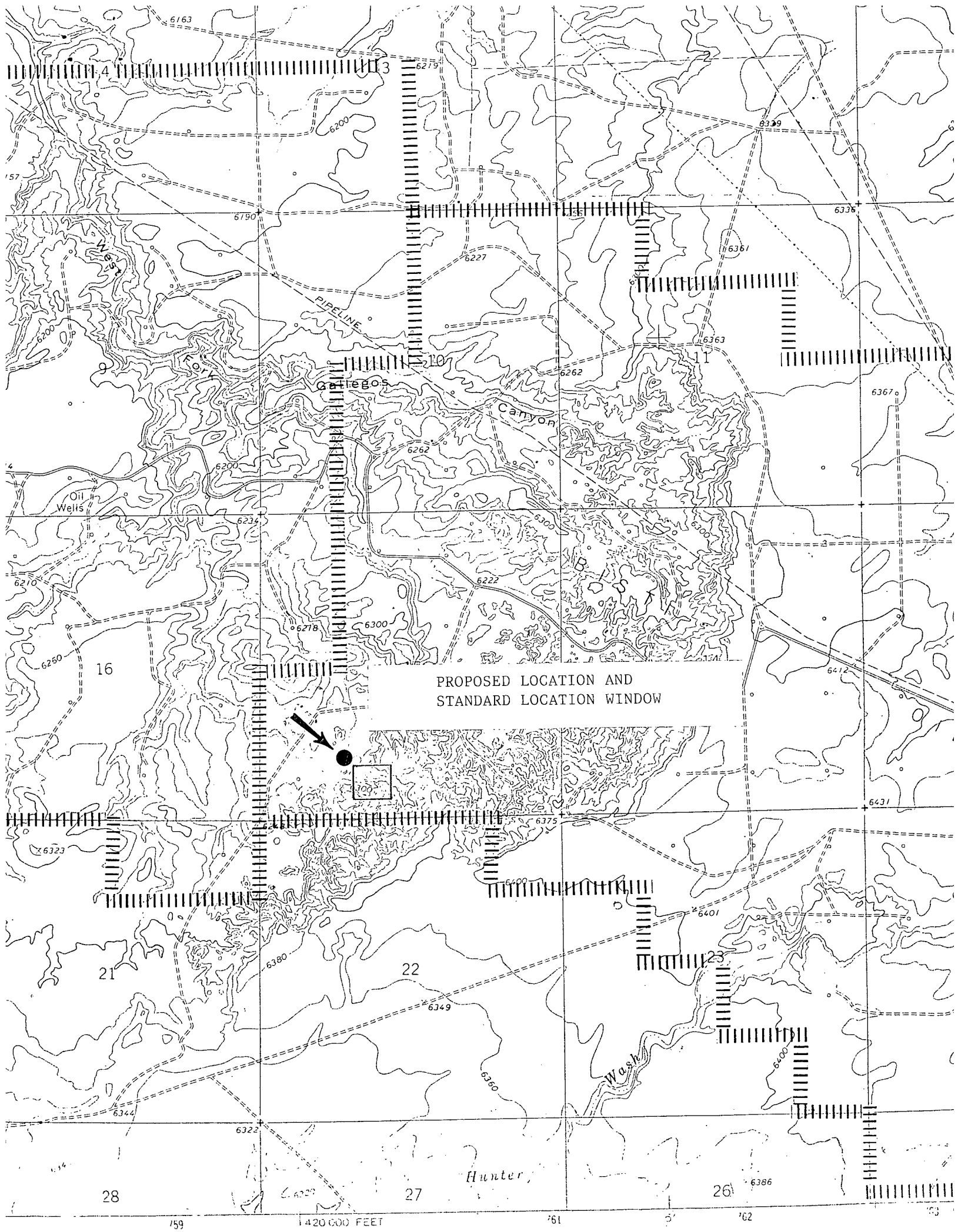
CENTRAL BISTI UNIT BOUNDARY

CARSON UNIT BOUNDARY

HIXON DEVELOPMENT COMPANY
CENTRAL BISTI - CARSON UNIT AREA
San Juan County, New Mexico



DATE: January, 1963





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DATE 2-7-84

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

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 1-26-84
for the Hixon Development Co. - Carson Unit # 24-15 N-15-25N-12W
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve

Yours truly,

Eric Bruch