



THE STATE OF NEVADA
PERMIT TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION,
MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE
PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

Name of applicant: BARRICK GOLDSTRIKE MINES, INC.
Source: ROCK CREEK & TRIBUTARIES
Basin: ROCK CREEK VALLEY
Manner of Use: WILDLIFE
Period of Use: As Decreed
Priority Date: 01/01/1886

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit to change the point of diversion, place and manner of use of a portion of the waters of The Humboldt River as heretofore appropriated under Proof DHR-00156 as appears in the Humboldt River Decree No. 2804 entered October 20, 1931 and October 7, 1935, in the District Court of the Sixth Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Humboldt, is issued subject to the terms, conditions and irrigation period imposed in said decree and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

This permit changes Humboldt Decree water from Irrigation to in stream flow for Wildlife. The permittee agrees and stipulates that no surface water will be applied to the 186.02 acres of land described as the existing place of use, either under Humboldt River Proof 00156 or Permit 10208, Certificate 2673. The diversion rate under Humboldt River Proof 00156 and Permit 10208, Certificate 2673 is reduced by 1.512 cubic feet per second.

The point of diversion and place of use are as described on the submitted application to support this permit.

The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 1.512 cubic feet per second or 558.06 acre-feet as decreed.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before: December 31, 2008
Water must be placed to beneficial use and proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before: December 31, 2009
Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before: N/A

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, TRACY TAYLOR, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 31st day of December, A.D. 2007

Handwritten signature of Tracy Taylor, P.E., for State Engineer

Completion of work filed
Proof of beneficial use filed
Cultural map filed
Certificate No. Issued

AMENDED  
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Date of filing in State Engineer's Office JUL 29 2004

Returned to applicant for correction AUG 06 2004

Corrected application filed OCT 06 2004

Map filed OCT 05 2004

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The applicant **Barrick Goldstrike Mines Inc.** hereby makes application for permission to change the **Point of Diversion, Place of Use, and Manner of Use of a Portion** of water heretofore appropriated under **Humboldt River Bartlett Decree – Proof 00156**

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1. The source of water is **Rock Creek and Tributaries**
2. The amount of water to be changed **1.512 cfs**
3. The water to be used for **Wildlife**
4. The water heretofore permitted for **Irrigation – as decreed**
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point **SE¼ SE¼ of Section 25, T.37N., R.46E., M.D.B.&M., at a point from which the Northwest corner of Section 1, T.36N., R.46E., M.D.B.&M. bears S 40°53'50"W, 7239.32 feet.**
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within **As Decreed**
7. Proposed place of use **in the natural channel of Rock Creek between a point in the SE¼ SE¼ of Section 25, T.37N., R.46E., M.D.B.&M. at a point from which the Northwest corner of Section 1, T.36N., R.46E., M.D.B. & M. bears S 40° 53' 50" W, 7239.32 feet and a point in the NW¼ NE¼ of Section 17, T.34N., R.48N., M.D.B. & M., at a point from which the Southwest corner of Section 19, T.34N., R.48E., M.D.B.&M. bears S 40°36'37"W, 12,297.08 feet.**
8. Existing place of use **32.87 ac. SW¼ SE¼, 7.62 ac. NW¼ SE¼, 0.29 ac. SE¼ NE¼, 27.27 ac. NE¼ SE¼, 16.62 ac. SE¼ SE¼, Section 8; 20.88 ac. SW¼ NW¼, 37.40 ac. SE¼ NW¼, 36.72 ac. NW¼ SW¼, 1.40 ac. SW¼ SW¼, 4.95 ac. NE¼ SW¼, Section 9; all in T.38N., R.47E., M.D.B.&M. (186.02 ac. total to be removed from Irrigation. All acreage removed is harvest acreage.)**
9. Use will be from **As Decreed** to of each year.
10. Use was permitted from **As Decreed** to of each year.
11. Description of proposed works **Natural Channel**
12. Estimated cost of works **±\$10,000**
13. Estimated time required to construct works **1 year**
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use **2 years**

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15. Remarks: Water will not be diverted but will be allowed to remain in the stream between the points described under Item 7. 1.512 cfs will be retained in the stream for the allowed period of use totaling 558.06 acre feet per year.

By Robert E. Morley, High Desert Engineering  
s/ Robert E. Morley  
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