



THE STATE OF NEVADA

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Name of applicant: BARRICK GOLD US INC
Source: UNDERGROUND
Basin: NEWARK VALLEY
Manner of Use: IRRIGATION
Period of Use: January 1st to December 31st
Priority Date: 08/10/2010

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 is issued subject to existing rights. It is understood that the diversion herein granted is only a temporary allowance and that the final water right obtained under this permit will be dependent upon the amount of water actually placed to beneficial use. It is also understood that this right must allow for a reasonable lowering of the static water level. This well shall be equipped with a two (2) inch opening for measuring depth to water. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. A totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of water begins or before the Proof of Completion of Work is filed.

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

The total combined duty of water under Permits 80089 and 80090, having the same point of diversion and place of use, shall not exceed 2.23 cubic feet per second and 480.0 acre-feet annually.

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

Permit 80090 is issued for diversion only for the irrigation of a 120 acre pivot within the described place of use at 4.0 acre-feet per acre.

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

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The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, **and not to exceed 1.56 cubic feet per second or 480 acre-feet annually and not to exceed 4.0 acre-feet per acre from any and all sources.**

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before:

December 29 2011

Water must be placed to beneficial use and proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

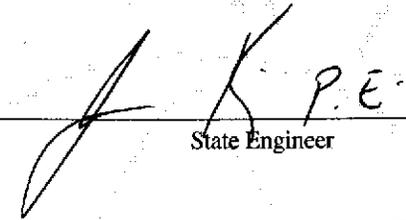
December 29 2012

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

December 29 2012

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, JASON KING, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 29th day of **December**, A.D. **2010**



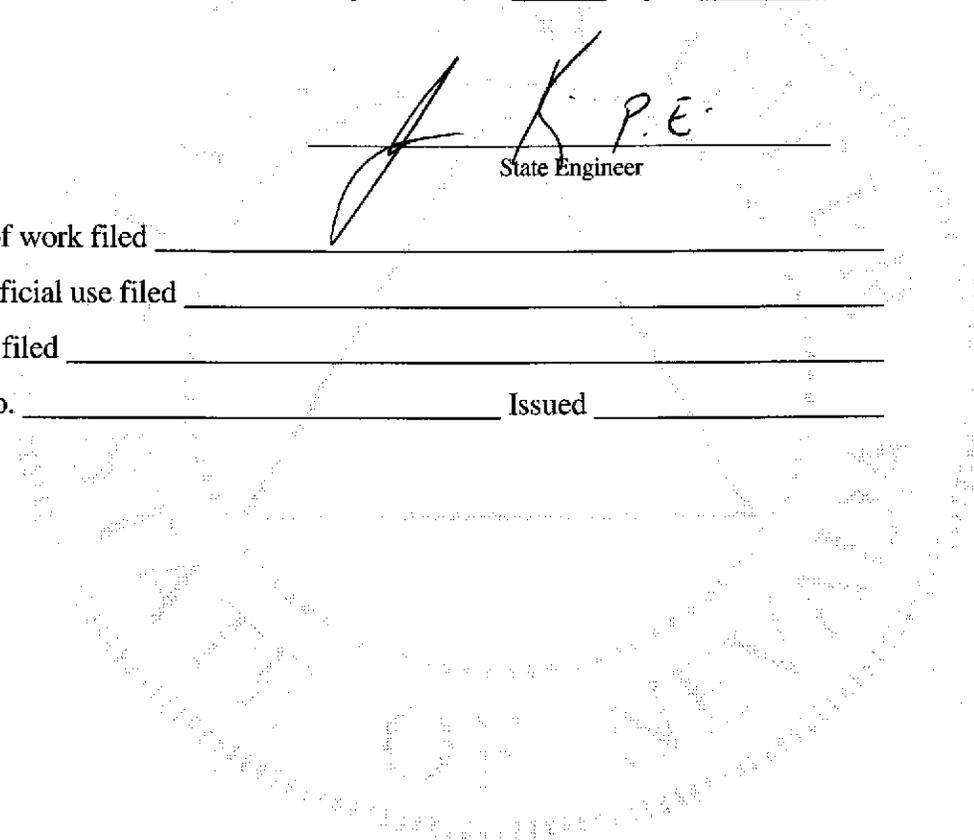
State Engineer

Completion of work filed _____

Proof of beneficial use filed _____

Cultural map filed _____

Certificate No. _____ Issued _____



APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Date of Filing in State Engineer's Office	<u>AUG 10 2010</u>
Returned to applicant for correction	_____
Corrected Application filed	Map filed <u>AUG 10 2010</u> under <u>80088</u>

The applicant Barrick Gold U.S. Inc.
293 Spruce Road of Elko
Street Address or P.O. Box City or Town
Nevada 89801 hereby make(s) application for permission to appropriate the
State and ZIP Code

public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated. (If applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a copartnership or association, give names of members.)
Articles of Incorporation recorded in California on September 5, 2006

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- The source of water is Underground
Name of the stream, lake, underground, spring or other sources.
 - The amount of water applied for is 1.56 c.f.s. - Diversion Rate Only
One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.
 (a) If stored in a reservoir give the number of acre-feet _____
 - The water is to be used for Irrigation
Irrigation, power, mining, commercial, domestic or other use. Must be limited to one major use.
 - If use is for:
 - Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated 120 acres
 - Stockwater, state number and kind of animals \
 - Other use (describe fully in No. 12) _____
 - Power:
 - Horsepower developed _____
 - Point of return of water to stream _____

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5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point: (Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to a found section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.)

NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 24, T.23N., R.55E., M.D.M., or at a point from which the E 1/4 corner of said Section 24 bears
North 59° 10' 17" West a distance of 4612.3 feet.

~~South~~ EAST

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6. Place of use: (Describe by legal subdivision. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated)

Portions SE 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4 Section 13; NE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4 Section 24, T.23N., R.55E., M.D.M. (120 ac.)

7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31 of each year.
Month and Day Month and Day

8. Description of proposed works. (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) (State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e. diversion structure, ditches and flumes, drilled well with a pump and motor, etc.)

Well, pump, motor, and pivot irrigation system.

9. Estimated cost of works: In excess of \$50,000

10. Estimated time required to construct works: Works constructed

(If the well is complete, describe works.)

11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use: 2 years

12. Provide a detailed description of the proposed project and its water usage (use attachments if necessary): (Failure to provide a detailed description may cause a delay in processing.)

This application is being filed in conjunction with a separate application for 0.67 cfs to change the POD and POU of portion of Permit 62947 for a 120-acre pivot irrigation system within the Item 6 POU. The additional diversion rate requested is to provide a total diversion rate of approximately 1000 gpm required to operate the pivot irrigation system effectively. No annual acre-footage is applied for beyond the 480 a.f. sought under the Permanent Permit Application.

13. Miscellaneous remarks:

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E-mail Address

Bruce R. Scott

[Signature]
Type or print name clearly

Signature, applicant or agent

Resource Concepts, Inc.

Company Name

340 N. Minnesota Street

Street Address or PO Box

Carson City, Nevada 89703

City, State, ZIP Code

APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED
BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT

STATE ENGINEERS DEPT.
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\$300 FILING FEE AND SUPPORTING MAP MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION