

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

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The applicant Gary G. and Melody I. Garaventa
c/o Chelsea Carson, P.O. Box 676 of Eureka
Street Address or PO Box City or Town
Nevada 89316 hereby make(s) application for permission to change the
State and ZIP Code

- Point of diversion Place of use Manner of use of a portion

of water heretofore appropriated under (Identify existing rights by Permit, Certificate, Proof or Claim Nos. If Decreed, give title of Decree and identify right in Decree.)

Permit 18908, Certificate 6468

1. The source of water is Underground - Well PW-17
Name of stream, lake, underground, spring or other sources.
2. The amount of water to be changed 0.9147 c.f.s. (not to exceed 222.50 acre-feet annually)
Second feet, acre-feet. One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.
3. The water to be used for Mining, Milling, Dewatering, and Domestic
Irrigation, power, mining, commercial, etc. If for stock, state number and kind of animals. Must limit to one major use
4. The water heretofore used for Irrigation and Domestic
If for stock, state number and kind of animals.
5. The water is to be diverted 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 stated.)
within the SW¼NW¼ Section 11, T. 19N., R. 53E., M.D.M., or at a point from which the NW Corner of Section 10, T. 19N., R. 53E., M.D.M. bears N. 76° 52' W., a distance of 6,014 feet. (Well PW-17)
Please refer to accompanying map.
6. The existing point of diversion is located within (If point of diversion is not changed, do not answer.)
within the NW¼NE¼ Section 30, T. 20N., R. 53E., M.D.M., or at a point from which the North Quarter Corner of said Section 30 bears N. 0° 25' 42" W., a distance of 1,291.57 feet.
Please refer to Proof of Beneficial Use Map on file under Permit 18908 to support the existing point of diversion.

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7. Proposed place of use (Describe by legal subdivisions. If for irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated.)

within the W½ Section 2, Section 3, E½ Section 4, NE¼ Section 9, Section 10, W½ Section 11, NW¼ Section 14, and the N½ Section 15, all within T. 19N., R. 53E., M.D.M.

Please refer to accompanying map for proposed place of use.

8. Existing place of use (Describe by legal subdivisions. If changing place of use and/or manner of use of irrigation permit, describe acreage to be removed from irrigation.)

111.894 acres within Section 30, T. 20N., R. 53E., M.D.M.: 39.750 acres within the NW¼NE¼; 40.452 acres within the NE¼NE¼; and 31.692 acres within the SE¼NE¼. 55.625 acres will be removed under this Application as shown on accompanying stripping map: 24.577 acres within the NE¼NE¼ and 31.048 acres within the SE¼NE¼ of said Section 30.

9. Proposed use will be from January 1 to December 31 of each year.
Month and Day Month and Day

10. Existing use permitted from April 1 to September 30 of each year.
Month and Day Month and Day

11. Description of proposed works. (Under the provision 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, pipes and flumes or drilled well, pump and motor, etc.)

Drilled well, pump, motor, meter and pipeline to existing dewatering well system for the Ruby Hill Mine.

12. Estimated cost of works \$250,000

13. Estimated time required to construct works 1 year

If well completed, describe well.

14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use 5 years

15. 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.)

The water under Permit 18908 will be used at Homestake Mining Company's Ruby Hill Mine in accordance with a water rights lease agreement between the Applicants and Homestake Mining Company's Ruby Hill Mine for use at the Ruby Hill Mine. The water will be comingled with other dewatering sources permitted or under lease to Homestake for operations at the Ruby Hill Mine. Upon termination of the lease agreement, it is anticipated that Applications to Change will be filed to revert the leased water back to Applicant's irrigation and domestic uses.

16. Miscellaneous remarks:

A Permanent Application is being filed concurrently with this Temporary Application. This Temporary Application seeks to take advantage of the drilling rig's scheduled March arrival in the mine area.

Please send copies of all correspondence to Bob Brock, Barrick Gold US, 293 Spruce Rd., Elko NV 89801.

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APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED
BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT

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