

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

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The applicant McEwen Mining Inc.
1595 Meadow Wood Lane, Suite 3 of Reno
Street Address or P.O. Box City or Town

Nevada 89502 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.)

McEwen Mining Inc. was organized under the laws of the State of Colorado on July 24, 1979.

1. The source of water is Underground (PW #5)
Name of the stream, lake, underground, spring or other sources.

2. The amount of water applied for is 1.114 cfs; not to exceed 500.00 acre-feet annually
One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.

(a) If stored in a reservoir give the number of acre-feet _____

3. The water is to be used for Mining, Milling & Domestic
Irrigation, power, mining, commercial, domestic or other use. Must be limited to one major use.

4. If use is for:

(a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated _____

(b) Stockwater, state number and kind of animals _____

(c) Other use (describe fully in No. 12) _____

(d) Power:

(1) Horsepower developed _____

(2) 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.)

Within the NE¼ NE¼ of Section 1, T.23½N., R.49E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the NE Corner of said Section 1 bears N66°E, a distance of 748'.

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

Please refer to Attachment "A" and the Supporting Map accompanying this Application.

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.)

9. Estimated cost of works: \$1,500,000.00

10. Estimated time required to construct works: Three (3) years (Existing well, Log No. 31716)
(If the well is complete, describe works.)

11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use: Five (5) 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.)

Water will be pumped to a storage tank and gravity fed to the crusher, heap leach pad, process plant, accessory facilities and other auxiliary systems such as fire and dust suppression as required for health and safety purposes at the project site.

13. Miscellaneous remarks:

Two (2) Applications have been filed in addition to this Application. The total combined duty of all three Applications shall not exceed 500.00 acre-feet annually.

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ATTACHMENT "A"
Proposed Place of Use

T.22N., R.49E., M.D.B. &M.

A portion of Sections 25, 26, 27 and 28.

T.23N., R.50E., M.D.B. &M.

All of Section 35 and a portion of Section 34.

T.22N., R.50E., M.D.B. &M.

All of Sections 2, 3, 10, 11, 13, 14 and 15; and a portion of Sections 1, 4, 9, 12, 21, 22, 28, 29 and 30.

T.22N., R.51E., M.D.B. &M.

All of Sections 7 and 18.

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