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THE STATE OF NEVADA

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

WHEREAS, Frank L. Middleton has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from Rip Van Winkle Spring through Rip ditch and pipe line for mining, milling and domestic purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows: SE¼ SW¼ Section 3, T. 37 N; R. 53 E., M.D.B.& M., or at a point which bears S. 59° 47' E., 3020 feet from the W¼ Corner of said Section 3.

situated in Elko County, State of Nevada.

NOW KNOW YE, That the State Engineer, under the provisions of Section 72, Chapter 140, Statutes of 1913 has determined the date, source, purpose and amount of such appropriation, together with the place to which such water is appurtenant, as follows:

Name of appropriator Alaska Improvement Company

Post-office address Elko, Nevada

Amount of appropriation 0.10 of a cubic foot per second

Period of use, from January 1st to December 31st of each year

Date of priority of appropriation May 22, 1919.

Description of works of diversion, manner and place of use:-

The water is diverted and conveyed by means of a ditch to a 6-inch galvanized iron pipe 370 feet in length which conveys the water to a reservoir 20 feet in diameter located southwesterly from boarding house, where it is used for domestic purposes; there by means of a ditch and/or pipe and natural channel to a reservoir 16 feet by 20 feet by 1 to 6 feet deep from which it is pumped through 30 feet of ½ inch pipe to a galvanized iron tank 3 feet in diameter and 7 feet high; thence to mill piping. The place of use of the water is in the E½ SW¼ Section 3, T. 37 N; R. 53 E., M.D.B.& M.

The right to water hereby determined is limited to the amount which can be beneficially used, not to exceed the amount above specified, and the use is restricted to the place where acquired and to the purpose for which acquired.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, GEO. W. MALONE, State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 8th day of March, A. D. 1932.

Compared A.Z.P. B.D.

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Geo W Malone

State Engineer.