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THE STATE OF NEVADA
CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

WHEREAS, John B. Nutter, Agent has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from Meadow Valley Wash through non-consumptive instream use for Propagation of Fish Species purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows: NW¼ SE¼ Section 13, T.1S., R.68E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the SE corner of said Section 13 bears S. 42° E., a distance of 3,098.0 feet situated in Lincoln County, State of Nevada.

NOW KNOW YE, That the State Engineer, under the provisions of NRS 533.425, has determined the date, source, purpose, amount of appropriation, and the place where such water is appurtenant, as follows:

Name of appropriator The Nature Conservancy

Post-office address San Francisco, California

Amount of appropriation 1.84 c.f.s., subject to the Meadow Valley Wash Adjudication

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

Date of priority of appropriation September 4, 1981

Description of the place of use and manner of use:

The natural stream channel of Meadow Valley Wash as it passes through Condor Canyon beginning at the point of diversion and flowing through the E½ SW¼, SW¼ SW¼ Section 13; W½ NW¼ Section 24; SE¼ NE¼, N½ SE¼, SW¼ SE¼, S½ SW¼ Section 23; NW¼ NW¼ Section 26; E½ NE¼, SW¼ NE¼, NW¼ SE¼, N½ SW¼ Section 27 and the NE¼ SE¼ Section 28, all within T.1S., R.68E., M.D.B.&M., where the water is used for fish propagation and habitat for Panaca spinedace (Lepidomeda molispina pratensis), White River speckled dace (Rhinichthys osculus velifer), and White River desert suckers (Pantosteus clarki).

This certificate is issued subject to the terms of the permit and with the understanding that the final water right will be subject to the determination of relative rights of Meadow Valley Wash and Tributaries under adjudication proceedings under NRS 533.090 through 533.320, inclusive.

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 and for the purpose as set forth herein.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I PETER G. MORROS, State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 8th day of AUGUST, A.D. 19 85

Peter G. Morros
State Engineer

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