

ASSIGNED**THE STATE OF NEVADA****CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER**

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WHEREAS, Brian A. Randall, Agent has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from an Underground Source through a drilled well, pump and distribution system for mining, milling and domestic purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows:

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 31, T.17N., R.22E., M.D.B.&M.,
or at a point from which the S $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of
Section 30, T.17N., R.22E., M.D.B.&M., bears
N. 36° W., a distance of 2,811.0 feet situated
in Lyon 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: B. C. B. Ventures, a General Partnership
Source: Underground
Manner of Use: Mining, Milling and Domestic
Amount of appropriation: 1.31 c.f.s., but not to exceed 220.35 million gallons annually
Period of use: January 1st to December 31st of each year
Date of priority of appropriation: July 27, 1971

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

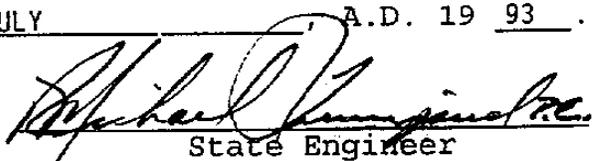
Water is developed by means of a drilled well, 185 feet deep, 10 inch casing, via a 30 H.P. submersible pump, thence the water is conveyed to a holding and recirculation pond thence to a crushing and washing plant where the water is used for mining, milling and domestic purposes within the E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 25, T.17N., R.21E., M.D.B.&M.; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 30, Section 31 and W $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 32, T.17N., R.22E., M.D.B.&M. and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 6, T.16N., R.22E., M.D.B.&M.

The total combined duty of water under this certificate and Permit 26233, Certificate 11436, is limited to 330.36 million gallons annually.

This certificate is issued subject to the terms of the permit.

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 R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 13th day of JULY, A.D. 19 93.


State Engineer

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