

THE STATE OF NEVADA

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

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WHEREAS, Douglas Noland and Russell Avery, Agents have 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 and Milling purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows:

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 29, T.28S., R.63E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the SW corner of said Section 29 bears S. 45°07'59" W., a distance of 876.28 feet situated in Clark 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: Gem Enterprises
 Source: Underground
 Manner of Use: Mining and Milling
 Amount of appropriation: *0.11 c.f.s., but not to exceed 1.21 million gallons annually
 Period of use: January 1st to December 31st of each year
 Date of priority of appropriation: **April 15, 1988

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

Water is developed by means of a drilled well, 360 feet deep, 8 inch casing via a 5 H.P. submersible pump to a 10,000 gallon storage tank and a 500 gallon pressure tank thence through a distribution system to the place of use for Mining and Milling purposes located within the S $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 29; S $\frac{1}{2}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 30, T.28S., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.

*The total combined duty of water under this Certificate and Permit 51854 shall not exceed 14.218 million gallons annually.

**This certificate changes the point of diversion of Permit 47655. The date of priority was established in accordance with NRS 533.395(3) by the Cancellation Rescission Hearing of May 12, 1988.

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 31st day of December, A. D. 1996.



State Engineer