

## THE STATE OF NEVADA

## CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

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WHEREAS, Ross E. de Lipkau, Agent, has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from Summit Spring, through a spring box, pipeline and troughs for stockwater purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows:

NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 18, T.11N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M., (unsurveyed), or at a point from which the SW corner of said Section 18, bears S. 46°34'03" W., a distance of 1,943.69 feet situated in Mineral 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:	ELW Ranches, Inc.
Source:	Summit Spring
Manner of Use:	Stockwater
Amount of appropriation:	0.0062 c.f.s., or sufficient to water 1000 head of sheep
Period of use:	January 1st to December 31st of each year
Date of priority of appropriation:	June 13, 1980

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

Water is diverted by means of a spring box, thence through a 2 inch diameter galvanized pipeline to stock watering troughs where 1,000 head of sheep water within the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 11 T.11N. R.26E., M.D.B.&M.; NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 4; SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 5; NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 7; NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 11; NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 13; W $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 24; T.11N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M., and NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 18, T.11N., R.28E., M.B.D.&M., being within the Gray Hills Allotment.

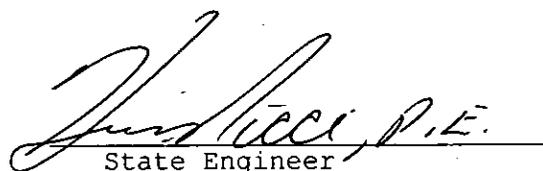
Note: Both U.S.G.S. and B.L.M. maps mislabel the source as Abraham Spring.

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, HUGH RICCI, P.E., State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 15th day of February, A.D., 2002.

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State Engineer