

THE STATE OF NEVADA

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

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WHEREAS, William A. Nisbet, Agent, has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from an improved spring (Texas Spring), through a spring box and pipeline to troughs for stockwater purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows:

NE¼ NE¼ Section 25, T.44N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the NE corner of Section 1, T.44N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M., bears N. 01°25' E., a distance of 21,850 feet, situated in Elko 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: **Salmon River Cattleman's Association, Inc.**
Source: **Texas Spring**
Manner of Use: **Stockwater**
Amount of appropriation: **0.025 c.f.s., or sufficient to water 800 head of cattle.**
Period of use: **January 1st to December 31st of each year**
Date of priority of appropriation: **October 29, 1979**

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

Water is diverted from an improved spring, through a spring box and 31,000 feet of 1¼-inch plastic pipe to five (5) 300-gallon stock troughs equipped with float valves, where 800 head of cattle water within the NE¼ NE¼ Section 25, T.44N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.

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 **31st** day of **January**, A.D., **2006**.

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State Engineer