Permit No. **71416** Certificate No. **17986**

STATE OF NEVADA

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

WHEREAS, Bryan K. Fuell, Agent, has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada, Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from Cottonwood Spring Drainage, for wildlife (instream flow) and other purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows:

Lot 10 Section 4, T.36N., R.70E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the SE corner of Section 9, T.36N., R.70E., M.D.B.&M., bears S. 15°43′53″ E., a distance of 7,658 feet situated in Elko County, State of Nevada.

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

Name of appropriator:	**U.S.D.I. Bureau of Land Management, Elko Field Office**
Source:	**Cottonwood Spring Drainage**
Manner of use:	**Wildlife (instream flow)**
Amount of appropriation:	**0.69 c.f.s.**
Period of use:	**January 1st to December 31st of each year**
Date of priority of appropriation:	**July 6, 2004**

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

The excess discharge from Cottonwood Springs flows through the natural channel where the water is used to sustain wildlife and riparian habitat within Lots 10, 13 and 14, Section 4, T.36N., R.70E., 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.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, JASON KING, P.E., State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 9th day of May, A.D., **2011**.

for K. Hall P.E.
State Engineer

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