

THE STATE OF NEVADA  
CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

WHEREAS, Joe Eldridge, Rancher has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from Partridge Spring through trench, pipeline and trough for Stockwatering

purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows: NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 31, T. 15 N., R. 69 E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the N 1/2 Corner of said Section 31, bears N. 22° 30' E., 3,525.00 feet.

situated in White Pine County, State of Nevada.

Now Know YE, That the State Engineer, under the provisions of Section 72, Chapter 46, Statutes of 1937 has determined the date, source, purpose and amount of such appropriation, together with the place to which such water is appurtenant, as follows:

Name of appropriator Joe Eldridge

Post-office address Ely, Nevada

Amount of appropriation 0.003 c.f.s.

Period of use, from January 1 to December 31 of each year

Date of priority of appropriation December 6, 1943

Description of works of diversion, manner and place of use:  
This spring is developed by means of an open cut 50 feet long, 18 inches wide and 3 feet deep. About 55 feet of 1 1/2 inch pipe is laid from a prepared rock sump at the upper end of the cut and conveys the water to a 200 gallon watering trough located in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 31, T. 15 N., R. 69 E., M.D.B.&M.

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 where acquired and to the purpose for which acquired.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, ALFRED MERRITT SMITH, State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 23rd day of December A. D. 1949

*Alfred Merritt Smith*  
State Engineer.