

THE STATE OF NEVADA
CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

Rights

WHEREAS, R. S. Leighton - Director Land & Water has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from The Truckee River through screen wells, pump, lower water dam for Industrial (Steam Electric Generating Plant) purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows: NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 33, T. 20N., R. 22E., M.D.B. & M., or at a point from which the W 1/2 corner of said Sec. 33 bears S. 40° 39' W., 3,395.0 feet, situated in Storey 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 Sierra Pacific Power Company

Post-office address Reno, Nevada

Amount of appropriation 1.23 c.f.s. - not to exceed 130.0 ac. ft. per season

Period of use, from as decreed to of each year

* Date of priority of appropriation as decreed

Description of works of diversion, manner and place of use: The water is diverted from the Truckee River by means of a low water dam and a screen well intake thence conveyed thru a chlorination unit and then piped to the condensers of a steam electric generating plant. The water is then discharged to a cooling pond of approximately 30 acres of surface area where it circulates and is cooled from evaporation and is then returned to the Truckee River at a point which is upstream from the intake. The place of use is within the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 33, T. 20N., R. 22E., MD.B. & M. This certificate is further issued subject to the terms of the permit.

*This certificate changes the point of diversion, manner and place of use of water under claim 643, Truckee River Final Decree in Equity Docket No. A-3 in the District Court of the United States in and for the District of Nevada (point of diversion is changed from Olinghouse No. 2 Ditch)

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, GEORGE W. HENNEN, State Engineer

Compared Jb/dp

of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this

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Storey County Records.

Roland D. Westergard, Asst. State Engineer.