

THE STATE OF NEVADA
CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

WHEREAS, Mark Chilton, Agent has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from Lower Taylor Spring through natural channel to pond for stockwatering purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows. NW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 27, T.47N., R.56E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the E 1/4 corner of said Sec. 27 bears N. 89°04'E., a distance of 2,205.0 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: Howard Ranches, Inc.
Post-office address: Elko, Nevada
Amount of appropriation: 0.022 cfs or sufficient to water 850 head of cattle.
Period of use, from January 1st to December 31st of each year
Date of priority of appropriation: October 19, 1970

Description of works of diversion, manner and place of use:
Water is diverted from the spring thence flows down the natural channel approximately 2 miles to a small pond. 850 head of cattle water along the natural channel within the NW 1/4 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, E 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 27 and W 1/2 W 1/2 Section 22, SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 15, T.47N., R.56E., M.D.B.&M.

This certificate is issued subject to the 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, ROLAND D. WESTERGARD, State Engineer

Compared lk/bs of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this
Recorded 3:6 25 Bk 208 Page 222 24th day of February, A. D. 19 75
Elko County Records. [Signature] State Engineer