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This office has determined by field investigation and dam inspection that the Ruhenstroth Power Dam located in Section 25, T.12N., R.20E., M.D.B.&M., Douglas County, Nevada, has become an unsafe structure due to failure of the right abutment, excessive erosion to both abutments/earthen interfaces and unstable center wall position. The condition of the dam has been determined to be a threat to public safety and private property and, therefore, under the authority set forth under NRS 535.030(3c), you are hereby ORDERED to:

1. Remove the existing center portion of the dam by whatever means necessary;
2. After removing, stabilize the footprint of the dam so that the remaining debris will not create a hazard.


R. Michael Turnipseed, P.E.
State Engineer

Dated at Carson City, Nevada, this
10th day of January, 1997.

cc: Dennis Gebhart