

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION 27422)
FILED FOR THE WATERS OF AN UNDER-)
GROUND SOURCE IN LEMMON VALLEY,)
WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA)

R U L I N G

GENERAL:

Application 27422 was filed on April 24, 1973, for 0.01 c.f.s. of the waters of an underground source to be diverted in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 8, T.20N., R.19E., M.D.B.&M. and to be used to serve a 13 unit mobile home park located within a portion of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and a portion of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 8, T.20N., R.19E., M.D.B.&M.

Water Resources Bulletin #42 entitled "Evaluation of the Water Resources of Lemmon Valley, Washoe County, Nevada, with Emphasis on the Effects of Ground Water Development to 1971" was authored by James R. Harrill and was prepared by the U.S. Geological Survey in cooperation with the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Division of Water Resources, the City of Reno and the County of Washoe. This bulletin reports an annual recharge of 600 acre feet to the East Lemmon Valley subarea. Existing water rights of record in the East Lemmon Valley exceeds estimates of recharge to the subarea.

RULING:

Application 27422 is hereby denied on the grounds that the granting of this application for additional withdrawal of water from the Lemmon Valley Ground Water Basin would adversely effect and tend to impair the value of existing water rights.

Respectfully submitted,


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State Engineer

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Dated this 29th day
of August, 1973.