

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION 27573)
FILED BY MAE AND WAYNE PEEK TO APPRO-) R U L I N G
PRIATE WATER FROM AN UNDERGROUND)
SOURCE IN HUMBOLDT COUNTY, NEVADA.)

GENERAL:

Application 27573 was filed on June 25, 1973, by Mae and Wayne Peek to appropriate 4.63 c.f.s. of water from an underground source for irrigation (260 acres) and domestic purposes. The point of diversion is proposed within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 1, T.36N.,R.38E., M.D.B.&M. The proposed place of use is described as within the S $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 1, T.36N.,R.38E., M.D.M. The period of use to be from January 1 to December 31 of each year.

Water Resources Bulletin No. 32 published by the Nevada Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and the U. S. Geological Survey estimates the ground water recharge to the Winnemucca Segment Ground Water Basin to be 4,400 acre-feet annually.

The proposed point of diversion under Application 27573 is located within the Winnemucca Segment Ground Water Basin as designated by the State Engineer by Order No. 464, dated July 24, 1972. Permits have been granted in excess of the annual recharge within the Winnemucca Segment Ground Water Basin.

RULING

Application 27573 is herewith denied on the grounds that the granting of this application would tend to impair the value of existing prior rights.

Respectfully submitted,


Roland D. Westergard
State Engineer

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Dated this 9th day of
October, 1973.