

OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

#4048

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR A)
WELL DRILLER'S LICENSE FILED BY)
WILLIAM RAY AUSTIN)
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RULING

FINDING OF FACT

An application for a Nevada Well Driller's License was filed by William Ray Austin in the office of the State Engineer on October 15, 1984 together with the statutory filing fee of \$50.00. Receipt No. 8009 was issued to Linda Austin, Austin Ranch for said filing fee.

The applicant was notified on January 2, 1985 by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on January 17, 1985 at 8:30 a.m. in Las Vegas, Nevada. Mr. Austin was not examined by the Board on that date.¹

The applicant was notified on April 3, 1985 by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on April 18, 1985 at 8:30 a.m. in Las Vegas, Nevada.¹ Certified mail was signed by L. Austin on April 5, 1985.

The applicant appeared as scheduled and was examined by the Board. Based upon the applicant's responses to questions about the Regulation and drilling equipment and practices, the Board finds that the applicant failed to demonstrate a good knowledge of the Regulation and experience as a well driller and recommended that the applicant be rescheduled for another examination by the Board.¹

The State Engineer finds that the applicant was not scheduled for another examination by the Board.¹

The applicant was requested by certified mail September 1, 1993 to state his intentions within 30 days regarding a water well drilling license in the State of Nevada. The certified mail receipt was signed by Mike Austin on September 7, 1993.¹

The State Engineer finds that the applicant did not answer the September 1, 1993 letter requesting his license intentions.¹

¹ Well driller license file is public record in the office of the State Engineer.

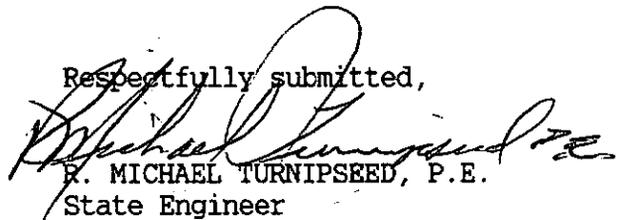
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After considering this application the Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board recommended denial of the application of William Ray Austin on October 14 1993.²

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The State Engineer concurs with the recommendation of the Board and the application of William Ray Austin is herewith denied on the grounds that the applicant failed to substantiate his experience and ability as a water well driller.

Respectfully submitted,



R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.
State Engineer

RMT/CAB/jjs

Dated this 9th day

of December, 1993.

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Transcript of pertinent part of Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board meeting on October 14, 1993, filed in well driller license file.