

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NO. 18130, FILED BY ROGER A. COCHRAN TO APPROPRIATE THE WATERS OF AN UNDERGROUND SOURCE FOR IRRIGATION AND DOMESTIC PURPOSES IN WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA.

R U L I N G

General:

Application No. 18130 was filed to irrigate three hundred and twenty acres of privately-owned land in the S $\frac{1}{2}$ Sec. 24, T. 35 N., R. 23 E., M.D.B.&M.

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A protest to the granting of this application was filed on January 15, 1960, by Vera N. Petersen on grounds that the protestant has filed a prior desert land application on the proposed place of use under this application, and that granting this application would interfere with the protestant's water application.

Opinion:

The land proposed to be irrigated under this application is private land, and it is the opinion of this office that the granting of this application will not interfere with existing water rights.

RULING

The protest to the granting of Application No. 18130 is herewith overruled on grounds that its granting will not impair the value of existing rights or be otherwise detrimental to the public welfare.

A permit will be issued under this application on receipt of the statutory permit fee.

Respectfully submitted,

Edmund A. Muth
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State Engineer

Dated this 13th day of December, 1960.