

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NO. 17722, FILED BY F. LORIN BUNKER TO APPROPRIATE WATER FROM THE MEADOW VALLEY WASH FOR IRRIGATION AND DOMESTIC PURPOSES IN LINCOLN COUNTY, NEVADA.

R U L I N G

General:

Application No. 17722 was filed to appropriate 3.0 c.f.s. within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 24, T. 12 S., R. 65 E., M.D.B.&M.

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A protest to the granting of this application was filed on March 11, 1959, by Mildred Breedlove on grounds that its granting would impair the value of existing rights and would be detrimental to the public welfare.

A field investigation in the matter of this application was made on June 11, 1960. From information obtained at the field investigation, and from office records, it is our opinion that there is unappropriated water in this source and that granting this application will not affect existing water rights.

RULING

The protest to the granting of Application No. 17722 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. The permit will be issued subject to all existing water rights.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated this 23rd day of March, 1961.