

OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR)
A WELL DRILLER'S LICENSE FILED BY)
CLYDE D MINOR.)

RULING

5508

FINDING OF FACT

An application for a Nevada Well Driller's License was filed by Clyde D. Minor in the office of the State Engineer on November 19, 2004, together with the statutory filing fee of \$100.00. Receipt No. 18282 was issued to Parsons Drilling, Inc. for said filing fee.

The applicant was notified on January 18, 2005, by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on February 24, 2005, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City, Nevada. He appeared as scheduled and scored 63 on Part I, of the written examination.¹ A score of 70 is passing.

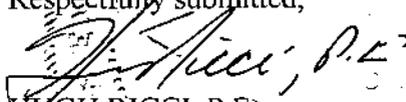
The applicant was notified on April 20, 2005 by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on May 12, 2005, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City, Nevada. He appeared as scheduled and scored 72 on Part I, the written examination. He then failed Part II of the examination, identification of a well location on a map.¹

The applicant was notified on July 20, 2005, by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on August 19, 2005, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City, Nevada. The applicant appeared as scheduled and scored 78 on Part I, the written examination and passed Part II of the examination, identification of a well location on a map.¹ Based upon the applicant's responses to questions about drilling equipment and drilling practices, the Board finds that the applicant failed to demonstrate a sufficient knowledge and experience as a well driller. The Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board recommended denial of the application of Clyde D. Minor on August 19, 2005.¹

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

Respectfully submitted,


HUGH RICCI, P.E.
State Engineer

HR/TH/sg
Dated this 8th day
of September, 2005.

¹ Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board minutes of Meeting
3-05, August 19, 2005 filed in well driller license
file.