

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION)
FOR A WELL DRILLER'S LICENSE)
FILED BY CURTIS E. BARNES)

R U L I N G

GENERAL

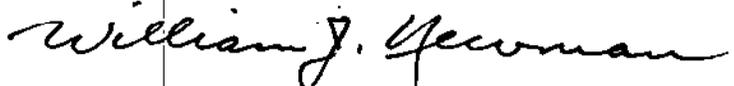
An application for a Nevada well driller's license was received in this office on November 5, 1979, together with the statutory \$25 filing fee. Receipt No. 5846 was issued to Curtis E. Barnes. Requests for four references were mailed on November 5, 1979. Responses were received from four of the references.

Curtis E. Barnes was notified by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board for an interview on January 14, 1980. The applicant did appear as requested. The Board unanimously recommended denial of the application of Curtis E. Barnes.

RULING

The application of Curtis E. Barnes is herewith denied on the grounds that the applicant has failed to substantiate his experience and ability as a water well driller.

Respectfully submitted,



William J. Newman
State Engineer

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Dated this 7th day

of MAY, 19 80.