

**OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR)
A WELL DRILLER'S LICENSE FILED BY)
PAUL SNELGROVE)

RULING

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FINDING OF FACT

An application for a Nevada Well Driller's License was filed by Paul Snelgrove in the office of the State Engineer on January 11, 2006, together with the statutory filing fee of \$100.00. Receipt No. 18822 was issued to Cascade Drilling, Inc. for said filing fee.¹

The applicant was notified on January 17, 2006, by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on February 16, 2006, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City, Nevada. He appeared as scheduled and scored 73 on Part I of the written examination a score of 70 is passing, and he failed Part II, the topographic map portion of the examination.²

The applicant was notified on April 5, 2006, by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on May 4, 2006, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City, Nevada. He appeared as scheduled and scored 68 on Part I, of the written examination, a score of 70 is passing.³

The applicant was notified on July 10, 2006, by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on August 11, 2006, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City, Nevada. He canceled this examination. The applicant failed to pass all three portions of the examination on three consecutive scheduled examination dates. The Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board recommended denial of the application of Paul Snelgrove on August 10, 2006.⁴

CONCLUSION

The Sate Engineer Concludes that the applicant failed to pass all three portions of the examination on three consecutive scheduled examination dates.

¹ Well Driller License file is public record in the office of the State Engineer.

² Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board minutes of Meeting 1-06, February 17, 2006, filed in well driller license file.

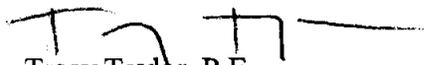
³ Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board minutes of Meeting 2-06, May 5, 2006 filed in well driller license file.

⁴ Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board minutes of Meeting 3-06, August 11, 2006, filed in well driller license file.

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The State Engineer concurs with the recommendation of the Board and pursuant to NAC 534.282 2(b) the application of Paul Snelgrove is herewith denied on the grounds that the applicant failed to substantiate his experience and ability as a water well driller on three subsequent occasions.

Respectfully submitted,



Tracy Taylor, P.E.
State Engineer

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Dated this 29th day
of September, 2006.