

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION 7953  
FILED BY THE CARSON AND TAHOE LUMBER  
AND FLUMING COMPANY TO APPROPRIATE  
WATER FROM SECRET HARBOR OR BLISS  
CREEK IN DOUGLAS COUNTY, NEVADA

R U L I N G

GENERAL:

Application 7953 was filed December 17, 1926, by the Carson and Tahoe Lumber and Fluming Company to appropriate four (4) second-feet of water from Secret Harbor or Bliss Creek for irrigation and domestic purposes. Application 7953 was assigned by deed, filed February 26, 1928, to Hope, Walter D., and William S. Bliss.

Protests to the granting of this application were filed January 26, 1927, by Mrs. Sadie Benton Manton and on January 28, 1927, by the Glenbrook Company.

A judgment and decree has been entered by the District Court of the United States of America in and for the District of Nevada, dated July 2, 1930, for Secret Harbor Creek (sometimes known as Nye Creek or Bliss Creek) and North Canyon Creek (sometimes known as Slaughter House Creek, Davis Creek or Pray's Creek).

RULING

The proposed point of diversion under Application 7953 to appropriate water from Secret Harbor Creek is downstream from existing rights. The protests to the granting of Application 7953 are herewith overruled on the grounds that the granting will not impair the value of existing water rights or be otherwise detrimental to the public welfare. Upon receipt of the permit fees, a permit will be issued under Application 7953, subject to existing rights and to the availability of water after the existing rights have been satisfied.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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Dated This 14th Day  
of March, 1967.