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OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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You are a water user on the Humboldt River Stream System and its Tributaries

This water system was adjudicated under Case #2804 in the Sixth Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Humboldt. The adjudication determined all the relative rights of all claimants and appropriators of the waters of the Humboldt River System.

The rights of all users were set out in the "Humboldt River Adjudication", sometimes referred to as the "Blue Book". The Blue Book includes:

- The Bartlett Decree;
- The Intervening Orders;
- The Edwards Decree;
- The Late Orders;
- The Alternative Writ of Prohibition in Carpenter v. District Court;

and

Decision of the Supreme Court.

On page 243 of the Bartlett Decree in the 2nd paragraph, the Court ordered, adjudged and decreed; "Each water user shall install and maintain substantial headgates and weirs in his ditch or ditches."

To insure that you as a water user of the Humboldt River System get your decreed water, you are hereby ordered as follows:

1. To install a substantial headgate as designated by the State Engineer. This headgate must be adequate to enable regulation of water to an open or closed position and must be able to be secured and locked.
2. To install a measuring device or weir as designated by the State Engineer. This measuring device must be adequate to measure water easily in order to facilitate water distribution.
3. To have the above described headgate and weir installed and in operable condition before the start of the irrigation season of 1986

The Decree sets the irrigation season on the Humboldt River from April 15th to August 15th above Palisade, and March 15th to September 15th below Palisade.



Peter G. Morros
State Engineer

Dated at Carson City, Nevada,
this 5th day of AUGUST, 1985.

Certified Mail No. P010 771 764
cc: The Honorable Gerald Sullivan, District Judge