

IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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DECLARING PREFERRED USE FOR STEPTOE VALLEY

Pursuant to the verbal ruling of the State Engineer at the public hearing held before the State Engineer in Ely, Nevada, on August 17, 1983, industrial (power generation) is declared to be a preferred use of the limited ground water resource within the Steptoe Valley Designated Ground Water Basin, described and set forth in State Engineer's Order No. 731 dated September 21, 1979, excluding that area described in the State Engineer's Order No. 754 dated August 21, 1980, as follows:

All of T.16N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.

All of T.17N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.

W $\frac{1}{2}$ of T.17N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.

S $\frac{1}{2}$ of T.18N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.

Sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 of
T.18N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.

This Order is issued under the authority set forth under the Nevada Revised Statute 534.120, subsections 1 and 2.



Peter G. Morros
State Engineer

Dated at Carson City, Nevada, this
23rd day of AUGUST, 1983.