

STATE OF NEVADA

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING OR WILDLIFE PURPOSES

(1) Name of claimant John Espil Sheep Co., Inc. P.O. Box 150 of Gerlach Nevada 89412-0150

(2) Source of water Willow Springs Name of natural water source

(3) The water is diverted by: Pipe to water trough

Dam, ditch, pipe line, natural channel, spring area, etc.

(4) The water is diverted at the following point(s): Located within NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Sec. 6, T 29N, R 19E, MDM

Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to a section corner. If on unsurveyed land it should be stated. Diversion over a channel reach must be described by course and distance to a section corner for both the beginning and end of such.

(5) The water is impounded in water trough Troughs, tanks, pools, reservoir, natural channel, etc.

(6) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun May 11, 1988 and completed May 13, 1988 Date

(7) The nature of the claimant's title to the land upon which the source of water and place of use are located is: Patented

(8) The claimant's water right was not recorded in the office of the County Recorder of County, at Page of Book of

NOTE - Failure to record in the county in no way invalidates a water right, but if water right was so recorded, supply full information under (8).

(9) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year 1897 was 300 cattle 50 horses 3,000 sheep or wildlife (describe)

The watering was conducted during each of the following months: January 1 thru December 31

(10) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant in subsequent years was as follows:
300 cows - March 1 thru December 31
2,000 sheep - April 1 thru May 1
- October 1 thru October 31

If water was not used, or used in reduced quantity at any time, full information as to causes and duration of non-use should be given.

(11) The amount of water which has been necessary to be diverted for this purpose has been

0.1 cubic feet per second.

448.83 gallons per minute equals 1 cubic foot per second

(12) The works are located at:

NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Sec. 6, T 29N, R 19E, MDM

Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision, section, township and range of public survey. If on unsurveyed land, it should be stated.

Remarks

John Espil Sheep Co., Inc. is the successor to the original ranching operation which was in this area on or before 1897.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by
John Espil Sheep Co., Inc. are full and correct to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Attorney and agent for John Espil Sheep Co., Inc.

If proof is not made by claimant, deponent should state on this line by virtue of what authority he/she represents the claimant.

John Espil Sheep Co., Inc.

Name of Claimant

By

Gordon H. DePaul

Telephone No. _____

6100 Neil Road

Suite 500

Reno, Nevada 89511

Telephone No. (775) 688-3010

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December, 20 11



Notary Public in and for the County of Washoe

My commission expires 5/26/2012

STATE OF NEVADA

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING OR WILDLIFE PURPOSES

(1) Name of claimant Brent Espil for Espil Sheep Co. P.O. Box 150 of Gerlach Nevada, 89412

(2) Source of water Willow Springs

(3) The water is diverted by pipe to water trough

(4) The water is diverted at the following point(s) SE of SE, Section 6, T29N, R19E

(5) The water is impounded in water trough

(6) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun May 11, 1998 and completed May 13, 1998

(7) The nature of the claimant's title to the land upon which the source of water and place of use are located is patented

(8) The claimant's water right was (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of County, at Page of Book of

NOTE—Failure to record in the county in no way invalidates a water right, but if water right was so recorded, supply full information under (8).

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(9) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year 1897,
Date
was 300 cattle 50 horses 3,000 sheep or wildlife (describe) _____
Other

The watering was conducted during each of the following months January 1,
thru December 31

(10) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant in subsequent years was as follows:

300 cows - March 1 thru Dec. 31
If water was not used, or used in reduced quantity at any time, full information as to causes and duration of non-use should be given.
2000 sheep - April 1 thru May 1, Oct
1 thru Oct 31

(11) The amount of water which has been necessary to be diverted for this purpose has been

0.1 CFS cubic feet per second.
448.83 gallons per minute equals 1 cubic foot per second.

(12) The works are located at SE of SE, Section 6 of
Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision, section, township and range of public survey. If on unsurveyed
T. 29 N. R. 19 E.
land, it should be stated.

Remarks Espil Sheep Co. is successor to the
original ranching operation^{which} in this
area prior to 1900

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The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by Espil Sheep Co.

are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Agent for Espil Sheep Co.
If proof is not made by claimant, deponent should state on this line by virtue of what authority he represents the claimant.

Brent Espil
Claimant

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By Brent Espil
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May, 1990.
Beth Callahan

Notary Public in and for the County of.....

My commission expires.....



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