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

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STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 53421,
FILED BY WASHOE COUNTY,
ON JUNE 23 19 89, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF UNDERGROUND

PROTEST

Comes now California Department of Fish and Game
Printed or typed name of protestant
whose post office address is 601 Locust Street, Redding, CA 96001
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code
whose occupation is trustee of fish and wildlife for California, and protests the granting
of Application Number 53421, filed on June 23, 19 89
by Washoe County to appropriate the
Printed or typed name of applicant
waters of underground situated in Washoe
Underground or name of stream, lake, spring or other source
County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:

This is one of 29 applications by Washoe County (numbers 53406 through 53434) for permission to change the manner and place of use of a total of 37,401.78 acre-feet of water from irrigation and domestic use within Honey Lake Valley to municipal use outside the valley. Export of such a quantity of water would lower the water table in Honey Lake Valley, threatening existing springs which provide water critical to the survival of wildlife in California.

THEREFORE the protestant requests that the application be denied
(Denied, issued subject to prior rights, etc., as the case may be)
and that an order be entered for such relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed [signature]
Agent or protestant
Pete Bontadelli, Director
Printed or typed name, if agent
Address 1416 Ninth Street
Street No. or P.O. Box No.
Sacramento, CA 95814
City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of October 19 89

OFFICIAL SEAL
SANDY DANIEL
NOTARY PUBLIC - CALIFORNIA
SACRAMENTO COUNTY
My Comm. Expires Aug. 17, 1990

Sandy Daniel
Notary Public
State of California
County of Sacramento

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