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

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 53976, LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT, FILED BY A QUASI-MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, ON OCTOBER 17, 1989, TO APPROPRIATE THE WATERS OF UNDERGROUND

PROTEST

Comes now RONALD DEAN ODEN
Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is BOX 205, BEATTY, NEVADA 89003
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code

whose occupation is MOTEL OWNER, REAL ESTATE AND RANCHING, and protests the granting of Application Number 53976, filed on OCTOBER 17, 1989 by LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT, A QUASI-MUNICIPAL CORPORATION to appropriate the
Printed or typed name of applicant

waters of UNDERGROUND situated in NYE
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 APPLICATION IS ONE OF 145 APPLICATIONS FILED BY THE LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT SEEKING TO APPROPRIATE 804,195 ACRE FEET OF GROUND WATER PRIMARILY FOR MUNICIPAL USE WITHIN THE SERVICE AREA OF THE DISTRICT IN CLARK COUNTY. DIVERSION AND EXPORT OF SUCH A QUANTITY OF WATER WILL: LOWER THE STATIC WATER LEVEL IN UNDERGROUND BASIN; ADVERSELY AFFECT THE QUALITY OF REMAINING GROUND WATER; AND FURTHER THREATEN SPRINGS, SEEPS AND PHREATOPHYTES WHICH PROVIDE WATER AND HABITAT CRITICAL TO THE SURVIVAL OF WILDLIFE, GRAZING LIVESTOCK AND OTHER SURFACE AREA — EXISTING USES.

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 Ronald Dean Oden
Agent or protestant

Printed or typed name, if agent

Address Box 205
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Beatty, Nevada 89003
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of June 19 90

Evelyn M. Rose
Notary Public

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