

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

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 54020
FILED BY Southern Nevada Water Authority
ON October 17, 1989



PROTEST

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STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Comes now Corporation of the Presiding Bishop of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, a Utah corporation sole
Printed or typed name of protestant
whose post office address is 50 East North Temple, 12th Floor, Salt Lake City, UT 84150
Street No. or PO Box, City, State and ZIP Code
whose occupation is Ranch and Water Right Owner and protests the granting
of Application Number 54020, filed on October 17, 1989
by Southern Nevada Water Authority for the
waters of Underground situated in Basin 184 - Spring Valley, White Pine
an underground source or name of stream, lake, spring or other source

County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:
The Corporation of the Presiding Bishop owns and operates the Cleveland and Rogers Ranches and associated grazing permits as part of a large livestock operation in north Spring Valley. Both the fee ground and allotments are critical to the overall operation of this livestock program. The Corporation holds substantial surface and groundwater water rights associated with the Cleveland Ranch to include Cleve Creek (Certificate 902), vested rights (V00790 and V01217) and groundwater permits 54204 and 54205. The Corporation holds claims of vested right on 12 springs located on the Cleveland Ranch (V02817-V02828). The Corporation also owns significant water rights for Rogers Ranch. This application by Southern Nevada Water Authority is in proximity to the Cleveland and Rogers Ranches and the BLM allotments and will have a detrimental effect on water availability for the Cleveland and Rogers Ranches and within the water basin. The Protestant reserves the right to supplement this protest as part of any hearing.

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 Terry F. Rudd Agent or protestant
Terry F. Rudd, Authorized Agent

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of MARCH, 2011

D. TODD EVANS
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF UTAH
Commission # 575213
My Comm. Exp. 09/06/2012

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