

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

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Div. of Water Resources
Branch Office - Las Vegas, NV

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 54033
FILED BY Las Vegas Valley Water District
ON October 17, 1989, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF Underground

PROTEST

Comes now MARGARET E. SOMMERFRUCHT

Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is Box 244 - Pahrump, NV 89043

Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code

whose occupation is Retired - power & water trade press editing and protests the granting

of Application Number 54033, filed on October 17, 1989

by Las Vegas Valley Water District

Printed or typed name of applicant

to appropriate the waters of Underground

Underground or name of stream, lake, spring or other source

situated in Lincoln

County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:

The appropriation of this water when added to the already approved appropriations and dedicated users in the 202 basin will exceed the annual recharge and safe yield of the basin. Appropriation and use of this magnitude will, lower the water table and degrade the quality of water from existing wells, cause negative hydraulic gradient influences, futher cause other negative impacts and will adversely affect existing rights adverse to the public interest.

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 Margaret E. Sommerfrucht
Agent or protestant
MARGARET E. SOMMERFRUCHT
Printed or typed name, if agent

Address Box 244 - Pahrump, NV 89043
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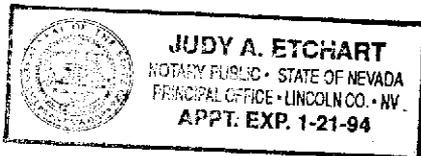
City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1990

Judy A. Etchart
Notary Public

State of Nevada

County of Lincoln



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