

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

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 54034
FILED BY LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DIST
ON OCTOBER 17 1989, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF UNDERGROUND

PROTEST

Comes now ROBERT D. BAUMANN
Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is 2608 MAGNET ST NORTH LAS VEGAS NV 89030
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code

whose occupation is SUPERVISOR (BEER INDUSTRY), and protests the granting

of Application Number 54034, filed on OCTOBER 17, 1989

by LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT
Printed or typed name of applicant to appropriate the

waters of UNDERGROUND situated in LINCOLN
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:

I've hunted and fished Lincoln and White Pine Counties for forty plus years. I own a retirement home in Caliente which I plan on utilizing within the next three years. I also plan on willing to my son, daughter-in-law and grandchildren this property. I want them to still be able to hunt, hike, roam the hills and fish, to gather piñon nuts and watch the wildlife. And I see no damned reason why Clark County thinks they need to steal this precious and limited commodity, in the name of progress. They say practice conservation? They don't! Restrict usage? They don't! Explore the underground water at the Ardan Dome. In the fifties an oil company went broke trying to stem the flow of water that they drilled into. The pilferage of water by LA ruined Owens Valley. The same practice divided Arizona. Why then should we let Clark County ruin three Counties

THEREFORE the protestant requests that the application be DENIED for their selfish greed.

(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.

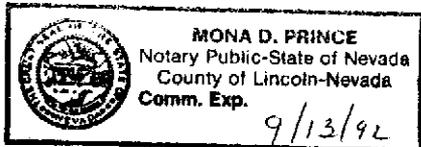
Signed R Baumann
Agent or protestant

Printed or typed name, if agent
Address 2608 MAGNET ST
Street No. or P.O. Box No.
NORTH LAS VEGAS NV 89030
City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1990

Mona D. Prince
Notary Public

State of Nevada
County of Lincoln



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