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 63999,
FILED BY Washoe County,
ON March 27, 1998, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF Underground

PROTEST

Comes now USDI, Bureau of Land Management, Winnemucca District
Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is 5100 East Winnemucca Blvd, Winnemucca, NV 89445
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code

whose occupation is Federal Land Management Agency, and protests the granting

of Application Number 63999, filed on March 27, 1998

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:

The point of diversion, as listed in the public notice, is located on public land managed by the Winnemucca Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management. To date, the applicant has not applied for, nor have they received a right of way for legal access to the lands described in the application. Furthermore, the cumulative affect of this application, in conjunction with the other 17 applications that the applicant has filed in this same region, may inhibit other multiple uses of the public lands. Other uses which are currently occurring within this region include: Livestock grazing, Wildhorses, recreation, and wildlife.

THEREFORE the protestant requests that the application be Denied, pending further analysis of the water resource capabilities of the area.
(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 Colin P. Christensen Acting Field Manager
Agent or protestant

Colin Pete Christensen
Printed or typed name, if agent

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of September 1998.

Martha P. Smith
Notary Public

MARTHA P. SMITH
Notary Public - State of Nevada
Humboldt County
My appointment expires Feb. 14, 2002
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State of Nevada

County of Humboldt

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