

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

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AUG 06 2001
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 67064
FILED BY Lyman E. Huntsman Dan Frehner
ON Jan 9, 2001 ~~August 6~~, 2001, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF UG

PROTEST

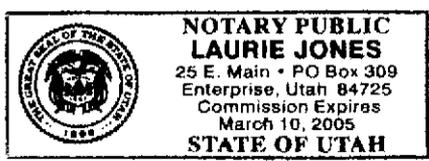
Comes now Lyman E. Huntsman
Printed or typed name of protestant
whose post office address is HC 10 Box 10833 Ely, NV 89301
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code
whose occupation is rancher/farmer, and protests the granting
of Application Number 67064, filed on January 9, 2001
by Dan Frehner
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 proposed area is right in the middle of our reseeds, which are essential to the ranch. The reseeds are used to bull-up the cows and makes them necessary to get an adequate calf crop to pay the ranch payment. The proposed water is supposedly for farmland. The Soil Conservation Service has classified most of this land as non-farmable.
We also have a prior water right in Cottonwood Spring, and we feel that concentrated, heavy pumping would dry up the spring and make our 12 miles of waterline and our water tank system useless.
We have prior irrigation rights that would be affected also. We have applications for additional water right that was protested by the Park Service claiming that additional pumping would affect the springs and wetlands. If this is the case, these permits should not be granted. (If their permits are granted, our permits should be granted also.)
Cottonwood Spring is also the only year round water source for the wild-life and the horses in this area. All the other springs along Fortification Range dry up in the summer.

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 Lyman E. Huntsman
Agent of protestant
Lyman E. Huntsman
Printed or typed name, if agent
Address HC 10 Box 10833
Street No. or P.O. Box No.
Ely, NV 89301
City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Aug, 2001.



Laurie Jones
Notary Public
State of Utah
County of Washington

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