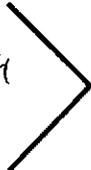


IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 67321
FILED BY Vidler Water Company
ON 3/12, 2001, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF basin 184



PROTEST

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Comes now Toiyabe Chapter Sierra Club
whose post office address is PO Box 8096, Reno, NV 89507
Printed or typed name of protestant
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code
whose occupation is _____ and protests the granting
of Application Number 67321, filed on 3/12, 2001
by Vidler Water Company to appropriate the
waters of basin 184 situated in White Pine Co
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:

- 1) loss of unique plant communities
- 2) extirpation of natural surface waters
- 3) loss of existing economic uses in Spring Valley
- 4) loss of future economic uses in Spring Valley
see letter of 8/12/01 attached

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 Ellen F. Pillard
Agent or protestant

ELLEN F. PILLARD
Printed or typed name, if agent

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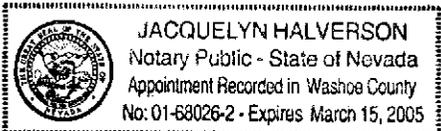
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 2001

Jacquelyn Halverson
Notary Public

State of Nevada

County of Washoe

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