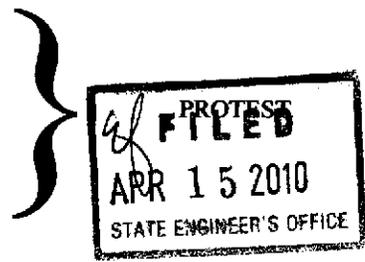


IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 79277
FILED BY Southern Nevada Water Authority
ON Jan 28, 20 10, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF Dry lake valley in Lincoln County Nv.



Comes now Pete T. Delmue
Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is HC. Box 400 Pioche Nv. 89043
Street No. or PO Box, City, State and ZIP Code

whose occupation is rancher and protests the granting

of Application Number 79277, filed on Jan. 28, 20 10

by Southern Nevada Water Authority 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:
granting these applications will conflict existing water rights that we own or have a partnership in.
application numbers 5200 - 18756 - v01250 - v01134 - v01135

THEREFORE the Protestant requests that the application be Denied

and that an order be entered for such relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed Pete T. Delmue
Agent or protestant

Pete T. Delmue
Printed or typed name, if agent

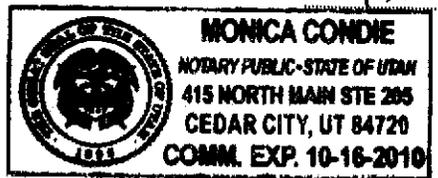
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775-962-1297
Phone Number

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of

April, 20 10



Monica Condie
Notary Public

State of Utah
County of Iron

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