

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

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IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 79325
FILED BY Southern Nevada Water Authority
ON January 28, 20 10, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF Underground Railroad Valley)

PROTEST

Comes now NORMAN K SHARP DBA SHARP RANCHE
Printed or typed name of protestant

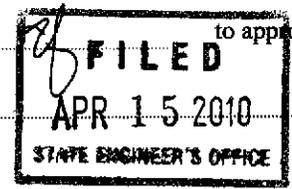
whose post office address is HC 76 Box 900 TONOPAH NV 89049
Street No. or PO Box, City, State and ZIP Code

whose occupation is RANCHER and protests the granting

of Application Number 79325, filed on January 28, 20 10

by Southern Nevada Water Authority to appropriate the

waters of Underground Railroad Valley) situated in Nye
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:

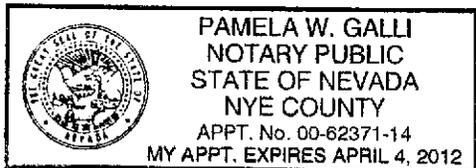
The protestant is the holder of numerous vested, certified, permitted and pending water rights from both surface and underground sources in the vicinity of this application. The granting of a permit under this application would adversely affect the protestants prior and existing rights. In addition the application is near the BLM grazing allotment controlled by the protestant and would adversely affect normal grazing operations. The proposed application conflicts with protectible interests in existing irrigation, stock water and domestic wells. The proposed application threatens to prove detrimental to the public interest.

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 Norman K Sharp
Agent or protestant
NORMAN K SHARP
Printed or typed name, if agent
Address HC 76 Box 900
Street No. or PO Box
TONOPAH NV 89049
City, State and ZIP Code
775. 863. 0349
Phone Number

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of April, 20 10



Pamela W. Galli
Notary Public
State of Nevada
County of Nye

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