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

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 80206
FILED BY Phillip Geertson
ON October 14, 20 10, TO APPROPRIATE THE
WATERS OF Star Creek

PROTEST

FILED
OCT 25 2010
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Comes now Bureau of Land Management (BLM)
Printed or typed name of protestant

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

whose occupation is _____ and protests the granting

of Application Number 80206, filed on October 14, 20 10

by Phillip Geertson to appropriate the

waters of Star Creek situated in Pershing
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 applicant, Phillip Geertson, is intending to divert waters at a point which is located on land managed by the BLM. Additionally, the waters, as described in application #80206, are to be diverted through and put to use on land managed by the BLM. While the applicant has submitted mining claims located within the same quarter section as the place of use described in application #80206, the applicant has not obtained permission (right of way) from the BLM for works related to the diversion and use of water.

THEREFORE the Protestant requests that the application be Denied until further notice.
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 [signature]
Agent or protestant

Michael Truden, Agent
Printed or typed name, if agent

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775-623-1500
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22ND day of Oct, 20 10
by Michael Truden as Field Manager of the BLM Humboldt River Field Office.

T. SPERO
Notary Public - State of Nevada
Appointment Recorded in Humboldt County
No: 94-1226-9 - Expires January 8, 2014

[signature]
Notary Public

State of Nevada
County of Humboldt

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