

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR)
A WELL DRILLER'S LICENSE FILED ON) R U L I N G
APRIL 4, 1974, BY V. LOUIS JOHNSON,)
WINNEMUCCA, HUMBOLDT COUNTY, NEVADA.)

GENERAL:

An application for a Nevada Well Driller's license was received in this office on April 4, 1974, with the statutory \$25.00 filing fee from V. Louis Johnson, 440 Parkview Drive, Winnemucca, Nevada 89445. Receipt No. 3873 for the \$25.00 fee was issued on April 4, 1974 to Ann Johnson, 440 Parkview Drive, Winnemucca, Nevada 89445.

Requests for references were forwarded to five (5) persons as listed in the application on April 4, 1974. Three (3) responses were received to the requests for reference.

The applicant was advised by certified mail dated May 24, 1974 that a time was set on the agenda to appear for an oral interview before the Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board at the regular meeting scheduled for June 7, 1974. By this letter, notice was given that the Advisory Board requires at least four (4) satisfactory references from persons having knowledge of the applicant's ability and experience as a well driller. The applicant failed to appear as scheduled for the regular meeting on June 7, 1974.

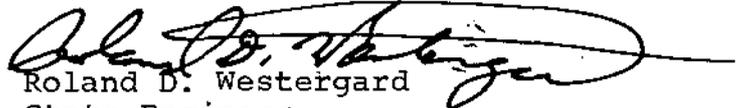
The applicant was again advised by certified mail dated August 22, 1974 that a time was set on the agenda for him to appear for an oral interview before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board at the regular meeting scheduled for September 6, 1974. By this letter, the applicant was again given notice that the Advisory Board requires at least four (4) satisfactory references from persons having knowledge of his ability and experience as a well driller. The applicant was also requested to submit the names of at least two additional persons for reference. The applicant failed to appear as scheduled before the Advisory Board and failed to submit additional names for reference.

The Advisory Board recommended denial of the application by V. Louis Johnson as it appears that he is no longer interested.

RULING:

The application for a Nevada well driller's license filed by V. Louis Johnson is herewith denied on the grounds that the applicant failed to submit the required number of satisfactory references and failed to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board for an oral interview and, therefore, it cannot be determined that the applicant has sufficient knowledge and experience to qualify as a well driller.

Respectfully submitted,


Roland D. Westergard
State Engineer

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Dated this 24th day of
September, 1974.