OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR A WELL DRILLER'S LICENSE FILED BY BRIAN BAILEY.	)))	**RULING**

 # 6007

FINDING OF FACT

An application for a Nevada Well Driller's License was filed by Brian Bailey in the office of the State Engineer on December 9, 2008, together with the statutory filing fee.[1]

Requests for four references were mailed on December 9, 2008. Responses were received from all of the requests. The Applicant was notified January7, 2008, to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on February 5, 2009, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City, Nevada. The applicant passed Part I of the written examination with a score of 79, but failed Part II of the examination, identification of a well location on a map.[2]

The Applicant was notified on April 10, 2009, by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on May 7, 2009, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City. The applicant passed Part I of the written examination with a score of 76, but failed Part II of the examination, identification of a well location on a map.[3]

The Applicant was notified on July 17, 2009, by certified mail to appear before the Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board on August 14, 2009, at 8:00 a.m. in Carson City. The applicant canceled this appointment by phone..[4] The Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board recommended denial of the application of Brian Bailey on August 14, 2009.

CONCLUSION

The State Engineer concludes that the Applicant failed to pass all three portions of the examination as required in the NAC § 534.282 (1) (g), (2) (b) and NAC § 534.286, within the timeframe provided for under NAC §534.280 (3).

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[1] Well Driller License file is public record in the office of the State Engineer.
[2] Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board minutes of Meeting 1-2009, February 5, 2009, filed in well driller license file.
[3] Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board minutes of Meeting 2-2009, May 8, 2009,, filed in well driller license file.
[4] Statewide Well Drillers' Advisory Board minutes of Meeting 1-2009, August 13, 2009, filed in well driller license file.

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The State Engineer concurs with the recommendation of the Statewide Well Driller's Advisory Board and the application of Brian Bailey is herewith denied on the grounds that the Applicant failed to substantiate his experience and ability as a water well driller.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracy Taylor, P.E.
State Engineer

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Dated this 2nd day

of September, 2009.