

**APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF  
DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE  
PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA  
HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED**

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office JAN 29 1999

Returned to applicant for correction \_\_\_\_\_

Corrected application filed \_\_\_\_\_

Map filed MAR 26 1997

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The applicant **Sierra Pacific Power Company**, hereby makes application for permission to change the **Point of Diversion, Place and Manner of Use of a portion** of water heretofore appropriated under **Claim No. 215** of the **Truckee River Decree**, said Decree entered by the District Court of the United States for Nevada in that certain action entitled, "**The United States of America vs. Orr Water Ditch Company, et al., Defendants**", in Equity Docket A-3

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1. The source of water is **the Truckee River**
2. The amount of water to be changed **18.08 afa and a prorata share of the diversion rate**
3. The water to be used for **Municipal and Domestic**
4. The water heretofore permitted for **as Decreed**
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point **The points of diversion of Sierra's existing water treatment plants as described as described in the attached Exhibit "A" and shown on the map supporting Application No. 58882 on file with the Division of Water Resources, State of Nevada.**
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within **NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Section 19, T.19N., R.19E., MDM, or at a point from which the NW corner of Section 20, T.19N., R.19E., MDM, bears South 88°05' East, a distnace of 2620.0 feet. Lake Ditch per Orr Ditch Decree.**
7. Proposed place of use **See attached Exhibit "B" as described in Application No. 62141 and shown on the map accompanying said application on file with the Division of Water Resources, State of Nevada.**
8. Existing place of use **within the NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> (2.79 acres) and the SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> (1.73 acres) of Section 1, T.18N., R.19E., MDM, 4.52 acres total. This application strips the water rights appurtenant to APN's 43-251-06, 43-262-14, and 43-263-02, shown on State of Nevada, Division of Water Resources' Drawing No. TR-016.**
9. Use will be from **January 1 to December 31** of each year.
10. Use was permitted from **As Decreed.**
11. Description of proposed works **Water will be diverted by existing SPPCo. facilities, treated and place into the existing distribution system.**
12. Estimated cost of works **Completed**
13. Estimated time required to construct works **Completed**
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use **10 years**

15. Remarks: **This application transfers 18.08 acre feet for Sierra Pacific Power Company, pursuant to the chain of title.**

By Deborah G. Sotero, Sierra Pacific Power Company  
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Compared jr/nsr dl/bk

Protested by Churchill County 4/16/99, wdn 06/21/99

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APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit to change the point of diversion, place of use and manner of use of a portion of the waters of the Truckee River as heretofore granted under Claim 215, Truckee River Final Decree is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said decree and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. A suitable measuring device must be installed and accurate measurements of water placed to beneficial use must be kept.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

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The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 0.0504 cubic feet per second, but not to exceed 18.08 acre-feet as decreed.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

N/A

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before:

N/A

Water must be placed to beneficial use on or before:

August 11, 2009

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

September 11, 2009

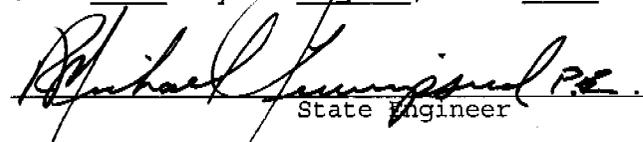
Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

N/A

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set  
my hand and the seal of my office,

this 11th day of August, A.D. 1999

  
State Engineer

Completion of work filed N/A

Proof of beneficial use filed \_\_\_\_\_

Cultural map filed \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Issued \_\_\_\_\_