

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

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 76745  
FILED BY Kobah Valley Ranch LLC  
ON 2/13 2008 TO APPROPRIATE THE  
WATERS OF Underground Source

PROTEST

FILED  
APR 17 2008  
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Comes now Cedar Ranches LLC  
whose post office address is PO Box 942, 511 W. Robins, Eureka, NV 89316  
whose occupation is Geologist and protests the granting  
of Application Number 76745, filed on 2/13 2008  
by Kobah Valley Ranch LLC to appropriate the  
waters of underground source situated in Eureka

County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:

There is no geologic and/or hydrologic evidence that the quantity of water that General Moly, Inc and its subsidiaries, including Kobeh Valley Ranch LLC, are intending to mine in the region exists. If the State Engineer issues water permits to General Moly, Inc. or anyone else to mine water in the region, he will be repeating the mistake made when the former State Engineer over allocated water permits in Diamond Valley. The over allocation of water permits has resulted in the destruction of natural springs, ponds, marshes and other riparian habitats in the region. This over allocation by the State Engineer is still causing desertification of Diamond Valley as the water table continues to drop. Furthermore, new geologic data collected by Cedar Strat over a period of more than 20 years at great cost (tens of millions of dollars) clearly shows that the eastern Great Basin carbonate aquifer groundwater system of Kobeh, Diamond, and Pine valleys and other valleys of the region are interconnected. Giving General Moly, Inc. a license to mine water in Kobeh Valley will aggravate the over allocation of water permits in Diamond Valley.

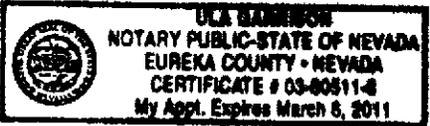
THEREFORE the Protestant requests that the application be Denied  
and that an order be entered for such relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed [Signature]  
Agent or protestant  
Alan K. Chamberlain, Apes.

Address PO Box 942 511 W. Robins St  
Eureka, NV 89316

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 2008  
Wla Harrison  
Notary Public

State of Nevada  
County of Eureka



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