

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION 31253)
FILED BY M. J. DiBIASE, DBA)
EQUESTRIAN COOPERATIVE WATER)
ASSOCIATION TO APPROPRIATE THE)
WATERS OF AN UNDERGROUND SOURCE)
LOCATED IN CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA)

R U L I N G

GENERAL:

On February 11, 1977, a map to support an application to appropriate the waters of the State of Nevada was received in this office via mail in a standard mailing tube used to mail mylar tracings. The map was submitted on behalf of M. J. DiBiase, dba Equestrian Estate Cooperative Water Association. Receipt of the map was made on the records of the State Engineer's office and as is standard procedure, the map was held pending receipt of the application to appropriate and filing fee. On March 29, 1977, the application and filing fee were discovered attached to the outside of the map mailing tube and were in fact received on February 11, 1977, the same day as the mylar tracing supporting said application.

RULING:

This ruling will serve as a finding and notice that the priority date of Application 31253 is established as February 11, 1977.

Respectfully submitted,


Roland D. Westergard
State Engineer

RDW/DMB/dc

Dated this _____ 8th _____

day of April _____, 1977.