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PROTEST

Application 9247 Permit No. 5392

I, TRUCKEE-CARSON IRRIGATION DISTRICT 152 North Main Street
of Fallon, Nevada Name of protestant have read carefully a copy
of, or a notice relative to Application 9247 of Sierra Pacific Power Company
Post-office address of protestant State name of applicant
AS APPROPRIATION TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION
at a point from Truckee River to two additional points in Sec. 31, T 19 N, R 18 E and
Sec. 16, T 19 N, R 19 E.
Name the source
Describe location of applicant's point of diversion

It is desired to protest against the approval thereof because to the best of OUR information and belief the
proposed appropriation will result in injury to us as follows: It will result in the loss of water
due to additional transportation and evaporation losses and will reduce the amount
of return flow into the Truckee River.
My or our
Me or us
State the injury which will result to you

Protestant claims a right to the use of water from the source from which applicant proposes to divert, which
right is based upon the Truckee River Decree and appropriations made of Truckee River
waters in 1903.
Prior application, notice posted or we began prior to December 15, 1914; riparian claim, etc.

The extent of present and past use of water by protestant or his predecessors in interest from this source is as
follows: for the irrigation of lands on the Newlands Project, for domestic and fire
prevention uses and for the generation of power.
State approximate date first use made, amount used, time of year when diversion is made, the use to which water is put

Where is your diversion point located? NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section 19,
T. 20 N, R. 23 E, M. D. B. & M.
Describe location with sufficient accuracy that position thereof relative to that
of applicant may be determined

This protest may be disregarded and dismissed if the Sierra Pacific Power Company will
install and maintain adequate water measuring and recording devices at the out-let
to Independence Lake and their points of Diversion
State conditions which will relieve protest

A true copy of this protest has been served upon the applicant. By Registered Mail
Personally or by mail

Date March 11, 1955

Truckee Carson Irrig Dis
H. P. [Signature]
Protestant sign here

NOTE.—Protests must be filed within the time allowed by the Division as stated in the published notice relative to an application or such further
time as may be allowed.

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NOTE

A concise and definite statement of the grounds of protest is desired. This statement should take the form indicated on the blanks on the reverse side of this sheet. Additional information may be added below if there is insufficient space in the blanks, or data not pertinent to those blanks, but insofar as practicable it is desired that protests follow the printed form.

The supply of water to the Newlands Project from the Truckee River during the irrigation season depends to a considerable extent on the amount of return flow reaching the River from water used in Washoe County. During years of moderate or limited water supply the amount of this return flow is not sufficient to provide the full supply for the Newlands Project. Any change in the diversion in the Reno area is apt to effect this return flow.

The Truckee-Carson Irrigation District does not protest the use by the Sierra Pacific Power Company of their own privately stored water if the power company will install and maintain proper measuring devices at the outlet to Independence Lake and their points of diversions on the Truckee River, so that an accurate and reliable record can be kept of these flows, and copies of the records furnished to the protestant, the TRUCKEE-CARSON IRRIGATION DISTRICT.

Under the provisions of the Truckee River Agreement privately stored water must be transported without loss so that with more diversion points for the Independence Lake Water, the loss that always results from the transportation and storing of water would, of necessity, come out of the other waters of the Truckee River.

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