

STATE OF CALIFORNIA—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES  
STATE ENGINEER

ORDER

APPLICATION 10150

PERMIT 5785

LICENSE 2656

ORDER ALLOWING CHANGE IN CHARACTER OF USE

Licensee having established to the satisfaction of the State Engineer that the change in character of use under Application 10150, Permit 5785, License 2656 for which petition was submitted on December 22, 1949, will not operate to the injury of any other legal user of water, the State Engineer so finds, and

IT IS ORDERED that permission be and the same is hereby granted to change the character of use under said Application 10150, Permit 5785, License 2656 to read as follows to-wit:

RECREATIONAL AND FIRE PROTECTION USES

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Department of Public Works of the State of California this *24<sup>th</sup>* day of January, 1950.

EDWARD HYATT, STATE ENGINEER

By *A. D. Edmonston*  
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Assistant State Engineer



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STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
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License for Diversion and Use of Water

LICENSE 2656 PERMIT 5785 APPLICATION 10150

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That **United States - Tahoe National Forest  
Nevada City, California**

as of August 18, 1943 (the date  
of inspection)

has made proof to the satisfaction of the Division  
of Water Resources of California of a right to the use of the waters of **King Woolford Spring in Nevada County**

tributary of **Steepphollow Creek thence Bear River**

for the purpose of **stockwatering use** Amended by order of 1-24-50  
under Permit **5785** of the Division of Water Resources and that said right to the use of said waters has  
been perfected in accordance with the laws of California, the rules and regulations of the Division of Water Resources  
and the terms of the said permit; that the priority of the right herein confirmed dates from **March 22, 1941;**

that the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes aforesaid, is limited  
to the amount actually beneficially used for said purposes and shall not exceed **six hundred (600) gallons**  
per day from about April 1 to about December 1 of each season.

This license is based on the use of water made during the year 1943 which was the  
year of maximum use within the three year period preceding the date of inspection;  
namely, August 18, 1943.

The point of diversion of such water is located North, four hundred (400) feet and East,  
forty (40) feet from the SW corner of Section 11, T 16 N, R 10 E, M.D.B.&M., being  
within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of said Section 11.

A description of the lands or the place where such water is put to beneficial use is as follows:

Stockwatering within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 11, T 16 N, R 10 E, M.D.B.&M.

The Water Commission Act was superseded by the Water Code on August 4, 1943.  
By force of the provisions of the latter, all references in this form to the  
Division of Water Resources will be understood to mean the Department of Public  
Works acting by and through the State Engineer.

All rights and privileges under this license including method of diversion, method of use and quantity of water  
diverted are subject to the continuing authority of the Division of Water Resources in accordance with law and in the  
interest of the public welfare to prevent waste, unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use or unreasonable method of  
diversion of said water.

Reports shall be filed promptly by licensee on appropriate forms which will be provided for the purpose from  
time to time by the Division of Water Resources.

The right to the diversion and use of the water aforesaid hereby confirmed is restricted to the point of  
diversion herein specified and to the lands or place of use herein described.

This license is granted and licensee accepts all rights herein confirmed subject to the following provisions of the Water Code:

Section 1625. Each license shall be in such form and contain such terms as may be prescribed by the department.

Section 1626. All licenses shall be under the terms and conditions of this division (of the Water Code).

Section 1627. A license shall be effective for such time as the water actually appropriated under it is used for a useful and beneficial purpose in conformity with this division (of the Water Code) but no longer.

Section 1628. Every license shall include the enumeration of conditions therein which in substance shall include all of the provisions of this article and the statement that any appropriator of water to whom a license is issued takes the license subject to the conditions therein expressed.

Section 1629. Every licensee, if he accepts a license, does so under the conditions precedent that no value whatsoever in excess of the actual amount paid to the State therefor shall at any time be assigned to or claimed for any license granted or issued under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), or for any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), in respect to the regulation by any competent public authority of the services or the price of the services to be rendered by any licensee or by the holder of any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code) or in respect to any valuation for purposes of sale to or purchase, whether through condemnation proceedings or otherwise, by the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or any political subdivision of the State, of the rights and property of any licensee, or the possessor of any rights granted, issued, or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code).

Section 1630. At any time after the expiration of twenty years after the granting of a license, the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or any political subdivision of the State shall have the right to purchase the works and property occupied and used under the license and the works built or constructed for the enjoyment of the rights granted under the license.

Section 1631. In the event that the State, or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or political subdivision of the State so desiring to purchase and the owner of the works and property can not agree upon the purchase price, the price shall be determined in such manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law for determining the value of property taken in eminent domain proceedings.

FORM 64-A

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Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Public Works of the State of California, this 1st day of June, 1944

EDWARD HYATT  
State Engineer

By Harold Conkling  
Deputy State Engineer.



LICENSE 2656

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

LICENSE  
TO APPROPRIATE WATER

ISSUED TO U. S. Tahoe National Forest

DATED June 1, 1944

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