STATE OF CALIFORNIA—STATE WATER RIGHTS BOARD

License for Diversion and Use of Water

APPLICATION 16844 PERMIT 10744 LICENSE 6898

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, *That* Walter Selby McCreery dba McCreery Ranch
Tres Pinos, California

Notice of Change (Over)

has made proof as of July 29, 1959,
(the date of inspection) to the satisfaction of the State Water Rights Board of a right to the use of the water of
4 unnamed streams (1, 2, 3 and 5) and Canada de la Lagunita (4), all in San Benito County
tributary to (1 and 5) Las Aguilas Creek (2 and 3) Canada de la Lagunita (4) Las Aguilas Creek

for the purpose of stockwatering use
under Permit 10744 *of the State Water Rights Board and that said right to the use of said water has been perfected in accordance with the laws of California, the Rules and Regulations of the State Water Rights Board and the terms of the said permit; that the priority of the right herein confirmed dates from* January 23, 1956,
and 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 ten and seven tenths (10.7) acre-feet per annum to be collected from about September 1 of each year to about April 30 of the succeeding year as follows:

(1) 1.7 acre-feet per annum
(2) 2.3 acre-feet per annum
(3) 2.6 acre-feet per annum
(4) 3.0 acre-feet per annum
(5) 1.1 acre-feet per annum

The points of diversion of such water are *located* :

(1) Center Valley Reservoir - Due north two hundred (200) feet from SE corner of projected Section 9, T14S, R8E, MDB&M, being within SE¼ of SE¼ of said projected Section 9.
(2) Libby Reservoir - Due north nine hundred (900) feet from SE corner of projected Section 22, T14S, R8E, MDB&M, being within SE¼ of SE¼ of said projected Section 22.
(3) Rattlesnake Reservoir - Due west four thousand five hundred (4500) feet from SE corner of projected Section 22, T14S, R8E, MDB&M, being within SW¼ of SW¼ of said projected Section 22.
(4) Lame Bull Reservoir - Due south two thousand five hundred (2500) feet from NW corner of projected Section 27, T14S, R8E, MDB&M, being within SW¼ of NW¼ of said projected Section 27.
(5) Coyote Hills Reservoir - South one thousand nine hundred (1900) feet and west nine hundred (900) feet from NE corner of projected Section 14, T14S, R8E, MDB&M, being within SE¼ of NE¼ of said projected Section 14.

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

At reservoirs described above.

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 State Water Rights Board 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 State Water Rights Board.

The right hereby confirmed to the diversion and use of water is restricted to the point or points 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 board.

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 cannot 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.

Dated: JUL 1 8 1963

L. K. Hill

L. K. Hill
Executive Officer

2-25-75 ~~RECEIVED NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT TO~~ Las Alamos Cattle Company

8-7-81 Assgd to Las Aguilas Corporation

LICENSE 6898

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LICENSE TO APPROPRIATE WATER

ISSUED TO Walter Selby McCreery dba McCreery Ranch

DATED JUL 1 8 1963

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