



State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

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Ronald Paice
P.O. Box 548
Beaver, UT 84713

Re: Cease Use Order

Dear Mr. Paice:

On January 11, 1996, you were issued an order from this office to cease the use of water under water right number 71-1658. This order was issued because of your failure to pay your assessment on the Milford Area Distribution System. As of May 1, 1996, your account number 33-6c is delinquent in the amount of \$351.40. The order to cease the use of water is in effect until your delinquent assessment account is paid in full.

On April 23, 1996, an inspection was made of your farm. At this inspection, photographs were taken showing your wells and irrigation equipment in operation. **This is in violation of the cease use order.**

If full payment is not received within 10 days, representatives of this office will visit your farm to enforce the order by shutting your pump off and placing a tag on the control box to show it is under regulation by the State Engineer's Office. The tag may be removed and the pump re-started only after full payment of the assessment. Tampering with the tag and re-starting the well is a misdemeanor and could be prosecuted.

If this action does not resolve the delinquency, we will pursue collection of the account through the court system. According to state law, you will be responsible for all legal costs involved.

If you have any questions concerning this notice, please contact Lee Sim, Assistant State Engineer for Distribution, at 538-7380.

Sincerely,

Robert L. Morgan, P.E.
State Engineer

cc: § Lee Sim
§ John Mabey
§ Kerry Carpenter
§ Keith James

