

Water Right Number 1662-2

1. Considered MAY 24, 19 79
2. Name of Applicant H. DONALD PUTNAM
3. Post Office Address CEL RICHES, SD NW 4 NW 4 - well
7-11 S. - 8 E
4. Amount of water claimed .03
5. Source of water supply 22' DEEP WELL
6. Water to be used for LIVESTOCK WATERING
~~Acres to be irrigated~~ NON-PROFIT GROUP
7. Water to be diverted and used in FALL RIVER County
about 4 ~~1/2~~ Miles SOUTH of CEL RICHES
8. Proof of Publication
Received 5-11-79
Not received _____
9. Application
Approved 5-24-79
Subject to —
Not approved _____
Action deferred _____
10. Remarks:

Map No. 1425-2 Water Division No. 2 SOUTH CHEYENNE RIVER
 (Blanks to be filled by the Engineer for the W. R. C.)



APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

To Appropriate Water within the State of South Dakota

(NOTE: Draw a box through items not applicable)

1. Name of Applicant H. Donald Putnam
 Postoffice address Delrichs State South Dakota
 If a corporation show date and place of incorporation non-profit organization
2. Method of accomplishing work (contract, employment of others, or by direct labor) direct labor and employment of other
3. Name of diversion work Putnam Group Pipeline
4. Amount of water claimed (cubic feet per second) 15 gpm
5. Source of water supply shallow well
6. Location of point of diversion well is located 32 rods east and 32 rods south of NW corner of section 7, T11S, R8E, Fall River County, South Dakota
 County Fall River
7. Annual period or periods during which water is to be used year around
8. Use to be made of water. (irrigation, industrial, municipal, commercial, recreation, etc.) livestock water only
9. ~~irrigation~~ livestock water only Total number of acres to be irrigated _____

List below each forty-acre subdivision, or lot, or fraction thereof and show number of acres to be irrigated in each.

Land Description	No. Acres Irr.	Land Description	No. Acres Irr.

Attach sheet if more space is needed

10. Time required to complete construction of water supply system 3 years. Additional time required to complete application of water to the proposed beneficial use 2 years.
11. Choice of newspaper for Notice of Intent to Appropriate Water publication Hot Springs Star
12. Principal Features of the Proposed Water Supply System.

A. Works proposed to divert water from its natural source.

About 36 miles of livestock pipeline will be installed from this existing well to serve six group members and around 20,000 acres of grassland

B. Works proposed to transport water to place of use

Pipeline and pressure system

C. Works proposed to apply water to beneficial use.

Pipeline and pressure system

Estimated Total Cost: \$ 114,000.00

Attachments: Attach Form 2A if diversion from a well or dugout, or if storage of water is proposed. Attach map (See instructions concerning preparation.)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)

) ss.

County of Fall River)

I, Donald Putnam, the applicant, certify that I have read the foregoing application and have examined the attached map and that the matters therein stated are true and that I intend, and am able to complete the necessary construction

Signed Donald PutnamSubscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of April 19 78Clara M. Gray

Notary Public (or other qualified officer)

WATER RIGHT APPLICATION APPROVAL

The Water Resources Commission hereby approves Water Right Application No. 1662-2

H. DONALD PUTNAM
(Applicant)

OELRICHS
(Post Office Address)

SOUTH DAKOTA 57763
(State)

With the following modifications:

Date of first receipt of application APRIL 27 19 79

Date of return to applicant for correction, amendments or changes required _____ 19 _____

Date of receipt of corrected application _____ 19 _____

Approved MAY 24 19 79 Recorded in Book 20 Page 324

WATER RIGHT PERMIT NO. 1662-2

The Water Resources Commission hereby grants and issues this Water Right Permit No. 1662-2 authorizing the construction of the water use system and the putting of water to beneficial use as stated in the Application and as modified in the Water Right Application approval, subject, however, to the following limitations and conditions:

1. The date from which applicant may claim right is APRIL 27 19 79
2. The equivalent of at least one-fifth of the work above specified is to be completed on or before NOVEMBER 24 19 80
3. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before MAY 24 19 82
4. The limit of time from proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is MAY 24 19 84
5. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of LIVESTOCK WATER ONLY

6. The prior right of all persons who, by compliance with the laws of the State of South Dakota, have acquired a right to the use of water must not be injuriously affected by this appropriation.

7. The amount of the appropriation herein granted shall not exceed .03 cubic feet per second, neither shall it exceed the capacity of the above described water supply system, nor shall it exceed the amount of water needed for ~~irrigation and if for the irrigation purpose and appropriation must be limited to not more than 7 acre-ft per second and for feed or not more than one acre-ft per second of time for each acre of land to which water is~~
USED FOR WATERING LIVESTOCK
actually and beneficially ~~Applied for irrigation~~ on or before MAY 24 19 84 said water to be used during the following prescribed annual period: CONTINUOUSLY

Witness my hand this 1ST day of JUNE 19 79

WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

By:

John Hatch
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

Certificate of Construction Issued _____ 19 _____

Water License Issued _____ 19 _____

DATE RECEIVED

12. Principal Features of the Proposed Water Supply System (continued.)

D. Well Information or Estimates

- (1) Drill Hole, Diameter 36 inches, Depth 35 feet
- (2) Casing, Type concrete Diameter 36 inches Thickness 3 inches
(wood, concrete, steel, etc)
- (3) Perforated Screen.
- Type porus tile, Diameter _____, Length _____
- (4) Gravel Pack, thickness _____, length of gravel pack _____

E. Dugout Information or Estimates.

- (1) Surface dimensions _____, Depth _____

F. Fill out for Either a Well or a Dugout.

- (1) Water Bearing Materials. (Please attach a copy to test well log if available.) NOTE: this well was dug 20 years ago and well log isn't available.

Character of Water bearing materials _____

The depth to the producing aquifer is 20 feet from the surface, the aquifer is 18 inches thick and is a coarse gravel layer. The static water level is 14 feet from the surface. This well has been test pumped. It is capable of producing 25 gpm.

Depth to top of water bearing material 20 feet

Depth to bottom of water bearing material 21 1/2 feet

Thickness of water bearing material 1 1/2 feet

Depth to water (ground surface to water level) 14 feet

- (2) Distance to nearest existing household or livestock watering wells.

On same owner's property 140 rds. On property owned by others 180 rds.

G. Water Storage Dams.

If the proposed water use system contains one or more water storage dams, please show in the space below, the height, maximum water depth, surface area and storage capacity of each storage dam. The location of each water storage dam should be shown on the water right map.

Donald Putnam
Signature of Applicant
Donald Putnam, Chairman
Putnam Group Pipeline

NOTE: This Putnam Group is a non-profit organization.

No. 1662-2

Publish first publication, on or before May 3, 1979

NOTICE OF HEARING ON
APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Pierre, South Dakota 57501

April 27, 1979

Notice is hereby given that H. Donald Putnam whose post office address is Oelrichs, South Dakota, has made an application in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 46-1-1 thru 46-1-9, 46-1-14; 46-2-9 thru 46-2-11, 46-2-13; 46-5-1 thru 46-5-8; 46-5-10 thru 46-5-22, 46-5-41; 46-6-3, 46-6-3.1, 46-6-5, 46-6-6.1, 46-6-10, 46-6-14 and Commission Rules ARD 52:01:01:01 thru 52:01:01:13, for a permit to appropriate for beneficial use .03 cubic feet of water per second of time from groundwater (ore well) through the Putnam Group Pipeline, the point(s) of diversion of which is(are) to be located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4

of Section 7, Twp. 11 S, Range 8 E. Said water to be used for ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ providing ~~XX~~

water supplies for livestock purposes

This Application No. 1662-2 will be considered by the Water Rights Commission at Howard Johnson's Motel
2211 Lacrosse; Rapid City, SD 57701 upon the 24th day of May 1979

at 10 A.M. The Commission is authorized to make a determination on this application at the hearing. All interested persons may appear and be heard. Any person who may be affected by a Commission decision who desires to present evidence or cross-examine witnesses according to SDCL 1-26 may notify the Commission in writing prior to the hearing or orally at the hearing.

This hearing is an adversary proceeding. Any person has the right to be present or to be represented by a lawyer. These and other due process rights will be forfeited if they are not exercised at the hearing. Decisions of the Commission may be appealed to the Courts as provided by law.

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

BETTY WESTLAND

Water Rights Specialist

cc: H. Donald Putnam
Oelrichs, SD 57763

No. 1662-2

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
County Fall River) ss.

I, Charles Najacht hereby
certify that the annexed printed copy of Notice of Intent to Appropriate

Water was taken from the Hot Springs Star

A newspaper which, during the whole time of publication of said notice
herein after stated, has been and is printed and published in the

City of Hot Springs

County of Fall River and State of South Dakota;
that the said notice was published in said newspaper on the following
two dates:

May 2 and May 9, 1979

Charles Najacht
(Signature)

Publisher
(Title)

May 10, 1979
(Date Signed)

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ON APPLICATION TO
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Pierre, South Dakota 57501
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46-2-9 thru 46-2-11, 46-2-13
46-5-1 thru 46-5-8; 46-5-10 thru
46-5-22, 46-5-41; 46-6-3, 46-6-3.1,
46-6-5, 46-6-6.1, 46-6-10, 46-6-14
and Commission Rules ARS
52:01:01:01 thru 52:01:01:13, for
a permit to appropriate for
beneficial use .03 cubic feet of
water per second of time from
groundwater (one well) through
the Putnam Group Pipeline, the
point of diversion of which is to
be located in the NW1/4NW1/4 of
Section 7, Twp. 11S, Range 8E.
Said water to be used for pro-
viding water supplies for live-
stock purposes.

This Application No. 1662-2 will
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Rights Commission at Howard
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WATER RIGHTS
COMMISSION
BETTY WESTLUND
Water Rights Specialist
May 2, 9



Form 10.

No. _____



NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS AND/OR
APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE

Post Office Oelrichs, S.D.
Date Feb 19, 1981

TO: Water Rights Commission
Joe Foss Building
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Dear Sirs:

This is to inform you that I have completed the construction of the water diversion system and/or that I have put the water to beneficial use to the maximum extent it is going to be used, not exceeding the amounts as specified in Water Right Permit No. 1662-2.

Water Right Permit No. 1662-2 states that the diversion system is to be constructed by May 24, 1982 and that the water is to be put to beneficial use by May 24, 1982.

The diversion system was completed on Jan 1, 1981.
Applying the water to beneficial use was completed on Jan 1, 1981.

You may schedule an inspection so that the Certificate of Construction and/or the Water License may be issued, thus completing my acquisition of a water right.

Putnam Group Pipeline
(Signature)
Donald E. Putnam

Permit No. 1662-2S. Cheyenne River Water District**Report Of Examination Of Works And/Or Application Of Water To Beneficial Use**

TO: Chief Engineer, Division of Water Rights, DWRN, Foss Bldg., Pierre, SD 57501

I have this day made a thorough examination of the water use system constructed by *Putnam Group Pipeline% Lyle Hald, Secretary of Rt #1, Box 5, Oelrichs, SD 57763 holder ofPermit No. 1662-2 bearing the priority of April 27 19 79 authorizingthe diversion of 0.03 cu. ft. per second of the waters of ground waterfor livestock purposes, in Fall River County.

I have to report on the conditions of the same as follows:

A. Works used to divert the water: A 35 foot deep well with 36 inch concrete casing. The well has a 3HP Valley 4 inch submersible pump that is capable of pumping 109pm. This is the third pump that has been installed in the well.

B. Works used to transport water to place of use:

Water is pumped into a 500 gal pressure tank. The pressure tank discharges into a 3 inch PVC mainline

C. Works used to apply water to beneficial use: Water is distributed to the various pastures thru 3 inch down to 1 inch pvc pipe. The system was constructed as shown on the application map.

The system is in the following condition goodThe point of diversion is located 528 feet east and 528 feet south of the NW corner of section 7, T11S, R8EThe works are capable of diverting and conveying to the place of use 0.02cu. ft. per second of water which is to be used for livestockWater has been put to beneficial use to the maximum extent as follows: location of pipelines as shown on the mapcomprising a total of — acres of land and the license should be issued for 0.02 cfsApplicable permit qualifications have been complied with — Yes — NoExceptions to compliance are — Date June 21, 1985

left log unavailable
issue license to H. Donald Putnam as he owns
the well and permit was issued in his name

Delwin D. Bragg, PE
 Hydrologist

LICENSE FOR PERMIT NUMBER 16614-2

1. Legal location of wells: 32 mi E and 23 mi S of Mt. Vernon
of Section 7 T14N R1E

dams & structures: _____

2. Well Information: Well Drilling Firm Bice Drilling Co. - Portland, OR

No. of wells 1 Depth 35 feet

Casing a) diameter 36 inches Screen a) type Open concrete
b) length 35 feet b) length _____
c) type concrete Static Water Level 14 feet

Pump a) make Valley Motor a) make _____
b) model _____ b) model no. _____
c) size 4 inch submersible c) horsepower rating 3
d) capacity 10 GPM d) motor efficiency rating _____
e) turbine pump
no. of stages _____

3. Distribution lines:

a) size of lines 3 inch - 1 inch
b) type PVC
c) length -

500 gal pressure tank
6- land owner's
- expenses based on
pasture acre

4. Dam information:

a) height to crest _____
b) height to spillway _____
c) crest width _____
d) crest length _____
e) spillway length _____
f) spillway width _____
g) approx. storage _____
h) Distribution lines or canals:
1) size _____
2) type _____
3) length _____

i) Outlet tubes:

1) diameter _____
2) type _____
3) valued (Y/N) _____
4) valve type _____
5) location on structure _____

5. System Type: a) sideroll:

1) length _____ feet
2) diameter of pipe _____
3) make, model & number of sprinklers _____
4) spacing of sprinklers _____
5) nozzle size _____

b) towline:

1) length _____ feet
2) make, model & number of sprinklers _____
3) spacing of sprinklers _____
4) nozzle size _____

5. System Type: c) center pivot

- 1) make _____
- 2) number of towers _____
- 3) distance between towers _____
- 4) overall length _____
- 5) End gun (I/N) _____
- 6) high or low pressure _____
- 7) make & size of nozzles _____
- 8) PSI reading while system is running _____
- 9) GPM _____

g) Gun

- 1) make _____
- 2) serial number _____
- 3) nozzle size _____
- 4) capacity (GPM) _____
- 5) PSI _____
- 6) hose size _____
- 7) hose length _____

d) Gate Pipe

- 1) length _____
- 2) diameter _____
- 3) spacing of gates _____

e) Siphons

- 1) number _____
- 2) size _____

f) Portable boom

- 1) make _____
- 2) serial number _____
- 3) nozzle size _____
- 4) capacity (GPM) _____
- 5) PSI _____

h) Hydromatic

- 1) make _____
- 2) model _____
- 3) serial number _____
- 4) length _____
- 5) nozzle size _____
- 6) spacing _____
- 7) PSI _____
- 8) capacity (GPM) _____

YES

NO

Check Items

- | | | |
|-------|-------|---|
| _____ | _____ | 1. Soil and water permit lands agree with lands being irrigated and lands listed on permit. |
| _____ | _____ | 2. Special Qualifications to permit being abided by. |
| _____ | _____ | 3. All Structures, wells and lands on map. |

REMARKS:

State of South Dakota
Water License No. 1662-2

(1) H. Donald Putnam
of Oelrichs, South Dakota
made Application No. 1662-2, April 27, 1979 for a water permit to appropriate
0.03 cubic feet per second of water from groundwater (one well)
Fall River County, South Dakota for livestock watering purposes.
Permit No. 1662-2, with a priority date of April 27, 1979
was approved May 24, 1979 and issued to applicant(s) for diversion of water with construction of the described
water supply system to be completed on or before May 24, 1982 and for the application to beneficial use of said
water on or before May 24, 1984.

and

(2) It is certified that the application has complied with the provisions of South Dakota State Law relating to completion of
the construction of the water supply system and is entitled to divert 0.02 cubic feet per second of water
for beneficial use. The location of the diversion point(s) is 528 ft E and 528 ft S of the NW Corner
of Section 7, T11S, R9E

and

(3) The applicant has complied with the provisions of South Dakota State Law relating to the application of water to beneficial use to the following extent, water is distributed through the pipeline to various
pastures for livestock watering purposes

(4) Pursuant to §46-5-30.1 H. Donald Putnam

of Oelrichs, South Dakota 57763

the holder(s) and/or owner(s) of Water Permit No. 1662-2 is issued a license to appropriate water, the right to use
0.02 cubic feet per second of water from groundwater (one well) with a priority date
of April 27, 1979 from the location specified in (2) of this license. The water to be
conducted to and upon lands specified in (3) of this license for the purpose of livestock watering

This license is subject to any limitations or qualifications listed in Water Permit No. 1662-2 and subject
to South Dakota State Law.

John Hatch
Chief Engineer, Water Rights Division
Department of Water and Natural Resources

JOHN HATCH

DEC 20 1985

SOUTH DAKOTA
Department of
Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Division of Water Rights
605 773-3352

No. 1662-2

June 25, 1985

Putnam Group Pipeline
c/o Lyle Hald
Route #1, Box 5
Oelrichs, South Dakota 57763

Dear Sir:

The inspection of your water use system and inspection of the extent of the application of water to beneficial use, as developed under your Water Right No. 1662-2 has been completed. Your final water right document, the Water License, can now be issued.

Statutes require that we charge a \$50.00 fee for the inspection and issuing of the Water License. Upon receipt of the \$50.00 fee from you, your Water License will be sent to you.

South Dakota Water Law 46-5-30.1 requires that a permit holder may not divert water until this \$50.00 license fee has been paid. Please contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Maxine Stirling
Staff Assistant

ms/

NOTE: On form of payment, please include the number of the water permit. This insures proper handling of the fee.

RECEIPT

Division of Water Rights

No 4 10096

South Dakota Department of Water and Natural Resources

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Pierre, July 1, 1915

RECEIVED OF Putnam Group Pipeline, Lyle Hald, Treas. RR 1 Box 5 Oelrichs, SD 57763
the following amount in fees for services rendered as provided for by law:

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, to construct works and to put water to beneficial use _____		
Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water for Future Use _____		
Fee to retain Future Use Permit No. _____ after period of seven years.		
Fee for Inspecting Constructed Works, confirming beneficial use and issuing Water License No. 1662-2	50	00
Fee for Filing Transfer Form _____		
Fee for Filing Extension Request _____		
Fee for Certified Copy of _____		
Fee for Print Copy of Map _____		
Fee for Certifying _____		
Fee for _____		
(Any Other Work Provided by Law)	Total	50 00

By John Hatch
Chief Engineer JOHN HATCH, S.D.

Water Rights Division - DWR

File No. 1662-2

Conversation or File Documentation

NAME OF PERSON ~~=====~~: Lyle Held
 ADDRESS: Oelrichs, SD COUNTY _____
 DATE: September 10, 1985 TELEPHONE 535-6343
 RE: name to be placed on license

COMMENTS:

Mr. Held indicated license should be issued
under H. Donald Putnam since Mr. Putnam
owned the well. No transfer will be necessary.
The project name is still Putnam Group Pipeline.

File in Permit or other file as necessary. Use to document conversations and what the other party was told; why action or decision was made.

NAME: Sunny McMath



No. 1662-2

Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

WATER RIGHTS DIVISION
Phone (605) 773-3352

DEC 20 1985

Putnam Group Pipeline
c/o Lyle Hald
RR 1 Box 5
Oelrichs, South Dakota 57763

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is, Water License No. 1662-2. This is the final water right document completing your process of obtaining a water right.

As long as you use the water beneficially, as stated in the Water License, the State Water Laws provide that you have a continuing right to use the water.

Very truly yours,

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division

JH:MS

Enclosures

WNR-817 3/83
Transmittal of Water License

1662-2
January 17, 2001

2000 South Dakota Water Use Questionnaire

To:

H DONALD PUTNAM
RR 1 BOX 5
OELRICHS SD 57763

Address correction requested:

Donald Putnam Ranch Inc
HC 46 Box 2
Oelrichs SD 57763

One questionnaire is being provided for each permitted water source. The following information is based on Water Permit/Right No. 1662-2. If you have other permits/rights in the same water source, also include water use under those permits/rights on this questionnaire.

Water Source: GROUNDWATER
Aquifer: ALLUVIUM-QUATERNARY
Management Unit: NOT APPLICABLE

County: FALL RIVER
Pumping Pt. Legal: SEC 07-T011S-R08E (2004, 11)
Type of Water Use: DOMESTIC

- 1) Please estimate your year 2000 water use from the above water source: 667,200 gallons
2) If no water use in 2000, please list the reason(s) why in the comments section.

Comments: This is livestock and house.

Contact Person:

Lee Ann Fuley

Telephone No:

605 535 6431

Questions? Please call Mark Rath or Ron Duvall at 605 773-3352 for assistance.

Thank you for completing the 2000 water use questionnaire.

Water Rights on the Web: www.state.sd.us/dcnr/wr





DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3182
www.state.sd.us/denr

January 31, 2001

No. 1662-2

Donald Putnam Ranch, Inc.
c/o Lee Ann Ferley
HC #6, Box 2
Oelrichs SD 57763

Dear Ms. Ferley:

Thank you for returning the 2000 SD Water Use Questionnaire. The form indicates a change of ownership has occurred. Enclosed is a partially completed "Notice of Transfer" form for use in filing an ownership change on Water Right No. 1662-2. The water right is currently listed in the name of H Donald Putnam.

The transfer form should be checked over for accuracy and signed by the new owner in the presence of a notary public. Upon completion, return the form to our office with a required filing fee of \$2.50.

South Dakota Water Law 46-5-30.3 requires Notice of any sale, grant, lease, conveyance or other transfer of a water permit or water right to appropriate water to be filed with this office within ninety days.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Karen Schlaak
Water Rights Program
605 773-3352

enclosure

RECEIPT

Water Rights Program

South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources

N2 416769

Pierre, February 14

2001

RECEIVED OF Donald Putnam, Ranch Inc., HC 46 Box 2, Oelrichs, SD 57763
the following amount in fees for services rendered as provided for by law: (H Donald Putnam)

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, to construct
and to put water to beneficial use _____

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, for Future
Use _____

Fee to retain Future Use Permit No. _____ after period of seven years.

Fee for Inspecting Constructed Works, confirming beneficial use and issuing Water
License No. _____

Fee for Filing Transfer Form 1662-2

Fee for Filing Extension Request _____

Fee for _____

2 50

(Any Other Work Provided by Law)

Total

2 50

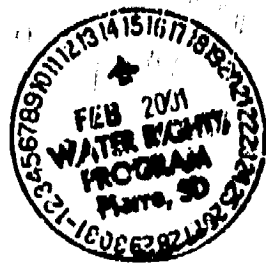
By

Chief Engineer

Donald C. Erbe

gmr

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP



To: Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program, DENR
523 E. Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-3181

No. 1662-2

Date: _____

I/We request that Water Right No. 1662-2

formerly owned by: H. Donald Putnam

be transferred to: (name & address) Donald Putnam Ranch Inc., HC 46 Box 2, Oelrichs SD 57763

Telephone No. 605 535-6431

Title to the following described land(s)/property has been transferred as described above:

one well located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 7-T11S-R8E

I/We understand that the validity of Water Right No. 1662-2 has not been determined by this transfer action. If I/We have any questions on validity, I/We understand that only the Water Management Board has the authority to determine if a water permit/right is valid (see note).

You are requested to file this "Notice of Transfer" in the appropriate file with the Water Rights Program, as evidence of the change of ownership.

A fee of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) is attached to cover the filing fees as required under SDCL 46-2-13.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)

County of Fall River)

I/We Donald Putnam Ranch, Inc. being first duly sworn on my oath depose and say that my relation to the above described undertaking is that of Owner, that I have read the above foregoing statement, and that I know of my own personal knowledge that the information herein stated is true.

Donald Putnam
(Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of February, 2001.

Dorothy Peterson Comm Exp: 7-25-03
(Notary Public)

NOTE: Water permits may be cancelled for nonconstruction within the five year construction period. Once a water permit is developed and the water used, the permit becomes a right. A water right may be lost for three reasons:

1. Abandonment - no intent to use water and use is abandoned.
2. Forfeiture - no use of water for three year period without legal excuse.
3. For a third violation of a condition of a water permit/right.



**DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES**

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3182
www.state.sd.us/denr

March 15, 2001

1662-2

Donald Putnam Ranch Inc.
HC 46 Box 2
Oelrichs, SD 57763

Dear Sir:

Thank you for following up on the ownership change for Water Right No. 1662-2. The transfer has been completed. The water permit formerly listed in the name of H. Donald Putnam is now listed in the name of Donald Putnam Ranch Inc.

Enclosed is your Receipt No. 416769 in the amount of \$2.50. If I can answer any questions for you, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Glenda Marks
Secretary
Water Rights Program
(605) 773-3352

enclosure

NOT TO SCALE

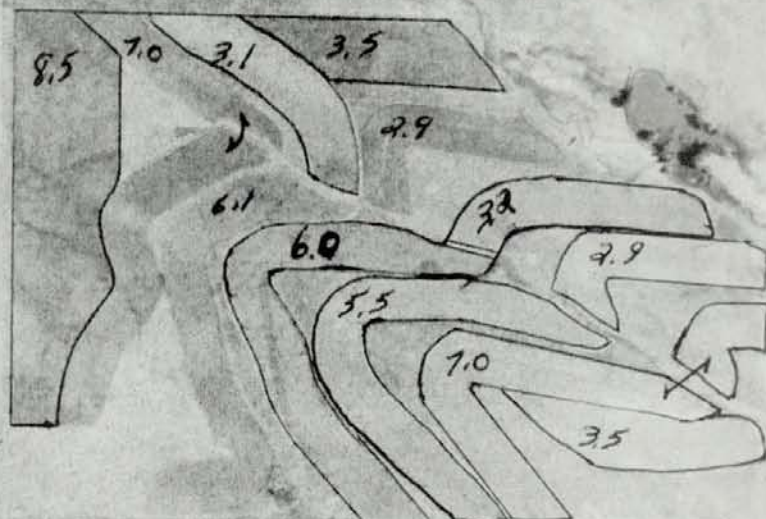
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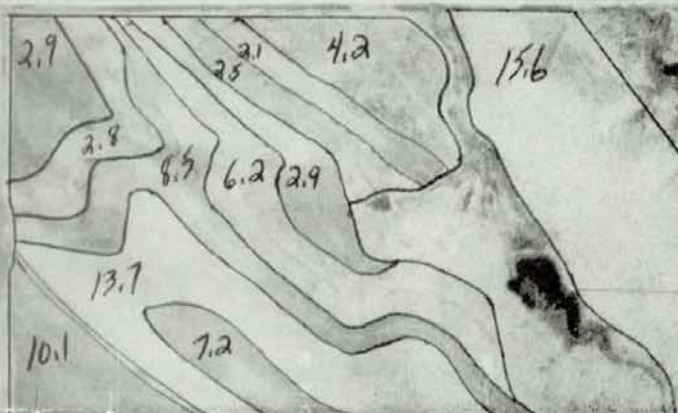
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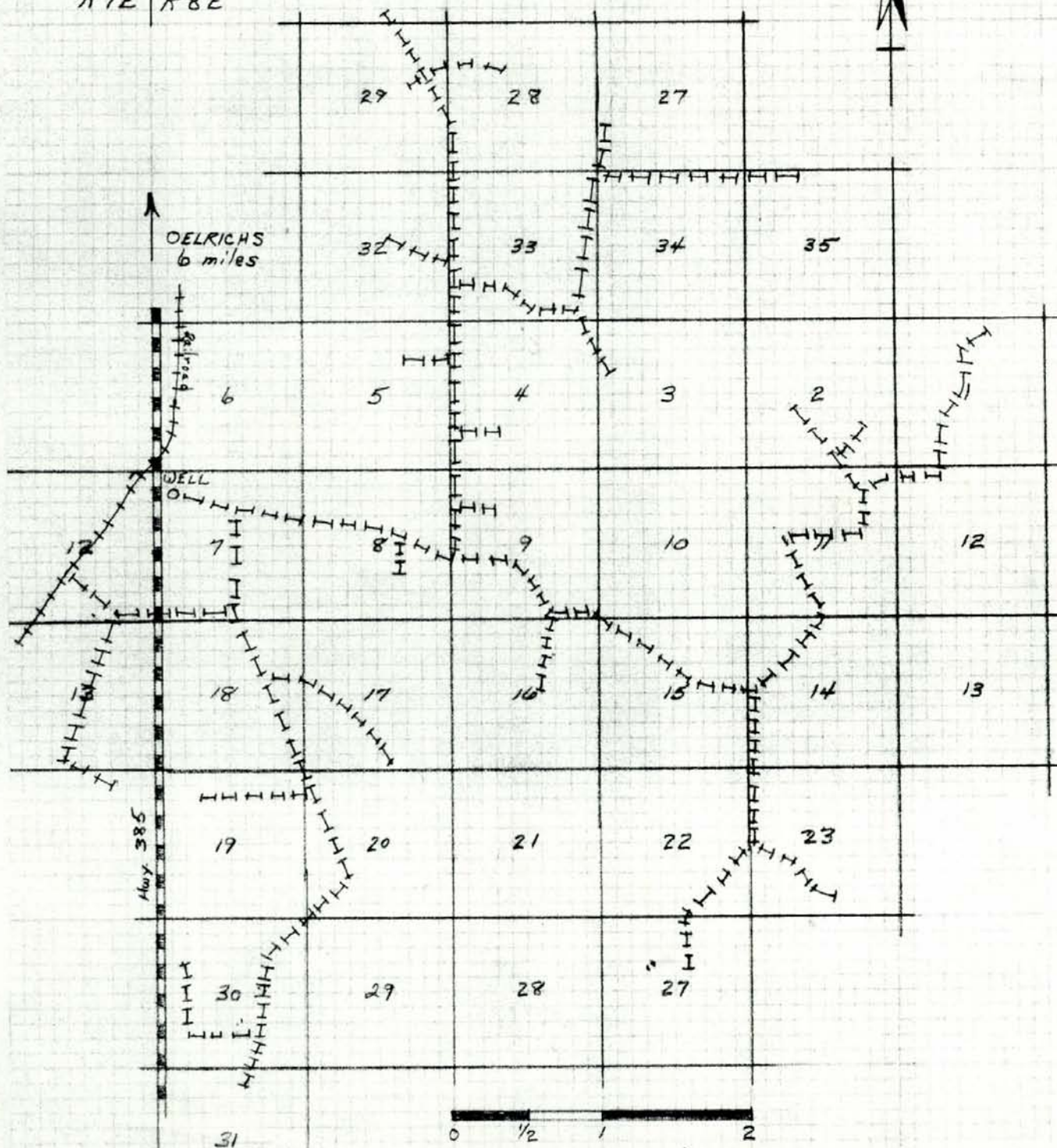
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