

2505-3

1. Considered 1-22, 1976
2. Name of Applicant GEORGE & ARTHUR SEES
3. Post Office Address MISSION HILL
4. Amount of water claimed 2.28
5. Source of water supply JAMES RIVER
6. Water to be used for IRRIGATION  
Acres to be irrigated 677.44
7. Water to be diverted and used in YANKTON county  
about 12 N miles          of YANKTON
8. Proof of Publication      Received 1-16-76  
Not received
9. Application      Approved                           
Subject to                           
Not Approved                           
Action deferred
10. Remarks:

No. 2505-3  
 Map No. 1877-3 Water Division No. 3 JAMES RIVER District \_\_\_\_\_  
 (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 line through items not applicable)

1. Name of Applicant George AND ARTHUR SEES  
 Postoffice address RRI MISSION HILL 57046 State SOUTH DAKOTA  
 If a corporation show date and place of incorporation \_\_\_\_\_
2. Method of accomplishing work (contract, employment of others, or by direct labor) DIRECT LABOR
3. Name of diversion work SEES #1
4. Amount of water claimed (cubic feet per second) 2.28
5. Source of water supply JAMES RIVER
6. Location of point of diversion STATION 2 SW 1/4 SEC. 7-95-55  
STATION 2 NE 1/4 SEC. 18-95-55  
STATION 3 NW 1/4 SEC. 17-95-55 County YANKTON
7. Annual period or periods during which water is to be used MARCH 1 to NOV. 30
8. Use to be made of water, (irrigation, industrial, municipal, commercial, recreation, etc.) IRRIGATION
9. For irrigation use, Total number of acres to be irrigated 677.4

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. |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|
|                  |                |                  |                |
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|                  |                |                  |                |

Attach sheet if more space is needed

10. Time required to complete construction of water supply system 5 YEARS years. Additional time required to complete application of water to the proposed beneficial use \_\_\_\_\_ years.
11. Choice of newspaper for Notice of Intent to Appropriate Water publication YANKTON PRESS & DAKOTAN
12. Principal Features of the Proposed Water Supply System.

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

B. Works proposed to transport water to place of use.  
MOVABLE PIPE

C. Works proposed to apply water to beneficial use.

IRRIGATION FOR CROPS ONLY  
WITH SPRINKLER TYPE IRRIGATION

Estimated Total Cost \$ 15,000

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

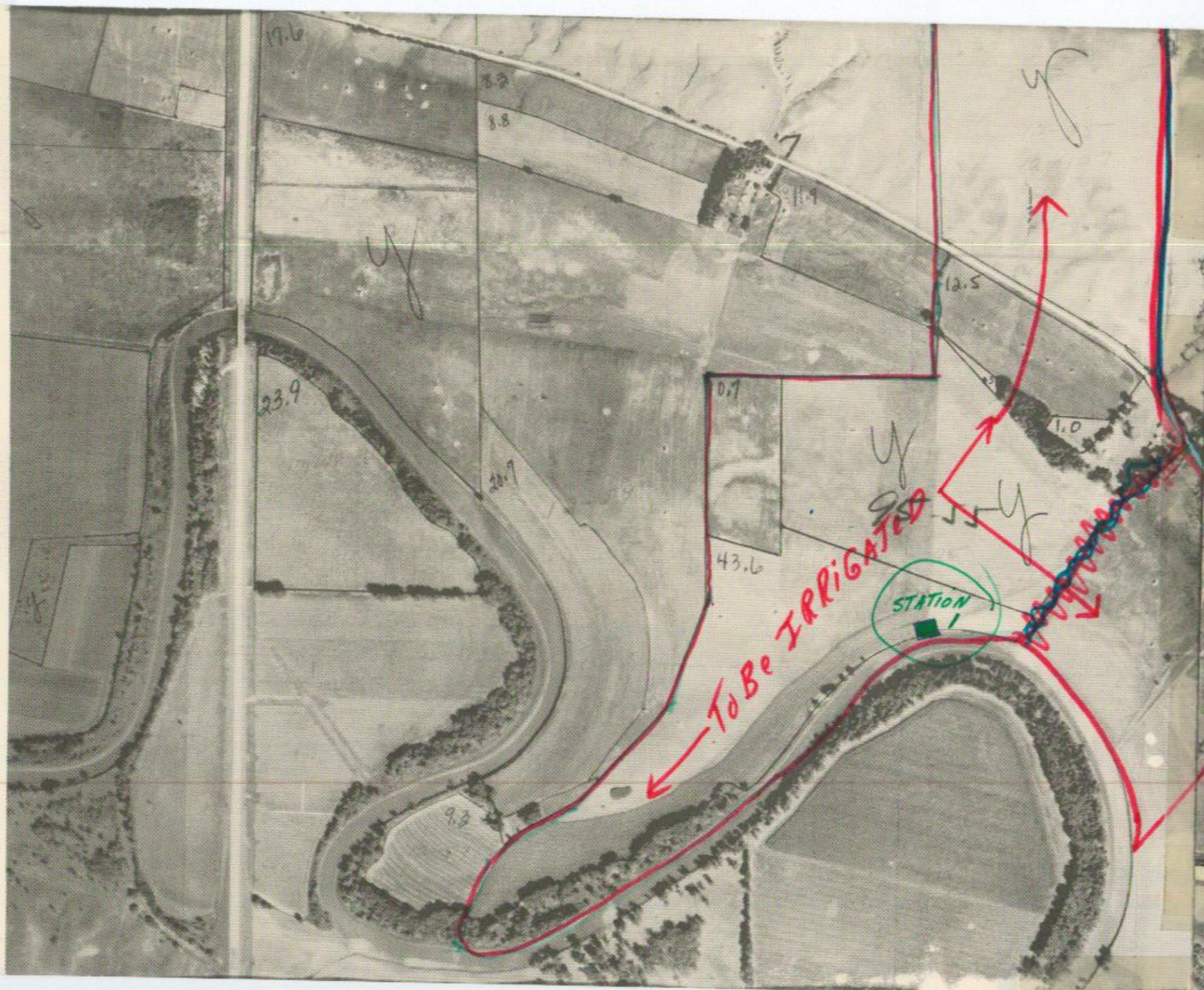
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )

County of Yankton ) ss.I, George Sees

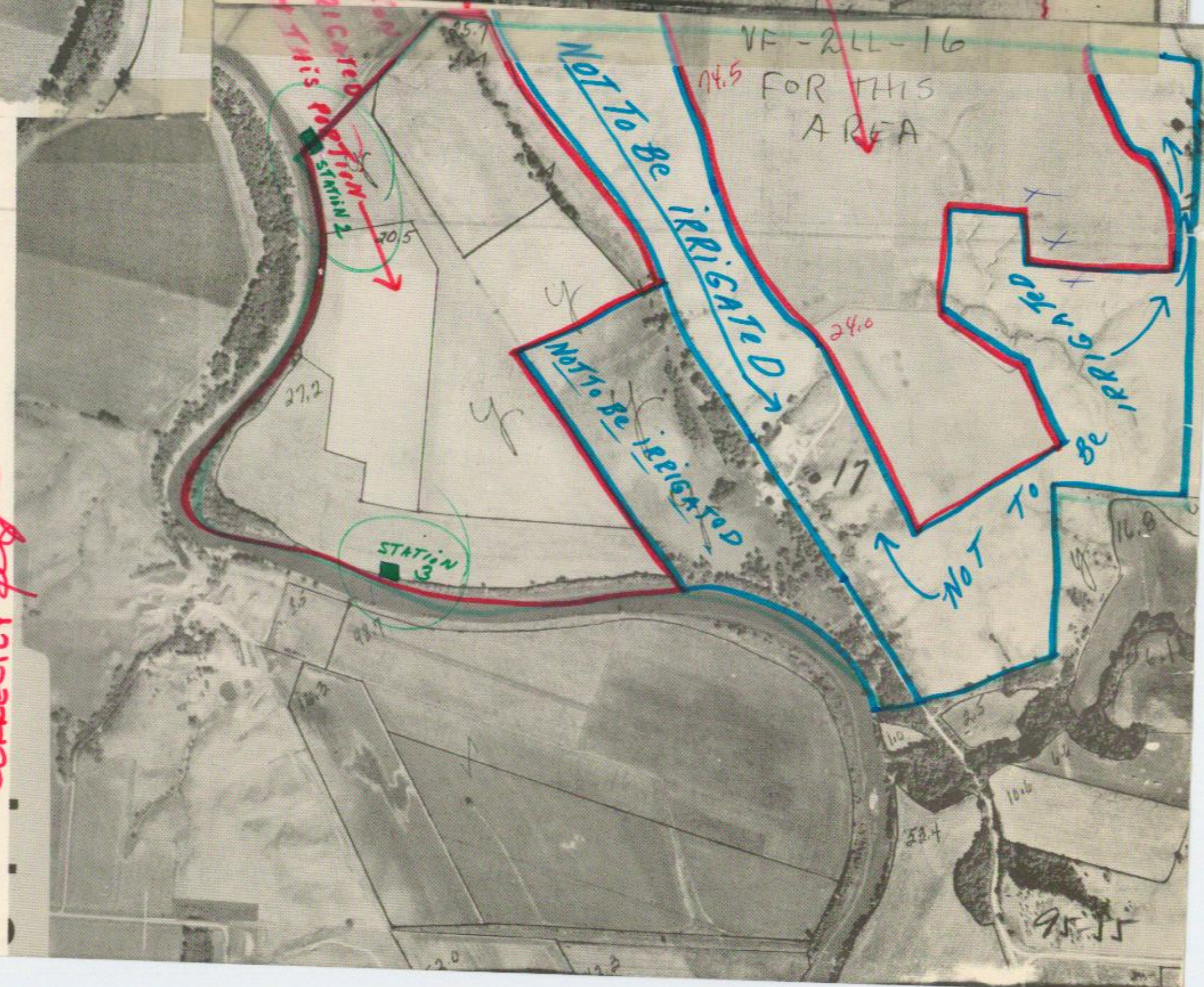
the applicant, certify that I have read the foregoing application and have examined the attached map and that the matters therein stated are true and that I intend, and am able to complete the necessary construction.

Signed George SeesSubscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of December 19 75

Notary Public (or other qualified officer)



NOTE: AERIAL PHOTOS NOT MATCHED  
CORRECTLY ~~FOR~~



MAP N° 1877-3 APP N° 2505-3



# WATER RIGHT APPLICATION APPROVAL

The Water Resources Commission hereby approves Water Right Application No. 2505-3  
GEORGE & ARTHUR SEES R.R. #1 MISSION HILL  
 (Applicant) (Post Office Address)  
SOUTH DAKOTA 57046 With the following modifications:  
 (State)

Date of first receipt of application DECEMBER 22, 1975  
 Date of return to applicant for correction, amendments or changes required \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 Date of receipt of corrected application \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 Approved JANUARY 23, 1976, Recorded in Book 14 Page 260

WATER RIGHT PERMIT NO. 2505-3

The Water Resources Commission hereby grants and issues this Water Right Permit No. 2505-3 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 DECEMBER 22, 1975
2. The equivalent of at least one-fifth of the work above specified is to be completed on or before JULY 23, 1978
3. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before JANUARY 23, 1981
4. The limit of time from proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is JANUARY 23, 1981
5. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of IRRIGATION
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 2.28 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 beneficial uses served, and if for the irrigation purposes said appropriation must be limited to not more than 3 acre feet per acre per year and be limited to not more than one-seventieth (1/70) of one cubic foot of water per second of time for each acre of land to which water is actually and beneficially applied for irrigation on or before JANUARY 23, 1981; said water to be used during the following described annual period: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Witness my hand this 2ND day of February, 1976

WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

By:

John H. Smith  
 Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

Certificate of Construction Issued \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Water License Issued \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

December 18, 1975

Water Resource Commission  
Pierre  
S. D. 57501

Gentlemen:

This is the legal description on the land to be irrigated:

NW 1/4 Sec. 8-95-55

North Portion of Sec. 18-95-55

SW 1/8 Sec. 7-95-55

NE 1/4 Sec. 17-95-55

NW 1/4 Sec. 17-95-55

This land is very irregular due to the river channel and severe terrain of the pasture adjacent to the cropland. All land to be irrigated is outlined in red; all land not to be irrigated is outlined in blue.

There are three pumping stations indicated by a green square. The reason for the three stations is the fact that our irrigation equipment will be the sprinkler-gun type that must be moved every day.

Sincerely,

George Sees

*George Sees*  
Arthur Sees

*Arthur Sees*

RR #1  
Mission Hill  
S. D. 57046

GES/rac  
cc 2

2505-3

Publish first publication, on or before January 8, 1976

NOTICE  
INTENT TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Pierre, South Dakota 57501

January 2, 1976

Notice is hereby given that George & Arthur Sees  
whose post office address is Mission Hill, South Dakota, has made an application in accordance  
with the provisions of the water laws of South Dakota for a permit to appropriate for beneficial use  
2.28 cubic feet of water per second of time from the Jamez River through the  
Sees No. 1, the point of diversion of which is to be located in the

between points in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 7 and in the

NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$

of Section 17, Twp. 17, 95N, Range 55W. Said water to be used for the purpose  
of providing irrigation on the following described land:

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 7; NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 18; NW $\frac{1}{4}$  S $\frac{1}{2}$ , Section 8;  
N $\frac{1}{2}$ , Section 17, T95N, R55W

This application No. 2505-3 will be considered by the Water Rights Commission at their office at  
Pierre upon the 22nd day of January, 1976, at 2:30 P.M. All interested  
persons may appear and be heard.

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

By:

BURTON F. JONES  
Water Rights Specialist

B.F.J.  
cc: George Sees

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
County Yankton ) ss.

I, Harry L. Spooce hereby  
certify that the annexed printed copy of Notice of Intent to Appropriate  
Water was taken from the Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan

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 Yankton

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

January 8, 1976

January 15, 1976

Harry L. Spooce  
(Signature)

Business Manager  
(Title)

1-15-76  
(Date Signed)

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NOTICE  
INTENT TO  
APPROPRIATE WATER

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provisions of the water laws of  
South Dakota for a permit to ap-  
propriate for beneficial use 7.23  
cubic feet of water per second of  
time from the James River  
through the Sees No. 1, the point  
of diversion of which is to be  
located in the between points in  
the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 7 and in  
the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 17,  
Twp. 95N, Range 55W. Said water  
to be used for the purpose of pro-  
viding irrigation on portions of  
the following described land:  
SE 1/4 Section 7; NW 1/4 NE 1/4 E 1/4  
NE 1/4 Section 18; NW 1/4 S 1/4 Sec-  
tion 8; N 1/4 Section 17; T95N,  
R55W.

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Water Rights Commission  
By: BURTON F. JONES  
Water Rights Specialist

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JAN 16 1976  
STATE WATER RIGHTS COM  
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

**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. 2505-3

February 10, 1986

George and Arthur Sees  
RR 1, Box 178  
Mission Hill SD 57046

Dear Sirs:

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. 2505-3 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,

KAREN SCHLAACK  
Administrative Aide

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

South Dakota Department of Water and Natural Resources

410402

Pierre, April 9, 1986

RECEIVED OF George & Arthur Sees, RR 1, Box 178, Mission Hill, SD 57046

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. <u>2505-3</u>                | 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

Chief Engineer

JOHN HATCH (ms)

LICENSE FOR PERMIT NUMBER 2605-3

1. Legal location of wells: \_\_\_\_\_

dams & structures: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Well Information: Well Drilling Firm \_\_\_\_\_

No. of wells \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_

Casing a) diameter \_\_\_\_\_ Screen a) type \_\_\_\_\_

b) length \_\_\_\_\_ b) length \_\_\_\_\_

c) type \_\_\_\_\_ Static Water Level \_\_\_\_\_

Pump a) make \_\_\_\_\_ Motor a) make \_\_\_\_\_

b) model \_\_\_\_\_ b) model no. \_\_\_\_\_

c) size \_\_\_\_\_ c) horsepower rating \_\_\_\_\_

d) capacity \_\_\_\_\_ GPM d) motor efficiency rating \_\_\_\_\_

e) turbine pump \_\_\_\_\_

no. of stages \_\_\_\_\_

3. Distribution lines:

a) size of lines 6 in. 4 in.

b) type Aluminum Aluminum

c) length 1500 ft 800 ft

4. Dam information:

a) height to crest \_\_\_\_\_ i) Outlet tubes:

b) height to spillway \_\_\_\_\_ 1) diameter \_\_\_\_\_

c) crest width \_\_\_\_\_ 2) type \_\_\_\_\_

d) crest length \_\_\_\_\_ 3) valued (Y/N) \_\_\_\_\_

e) spillway length \_\_\_\_\_ 4) valve type \_\_\_\_\_

f) spillway width \_\_\_\_\_ 5) location on structure \_\_\_\_\_

g) approx. storage \_\_\_\_\_

h) Distribution lines or canals:

1) size \_\_\_\_\_

2) type \_\_\_\_\_

3) length \_\_\_\_\_

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 (Y/N) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) high or low pressure \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) make & size of nozzles \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) PSI reading while system is running \_\_\_\_\_
- 9) GPM \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

g) ~~Gun~~ Hand-move sprinklers (2)

- 1) make Nelsons on tripods
- 2) serial number \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) nozzle size \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) capacity (GPM) 500 combined
- 5) PSI 30 - 35
- 6) hose size \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) hose length \_\_\_\_\_

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:

PTO drive pump : Gorman - Rupp

M.N. 64AG

S.N. 160928

James 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 George and Arthur Sees of RR1, Box 178, Mission Hill, SD 57046 holder of Permit No. 2505-3, bearing the priority of December 22 19 75 authorizing the diversion of 2.28 cu. ft. per second of the waters of the James River for irrigation purposes, in Yankton County.

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

A. Works used to divert the water:

PTO drive pump: Gorman - Rupp

M.N. 64A B

S.N. 160928

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

Hand-move sprinklers: (2)

Apeline: size - 6 in. 4 in.  
 type - Aluminum Aluminum  
 length - 1500 ft 800 ft

make - Nelson  
 on tripods  
 capacity - 500 gpm  
 combined  
 pressure - 30-35 psi

C. Works used to apply water to beneficial use:

The system is in the following condition good

The point of diversion is located James River; any point between and including the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of sec 18 and the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of sec 17 all in T95N-R55W

The works are capable of diverting and conveying to the place of use 1.11cu. ft. per second of water which is to be used for irrigation

Water has been put to beneficial use to the maximum extent as follows: all in T95N-R55W

|                                         | Acres |                                          | Acres |                                          | Acres |
|-----------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------------|-------|
| NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 7 | 26.4  | NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 18 | 9.0   | NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 17 | 32.3  |
| NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$       | 10.2  | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$        | 6.5   | NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$        | 1.5   |
| SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$       | 40.0  | NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$        | 21.0  | SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$        | 36.4  |
| SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$       | 31.6  | NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$        | 13.9  | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$        | 4.5   |

comprising a total of 233.2 acres of land and the license should be issued for 1.11 cfsApplicable permit qualifications have been complied with ☒ Yes ☐ NoExceptions to compliance are: \_\_\_\_\_ Date June 4, 1985

(signature)

Ron Duwall

State of South Dakota

Water License No. 2505-3

(1) George and Arthur Sees  
of RR 1, Box 178, Mission Hill, South Dakota 57046  
made Application No. 2505-3, December 22, 1975 for a water permit to appropriate  
2.28 cubic feet per second of water from the James River  
Yankton County, South Dakota for irrigation purposes.  
Permit No. 2505-3, with a priority date of December 22, 1975  
was approved January 23, 1976 and issued to applicant(s) for diversion of water with construction of the described  
water supply system to be completed on or before January 23, 1981 and for the application to beneficial use of said  
water on or before January 23, 1981.

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 1.11 cubic feet per second of water  
for beneficial use. The location of the diversion point(s) is on the James River: any point between  
and including the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 18 and the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 17, all in  
T95N - R55W

and

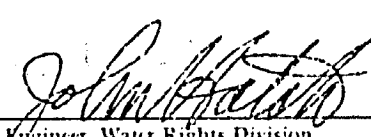
(3) The applicant has complied with the provisions of South Dakota State Law relating to the application of water to beneficial use to the following extent, to irrigate the following land all in T95N-R55W

|                                                             |                                                              |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Section 7 NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 26.4 Acres (DB) | Section 17 NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 32.3 Acres (BB) |
| NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 10.2 Acres (DA)           | NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 1.5 Acres (BA)             |
| SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 40.0 Acres (DC)           | SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 36.4 Acres (BC)            |
| SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 31.6 Acres (DD)           | SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 4.5 Acres (BD)             |

|                                                             |                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Section 18 NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 9.0 Acres (BA) |                   |
| SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 6.5 Acres (BD)            |                   |
| NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ 21.0 Acres (AB)           |                   |
| NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ 13.8 Acres (AA)           | TOTAL ACRES 233.2 |

(4) Pursuant to §46-5-30.1 George and Arthur Sens  
of RR 1, Box 178, Mission Hill, SD 57046  
the holder(s) and/or owner(s) of Water Permit No. 2505-3 is issued a license to appropriate water, the right to use  
1.11 cubic feet per second of water from the James River with a priority date  
of December 22, 1975 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 irrigation

This license is subject to any limitations or qualifications listed in Water Permit No. 2505-3 and subject  
to South Dakota State Law.

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

JOHN HATCH

DEC 1 1996

**South Dakota Department of  
Water & Natural Resources**

Joe Foss Building  
523 East Capitol  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

WATER RIGHTS DIVISION  
Phone (605) 773-3352

DEC 1 1986

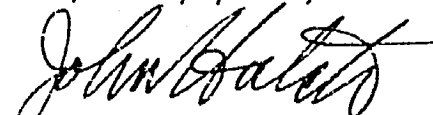
George & Arthur Sees  
Box 178, Route 1  
Mission Hill, South Dakota 57046

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed herewith is, Water License No. 2505-3. 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



Joe Foss Building  
523 East Capitol  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

March 23, 1987

GEORGE & ARTHUR SEES  
RR 1 BOX 178  
MISSION HILL, SD 57046

#### NOTICE

Re: Violation of Requirement To Submit 1986 Irrigation  
Questionnaire

Our records indicate that the 1986 Irrigation Questionnaire has not been submitted for Permit No(s). 2505-3. The request for the Questionnaire was dated November 3, 1986. The Water Management Board has directed that owners of water permits who have not submitted 1986 Irrigation Questionnaires be given notice of hearing(s) to be held by the Board to determine if any action is to be taken concerning the violation.

The hearings will be held at 2:00 pm, May 6, 1987 in Room 216, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre SD.

The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to procedures contained in SDCL 1-26. Following the hearing(s), the Water Management Board can:

1. Amend Permit No(s). 2505-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
2. Postpone any action;
3. Take no action.

The hearing(s) is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner 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. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "John Hatch".

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Division  
605 773-3352

NOTE: If the questionnaire(s) is received in this office before the hearing date, your name will be deleted from the agenda for the hearing.

 **Department of  
Water & Natural Resources**

Joe Foss Building  
523 East Capitol  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

April 15, 1987

2505-3

George & Arthur Sees  
RR #1 Box 178  
Mission Hill, SD 57046

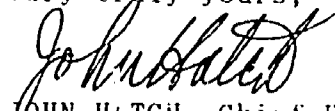
Dear Sirs:

This will acknowledge receipt of and thank you for the return of your 1986 Irrigation Questionnaire. A notice was sent to you March 23, 1987 regarding the Irrigation Questionnaire submittal violation of Water Permit No. 2505-3 and the date hearings were to be held before the Water Management Board to determine any action to be taken concerning the violation.

Please disregard the notice sent to you dated March 23, 1987. Your name has been deleted from the agenda pertaining to these hearings.

If you have any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

  
JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Division  
605 773-3352



## Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building  
523 East Capitol  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

January 29, 1988

GEORGE & ARTHUR SEES  
RR 1 BOX 178  
MISSION HILL, SD 57046

### NOTICE

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Questionnaire

Our records indicate that the 1987 Irrigation Questionnaire has not been submitted for Permit No(s). (2505-3). The request for the Questionnaire was dated October 8, 1987. The Water Management Board has directed that owners of water permits who have not submitted 1987 Irrigation Questionnaires be given notice of hearing(s) to be held by the Board to determine if any action is to be taken concerning the violation.

The hearings will be held at 9:00 am, March 2, 1988 in Room 216, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre SD.

The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to procedures contained in SDCL 1-26. Following the hearing(s), the Water Management Board can:

1. Amend Permit No(s). 2505-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
2. Postpone any action;
3. Take no action.

The hearing(s) is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner 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. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "John Hatch".

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Division  
605 773-3352

NOTE: If the questionnaire(s) is received in this office before the March 2 hearing date, your name will be deleted from the agenda for the hearing.



# Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building  
523 East Capitol  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

February 18, 1988

2505-3

George & Arthur Sees  
RR 1, Box 178  
Mission Hills SD 57046

Dear Sirs:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your 1987 Irrigation Questionnaire(s). A notice was sent to you January 29, 1988 regarding the requirement to submit the Irrigation Questionnaire(s) for Water Permit No. 2505-3 and the hearing date before the Water Management Board.

Since your questionnaire was received prior to the March 2, 1988 Water Management Board Meeting, your name has been deleted from the Board Meeting agenda. If you have any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Division  
605 773 3352



# Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building  
523 East Capitol  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

February 9, 1990

GEORGE & ARTHUR SEES  
RR 1 BOX 178  
MISSION HILL, SD 57046

## NOTICE

RE: Violation of Requirement to Submit 1989 Irrigation Questionnaire

Our records indicate that the 1989 Irrigation Questionnaire has not been submitted for Permit No(s). 2505-3. The request for the Questionnaire was dated October 13, 1989. The Water Management Board had directed that owners of water permits who have not submitted 1989 Irrigation Questionnaire be given notice of hearing(s) to be held by the Board to determine if any action is to be taken concerning the violation.

The hearings will be held at 8:30 am, March 7, 1990 at the Howard Johnson's, Jefferson-Roosevelt Room, I-90 at LaCrosse, Rapid City SD.

The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to procedures contained in SDCL 1-26. Following the hearing(s), the Water Management Board can:

1. Amend Permit No(s). 2505-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
2. Postpone any action;
3. Take no action.

The hearing(s) is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner 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. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

If the questionnaire(s) is received in this office before the March 7th hearing date, your name will be deleted from the agenda for the hearing.

Very truly yours,

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Division  
605 773-3352



# Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building  
523 East Capitol  
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

February 23, 1990

2505--3

George & Arthur Sees  
RR 1, Box 178  
Mission Hill SD 57046

Dear Sirs:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your 1989 irrigation questionnaire for Water Permit No. 2505-3. You may disregard the February 9, 1990 Notice of failure to submit the 1989 irrigation questionnaire. Your questionnaire was received prior to the March Water Management Board meeting and your name was deleted from the agenda pertaining to the hearing.

If you have any questions, please contact Genny McMath, at (605) 773-3352.

Sincerely,

*Bon Duvall /ks*

RON DUVALL  
Natural Resources Engineer  
Water Rights Division

2505-3

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January 19, 2001

NOTICE

TO: GEORGE & ARTHUR SEES, 29882 NE JIM RIVER ROAD, MISSION HILL, SD 57046

FROM: Ron Duvall, Natural Resources Engineer  
for Garland Erbele, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Program

SUBJECT: Reporting Requirement for 2000 Irrigation Questionnaire(s)

Our records indicate that the 2000 Irrigation Questionnaire has not been submitted for Permit No(s) 2505-3. The request for the Questionnaire was dated October 20, 2000. The Water Management Board has directed that owners of water permits who have not submitted the 2000 Irrigation Questionnaire be given notice of hearing to determine if any Board action is to be taken concerning this issue.

The hearing will be held at 10:00 am, March 7, 2001, in the Floyd Matthew Training Center, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre, SD and will be conducted pursuant to SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to Chapter 1-26. Following the hearing, the Water Management Board can:

1. Amend Permit No(s) 2505-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
2. Postpone any action; or
3. Take no action.

The hearing is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner 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. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

If the questionnaire(s) is(are) received in this office on/or before March 2, 2001, your name will be deleted from the Board agenda. If you have any questions or need assistance with completion of the irrigation questionnaire(s), please contact Genny McMath at (605) 773-3352.

**Note:** Please contact the Water Rights Program, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre, SD (605-773-3352) to assure access to the meeting room for the handicapped or to obtain an interpreter for the hearing impaired.



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February 6, 2001

2505-3

George & Arthur Sees  
29882 NE Jim River Rd  
Mission Hill, SD 57046

Dear Sirs:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your "2000" irrigation questionnaire. You may disregard the January 19, 2001, "Notice" concerning reporting requirements for Water Right No. 2505-3.

I completed a questionnaire for you based on our February 6<sup>th</sup> telephone conversation. The information was received in our office prior to the Water Management Board meeting and your names have been deleted from the agenda.

Thank you for calling George and if you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Genny McMath  
Environmental Scientist  
Water Rights Program  
(605) 773-3352