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RENO, NEVADA

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WATER RESOURCES

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March 31, 1943.

Mr. Harold Conkling, Deputy State Engineer,  
Department of Public Works,  
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sir:

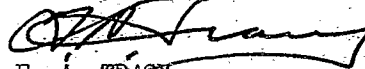
APPLICATIONS NO. 9247-9267

This will acknowledge receipt of your communication of March 16 in regard to Applications Nos. 9247 and 9267 and your suggestion to include Boca Reservoir as a place of storage under the filings.

The part of releases from Independence Lake which have been restored in Boca Reservoir were so stored in accordance with temporary arrangements for that particular year. We have no permanent right to restore water in Boca Reservoir and have no assurance that we can restore the water there again this year. It appears to us that Boca Reservoir should not be included in the filing until some permanent arrangements can be made for the use of that reservoir for restorage purposes.

Kindly advise us if you concur in this opinion.

Yours very truly,



F. A. TRACY  
President.

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