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Ms. Sue Gilbert  
State of Nevada  
Division of Water Resources  
901 South Stewart St, Ste 2002  
Carson City, NV 89701-2811

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Re: Pending Nevada Driller's License

Dear Ms. Gilbert:

This letter is in response to a request for the current status of B.J. Washburn of Skytech Investment Drilling, Inc.

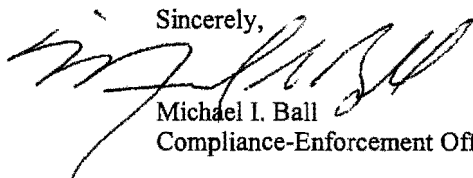
Mr. Washburn has been a licensed driller in good standing since March 19, 1999 when he became the qualifying party for Skytech Investment Drilling, ADWR License No. 643.

Mr. Washburn successfully completed the following trade examinations. It should be noted that with the exception of the State Regulations examination, the remaining trade examinations are provided by the National Ground Water Association (NGWA).

State Regulations	71%	12/11/1998
General Certification	76%	2/12/1999
Air Rotary - Unconsolidated	70%	12/11/1998
Air Rotary - Rock	70%	12/11/1998
Mud Rotary - Unconsolidated	70%	10/8/1999
Mud Rotary - Rock	70%	10/8/1999

The information provided is intended to verify that the above-mentioned drilling firm and qualifying party are in good standing with this agency. In addition, pursuant to the requirements stated under A.A.C. R12-15-804 (D), the aforementioned qualifying party has demonstrated that he has a minimum three years of experience dealing with the specific type of drilling that the license was issued for. All consideration should be made to expedite the applicant's attempt to acquire a contractor's license.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, feel free to call me at (602) 771-8640, email: miball@azwater.gov, or write to the above address.

Sincerely,  
  
Michael I. Ball  
Compliance-Enforcement Officer

Cc: B.J. Washburn