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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF ALL RIGHTS TO USE WATER IN THE
GILA RIVER SYSTEM AND SOURCE

W-1 (Salt)
W-2 (Verde)
W-3 (Upper Gila)
W-4 (San Pedro)
Consolidated

Contested Case No. W1-11-2421

ORDER APPROVING PROPOSED
WATER RIGHT ABSTRACTS

CONTESTED CASE NAME: *In re Magma Copper – De Minimis*

HSR INVOLVED: San Pedro River Watershed Hydrographic Survey Report.

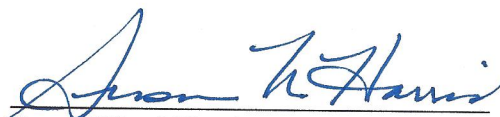
DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The Special Master approves four abstracts for proposed water rights and directs that they be added to the water catalog.

NUMBER OF PAGES: 11

DATE OF FILING: August 13, 2019

1 Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) filed a Report regarding the draft
2 abstracts prepared by BHP Copper, Inc. On July 31, 2019, BHP Copper, Inc. filed a Notice of
3 Filing Corrected Abstracts in which it stated that it agrees with the report filed by ADWR and
4 submitted revised a revised abstract for potential water right 113-08-014-SP005. No other party
5 filed any objections to the Report or suggested corrections to the draft abstracts.
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7 **IT IS ORDERED** approving the four proposed water right abstracts attached as
8 Appendix A for *de minimis* stockponds identified in Watershed File Reports 113-08-014. The
9 proposed abstracts will be included in a Partial Catalog of Water Rights created pursuant to §15
10 of the Rules for Proceedings Before the Special Master.
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15 Susan Ward Harris
16 Special Master
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18 The original of the foregoing was delivered to
19 the Clerk of the Maricopa County Superior
20 Court on August 13, 2019, for filing and
21 distributing a copy to all persons listed on the
22 Court approved mailing list for this contested
23 case.
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APPENDIX A

Abstract of Water Right San Pedro Watershed

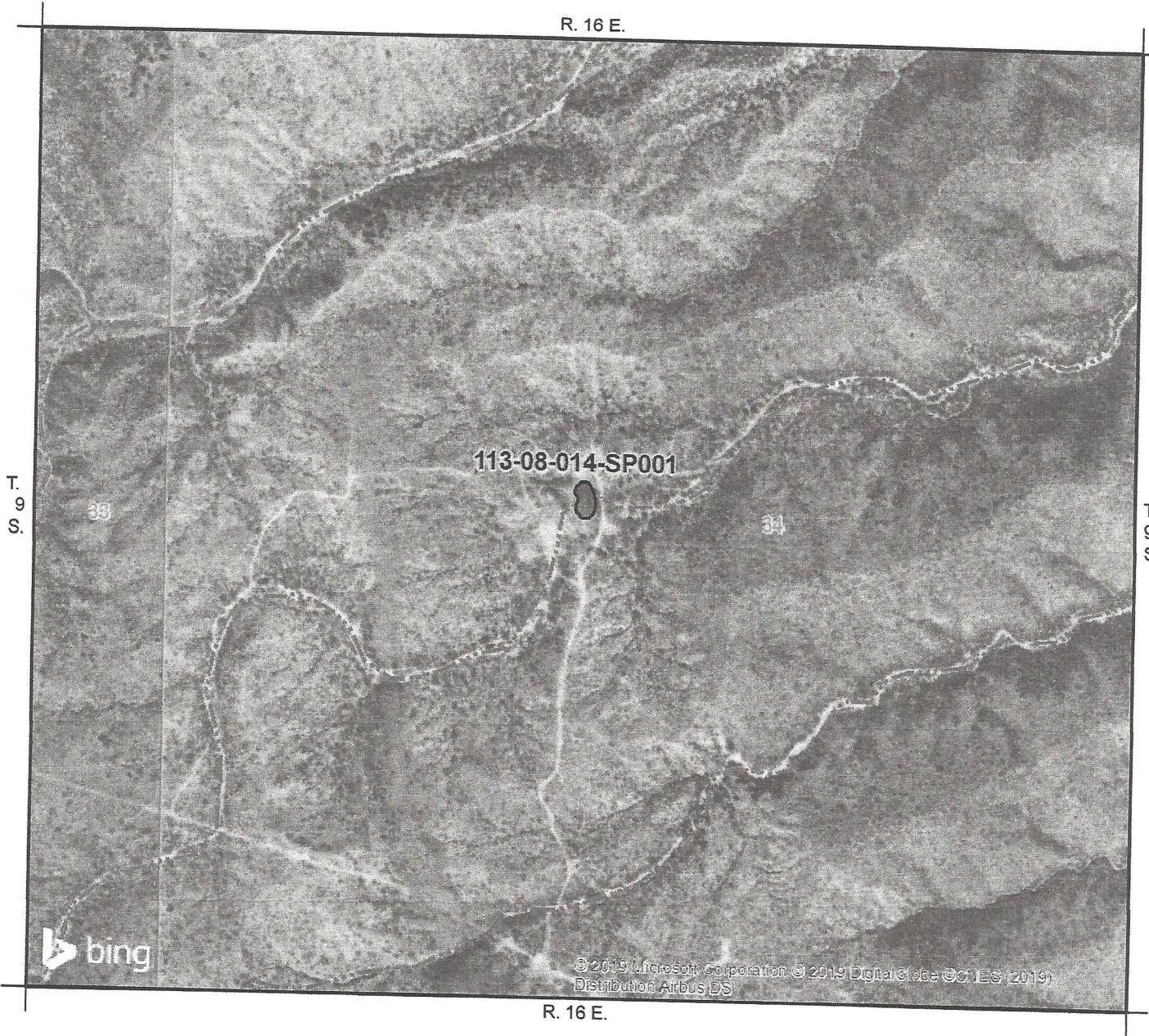
1. Proposed Water Right No:	113-08-014-SP001
2. Owner of Water Right:	BHP Copper Inc.
3. Landowner:	BHP Copper Inc.
4. Statement of Claimant No.(s):	39-0003148
5. Statement of Claimant Name(s):	BHP Copper Inc., formerly known as Magma Copper Company
6. Lessee or Permittee:	None
7. Basis of Right:	38-0027711
8. Beneficial Use:	Stockpond
9. Priority Date:	5/1/1964
10. Quantity:	≤ 4 ac-ft with continuous fill
11. Place of Use:	NW NE SW 34 T9S R16E UTM 12 S, 528056.99 m E, 3607776.68 m N in NAD-83
12. Point of Diversion:	NW NE SW 34 T9S R16E UTM 12 S, 528056.99 m E, 3607776.68 m N in NAD-83
13. Source of Water:	Surface Water (unnamed wash)
14. Name of Facility:	SP-03

Additional Information

See attached map



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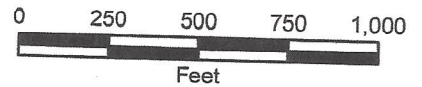
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EXPLANATION

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-  Ephemeral Wash



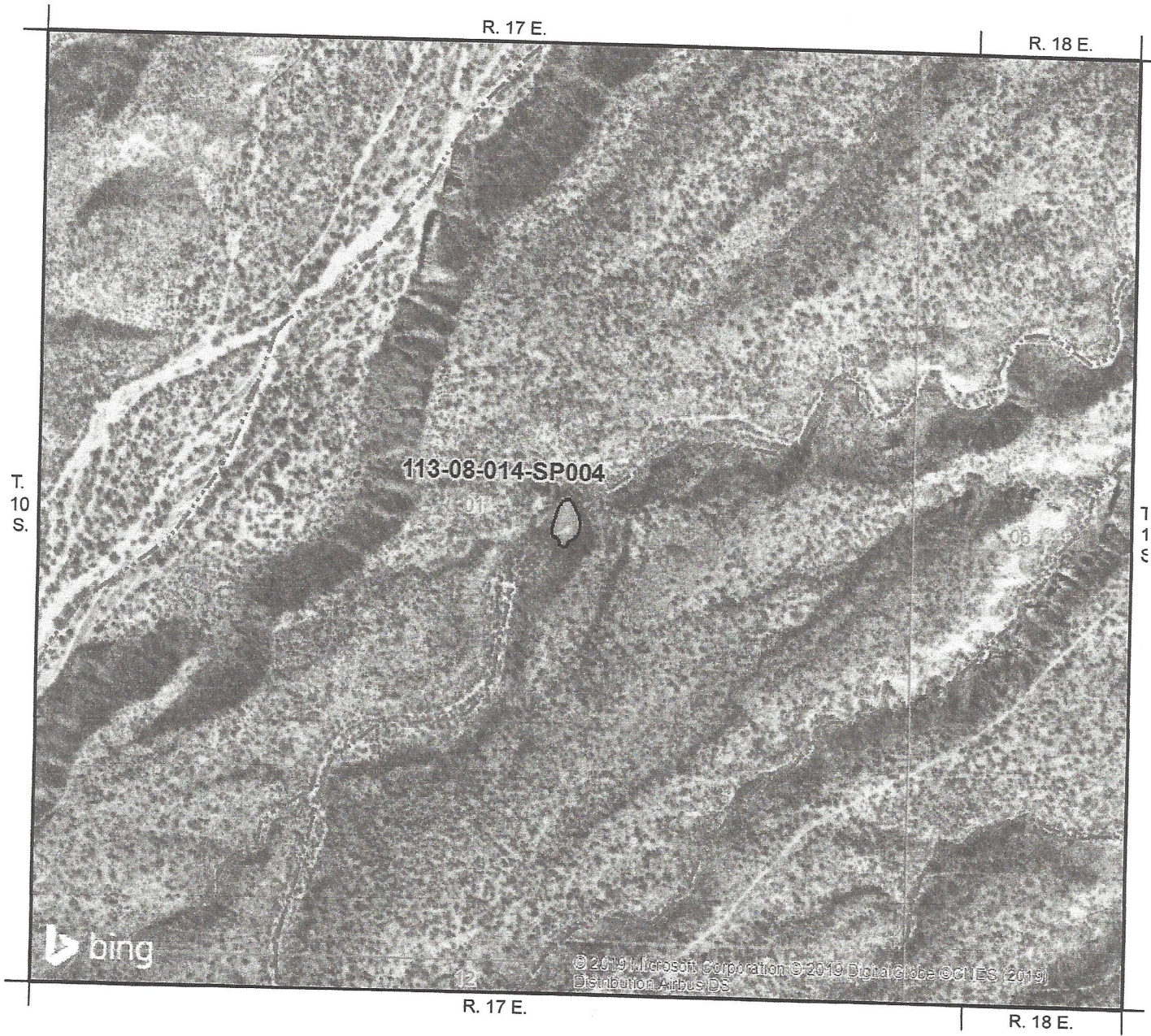
ATTACHMENT TO ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT: BHP STOCK POND 113-08-014-SP001

Abstract of Water Right San Pedro Watershed



1. Proposed Water Right No:	113-08-014-SP004
2. Owner of Water Right:	BHP Copper Inc.
3. Landowner:	BHP Copper Inc.
4. Statement of Claimant No.(s):	39-0003151
5. Statement of Claimant Name(s):	BHP Copper Inc., formerly known as Magma Copper Company
6. Lessee or Permittee:	None
7. Basis of Right:	38-0027716
8. Beneficial Use:	Stockpond
9. Priority Date:	12/31/1948
10. Quantity:	≤ 4 ac-ft with continuous fill
11. Place of Use:	SW NE SE 01 T10S R17E UTM 12 S, 541741.71 m E, 3605956.58 m N in NAD-83
12. Point of Diversion:	SW NE SE 01 T10S R17E UTM 12 S, 541741.71 m E, 3605956.58 m N in NAD-83
13. Source of Water:	Surface Water (unnamed wash)
14. Name of Facility:	SP-08

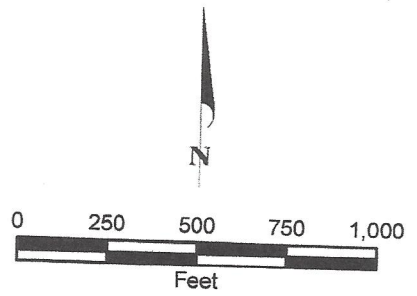
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Abstract of Water Right San Pedro Watershed



1. Proposed Water Right No:	113-08-014-SP005
2. Owner of Water Right:	BHP Copper Inc.
3. Landowner:	BHP Copper Inc.
4. Statement of Claimant No.(s):	39-0003150
5. Statement of Claimant Name(s):	BHP Copper Inc., formerly known as Magma Copper Company
6. Lessee or Permittee:	None
7. Basis of Right:	38-0027714
8. Beneficial Use:	Stockpond
9. Priority Date:	9/1/1967
10. Quantity:	≤ 4 ac-ft with continuous fill
11. Place of Use:	NW SW SE 02 T10S R17E UTM 12 S, 539821.08 m E, 3605792.94 m N in NAD-83
12. Point of Diversion:	NW SW SE 02 T10S R17E UTM 12 S, 539821.08 m E, 3605792.94 m N in NAD-83
13. Source of Water:	Surface Water (unnamed wash)
14. Name of Facility:	SP-06

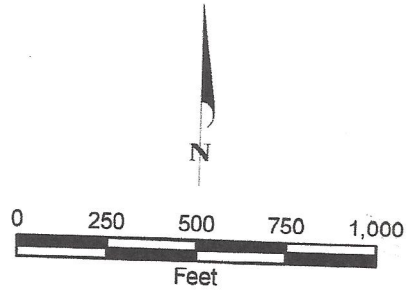
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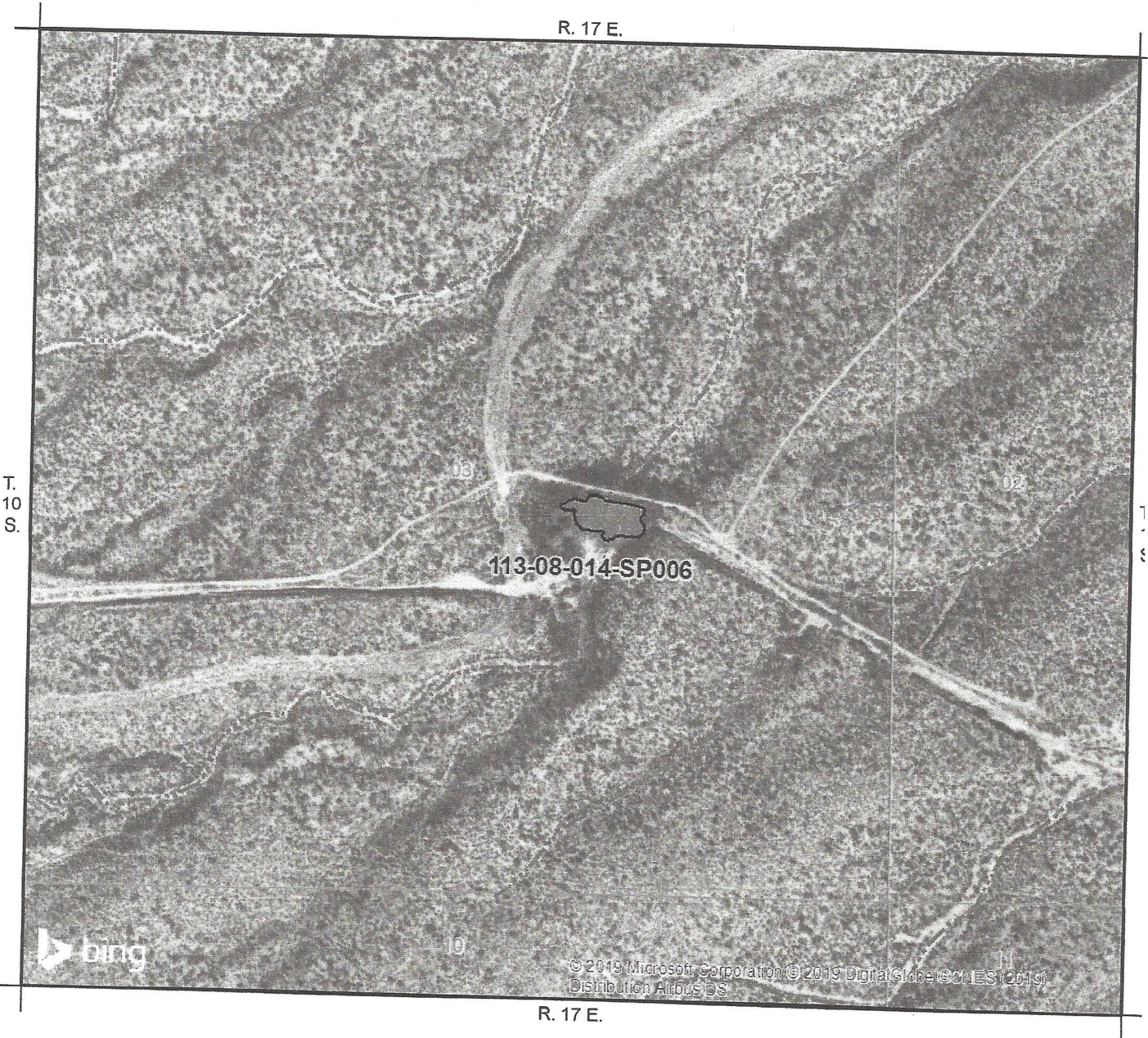
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Abstract of Water Right San Pedro Watershed



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2. Owner of Water Right:	BHP Copper Inc.
3. Landowner:	BHP Copper Inc.
4. Statement of Claimant No.(s):	39-0003155
5. Statement of Claimant Name(s):	BHP Copper Inc., formerly known as Magma Copper Company
6. Lessee or Permittee:	None
7. Basis of Right:	38-0027720
8. Beneficial Use:	Stockpond
9. Priority Date:	12/31/1948
10. Quantity:	≤ 4 ac-ft with continuous fill
11. Place of Use:	SW NE SE 03 T10S R17E UTM 12 S, 538620.55 m E, 3605881.35 m N in NAD-83
12. Point of Diversion:	SW NE SE 03 T10S R17E UTM 12 S, 538620.55 m E, 3605881.35 m N in NAD-83
13. Source of Water:	Surface Water (unnamed wash)
14. Name of Facility:	SP-12

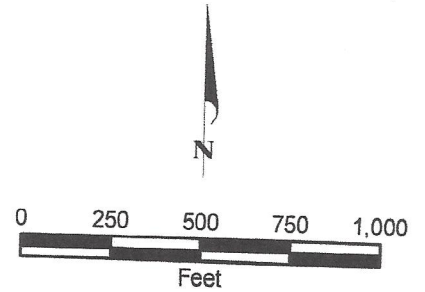
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