WATER RIGHTS ENFORCEMENT REFERRAL

Complete this form by entering the requested information in the blanks provided and by checking the answer(s) which most clearly apply.

1. The alleged violator is:
   1.1. Name: ___________________________________________________________
   1.2. Address: _______________________________________________________
   1.3. Telephone: _____________________________________________________

2. If the alleged violator is other than an individual (Example: irrigation company, mutual water company, corporation, LLC, etc.), the contact person is:
   2.1. Name: _________________________________________________________
   2.2. Office / Title: ___________________________________________________

3. Did the alleged violation occur or continue to occur during the past 12 months?
   3.1. □ Yes
   3.2. □ No (If “No,” the violation is not likely subject to enforcement action.)

4. The alleged violation arises from (check all that apply):
   4.1. □ a person diverting, impounding or using water for which no water right has been established;
   4.2. □ a person diverting, impounding or using water in violation of an existing water right (Example: water is being taken from a source or used in a manner, amount, time or place not authorized by the water rights.);
   4.2.1. The alleged violator’s water right/application number(s), if known, are:

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4.3. □ Other statute or rule:

4.3.1. Specify the relevant statute or rule allegedly violated: ¹

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5. When did the alleged violation first occur? Date: ____________________________

6. Is the violation continuing to the present date?

6.1. □ Yes

6.2. □ No. Ended on date: ____________________________

7. Provide a narrative description of the alleged violation including any relevant details and pertinent information not addressed or identified in the foregoing items. Provide copies of correspondence, records, pictures, etc., related to the alleged violation. Avoid submitting documentation that will identify you as the referent. Attach additional sheet(s) as needed.

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¹The following actions are subject to an enforcement action under § 73-2-25 (2) (a):

(iii) violates Section 73-5-4;
(iv) violates Section 73-5-9;
(v) violates a written distribution order from the state engineer;
(vi) violates Section 73-3-29;
(vii) violates a notice or order regarding dam safety issued under Chapter 5a, Dam Safety;
(viii) fails to submit a report required by Section 73-3-25; or
(ix) engages in well drilling without a license required by Section 73-3-25.

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8. You **must** provide the following information before the Division of Water Rights will investigate this referral:

   8.1.1. Your name(s): ____________________________________________

   8.1.2. Your mailing address:
   _____________________________________________________________
   _____________________________________________________________

   8.1.3. Your telephone #(s): _____________________________________

9. Signature: ____________________________________________________
   Date: __________________________

Completed referral forms should be mailed to:

   Division of Water Rights
   Enforcement Office
   646 North Main Street
   P. O. Box 506
   CEDAR CITY, UT  84721-0506

You may contact the Enforcement Office by calling (435) 586-4231 or by sending an e-mail to: kurtvest@utah.gov

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