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TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 65 EAST, MDM, NEVADA

CHAINS

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The land within the confines of the resurvey in Township 16 South, Range 65 East, located on the Moapa Indian Reservation, approximately 10 miles southwest of Glendale, Nevada, is predominately gently rolling desert land at about 1800 ft. above sea level. Many washes drain toward the California Wash, which traverses the township draining primarily north-northeast. The soil varies from sandy to rocky. Vegetation is a constant mix of desert chaparral, creosote and cacti.

There are several improvements located in this area. Interstate Highway No. 15 enters in section 31 and leaves in section 1. A broad utility corridor right-of-way, which features several major transmission lines, traverses the northwest corner of the township and the Union Pacific Railroad crosses a good portion of the area, entering alongside the interstate highway in section 31 and leaving in section 3. There is one primary access road in the area which leaves the interstate at the Ute interchange, heading northwesterly toward a microwave relay station located in an adjoining township. In addition, there are several material sites which have been utilized in the construction of the interstate highway.

Principal users of the area are utility companies, the railroad and motorists.