

AMENDED DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Subcase Nos. 63-4631B & 63-31736

In Re SRBA

Twin Falls County Civil Case No. 39576

Report to the SRBA District Court

Prepared by the Idaho Department of Water Resources
Karl J. Dreher, Director
David R. Tuthill, Jr., Adjudication Bureau Chief

November 19, 2003

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY

This is an Amended Director's Report submitted by the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.

DISCUSSION

Pursuant to the *Order Requesting Clarification of Amended Director's Report* issued by Special Master Cushman on November 12, 2003, IDWR submits for filing with the Court the following report.

CLARIFICATION

In order to resolve the objections filed to this water right recommendation, IDWR conducted an additional field examination for water right no. 63-4631B. After the field examination and pursuant to additional information obtained by IDWR, water right 63-4631B was split into four parts and drafts of revised recommendations were prepared as a settlement proposal to the parties. The proposed split numbers are: 63-31733, 63-31734, 63-31735 & 63-31736.

A Mandatory Settlement Conference was held in Twin Falls on October 28, 2003 before settlement moderator, Special Master Bilyeu. At the settlement conference, it was understood that the parties had reached an agreement. The SF 5 for 63-31736 settled the objection filed by the United States Forest Service. Accordingly, the SF 5 for that portion of the split was signed and filed with the court. The expectation at the settlement conference was that the SF 5's would be signed and filed for the remaining split numbers in the near future.

A few days after the SF 5 for 63-31736 was filed with the SRBA court, the parties telephoned IDWR to report that the objectors were not ready to sign the settlement agreement. Thus, the SF 5's prepared for proposed split numbers: 63-31733, 63-31734 and 63-31735 would not be filed.

CONCLUSION

It is hereby requested by this report, that the Special Master set aside the SF 5 for split number 63-31736 and hold it in abeyance until the outcome of all the objections is determined.

Respectfully submitted this 18th day of November, 2003.


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