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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

In Re SRBA	)	SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT
	)	
Case No. 39576	)	FINDINGS OF FACT AND
	)	CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
	)	
	)	FOR WATER RIGHTS 65-03086, 65-
	)	04055, 65-04056

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

Notices of Claim were filed for the above rights pursuant to I.C. § 42-1409. The Director of the State of Idaho Department of Water Resources examined the water system for this reporting area. The *Director's Report* contained a recommendation for the elements of these water rights.

A *Notice of Completed Administrative Proceeding and Amended Director's Report* was filed on December 13, 2001 for a change of address for the above water rights. Objections were filed to the above rights on January 17, 2002 by the United States through the Department of Interior, Bureau of Reclamation regarding Separate Streams General Provisions. On January 7, 2004, three *Standard Form 5/Stipulated Elements of a Water Right* addressing the Separate Streams General Provisions signed by the claimants and the objector were filed for the above Water Rights. I.D.W.R. concurred on the *Standard Form 5s*.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Therefore, based on the file and record herein and pursuant to the *Standard Form 5* forms, IT IS RECOMMENDED that the above water rights be decreed with the elements as set forth in the attached *Recommendation for Partial Decrees Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)*.

DATED: April 7, 2004.



THOMAS R CUSHMAN
Special Master
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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In Re SRBA)
) PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
) I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Case No. 39576)
)
) Water Right 65-04056

NAME AND ADDRESS: JAMES W SMITH
11606 CARTWRIGHT RD
BOISE, ID 83702

MARY B SMITH
11606 CARTWRIGHT RD
BOISE, ID 83703

SOURCE: PINE CREEK TRIBUTARY: SQUAW CREEK

QUANTITY: 0.12 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 05/29/1927

POINT OF DIVERSION: T11N R01E S35 SENE Within Gem County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-01 TO 11-01	0.12 CFS

PLACE OF USE: Irrigation Within Gem County
T11N R01E S35 NESE 3.0 NWSE 3.0
6.0 Acres Total

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

Basin 65 General Provisions No. 3, the Separate Streams
General Provision, does not apply to appropriations of water
after October 18, 1977.

This water right shall be administered as being from a
separate source pursuant to Basin 65 General Provision No. 3.
If the holder of this right seeks to change the right pursuant
to Idaho Code Section 42-222 or successor statute, nothing in
this general provision shall preclude any other person or entity
from demonstrating that such change in use would cause injury to
its water right or from receiving any relief provided by law in
the event of injury.

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS
NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT
ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE ULTIMATELY
DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE
ENTRY OF A FINAL UNIFIED DECREE. I.C. SECTION 42-1412(6).

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance
with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a
final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final
judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

RECOMMENDATION

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Presiding Judge of the
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) I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
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)
) Water Right 65-04055

MARY B SMITH
11606 CARTWRIGHT RD
BOISE, ID 83703

QUANTITY: 0.64 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 05/29/1927

POINT OF DIVERSION: T11N R01E S35 NWNW Within Gem County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-01 TO 11-01	0.64 CFS

PLACE OF USE:	Irrigation	Within Gem County
	T11N R01E S35	NENW 7.0
		NWNW 25.0
	32.0 Acres Total	

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

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) I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Case No. 19576)
) Water Right 65-03086

NAME AND ADDRESS: JAMES W SMITH
11606 CARTWRIGHT RD
BOISE, ID 83702

MARY B SMITH
11606 CARTWRIGHT RD
BOISE, ID 83703

SOURCE: SQUAW CREEK TRIBUTARY: PAYETTE RIVER

QUANTITY: 1.13 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 05/01/1893

POINT OF DIVERSION: T11N R01E S26 SWSW Within Gem County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-01 TO 11-01	1.13 CFS

PLACE OF USE:	Irrigation		Within Gem County
	T11N R01E S35	NWNE 8.0	SWNE 31.0
		SENE 8.0	NENW 2.0
		NWSE 7.0	
	56.0 Acres Total		

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

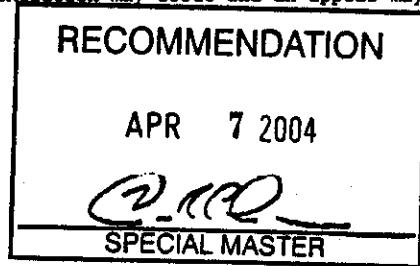
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NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF
SPECIAL MASTER'S
RECOMMENDATION

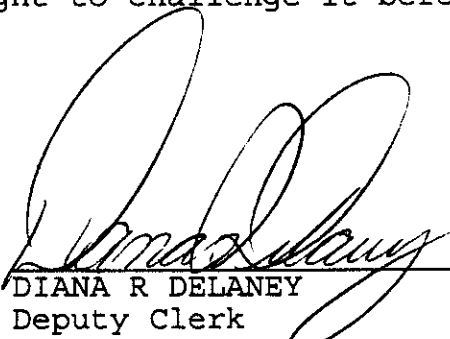
Water Right(s): 65-03086
65-04055 65-04056

On April 07, 2004, Special Master THOMAS R CUSHMAN
issued a SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION for the above subcase(s)
pursuant to SRBA Administrative Order 1 (AO1), Section 13a.

Pursuant to SRBA Administrative Order 1, Section 13a, any party
to the adjudication including parties to the subcase, may file a Motion
to Alter or Amend on or before the 28th day of the next month.

Failure of any party in the adjudication to pursue or participate
in a Motion to Alter or Amend the SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION
shall constitute a waiver of the right to challenge it before the
Presiding Judge.

DATED April 07, 2004.



DIANA R DELANEY
Deputy Clerk

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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65-04055 65-04056

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT, SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR PARTIAL DECREE and NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION were mailed on April 07, 2004, with sufficient first-class postage prepaid to the following:

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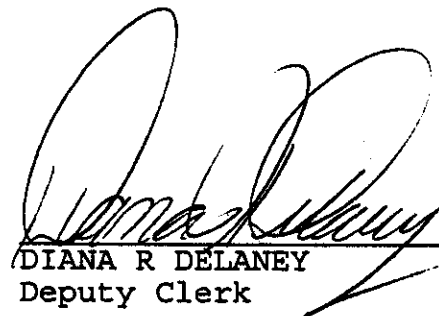
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
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US DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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