

DISTRICT COURT - SRBA
TWIN FALLS CO., IDAHO
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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 RIGHT: 23-10894
	)	

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

A notice of claim was filed for the above listed water right 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 or abstract for the elements of this water right. Water right 23-10894 was claimed as a dual based claim. (i.e. claimed with both a state and federal reserved priority date.

On September 11 1998, the State of Idaho filed an objection. On May 26, 2004, an Affidavit of Fredric W Price was filed. A 42-1411(a) was held on May 26, 2004. Lee Leininger appeared on behalf of the United States and David Barber appeared for the State of Idaho. Per the Affidavit the United States requested this water right be issued as PWR 107 with a priority date of 4/17/1926. The State of Idaho did not object.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Therefore based on the file and record herein, IT IS RECOMMENDED that the above listed water right be decreed with the elements as set forth in the attached *Recommendation for Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)*.

DATED June 21, 2004.



THOMAS R. CUSHMAN
Special Master
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR

Water Right 23-10894

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NAME AND ADDRESS: USDI BLM
IDAHO STATE OFFICE
1387 S VINNELL WAY
BOISE, ID 83709

SOURCE: WATERCRESS SPRING TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY: 0.02 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 04/17/1926

THIS WATER RIGHT IS CLAIMED BASED ON FEDERAL LAW WITH AN APRIL
17, 1926, DATE OF PRIORITY PURSUANT TO AN EXECUTIVE ORDER SIGNED
THE SAME DATE AND KNOW AS PUBLIC WATER RESERVE 107.

POINT OF DIVERSION: T03N R43E S30 LOT 5 (NWSEW) Within Bonneville County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE
Stockwater

PERIOD OF USE
01-01 TO 12-31

QUANTITY
0.02 CFS

PLACE OF USE:

Stockwater
T03N R43E S30 LOT 5 (SEW)

Within Bonneville County

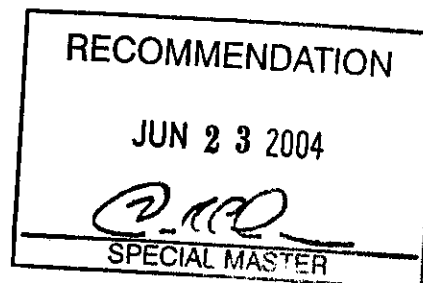
OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

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.

John M. Melanson
Presiding Judge of the
Snake River Basin Adjudication



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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 June 23, 2004, with sufficient first-class postage prepaid to the following:

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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.


DEBBIE LASH
Deputy Clerk