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DISTRICT COURT
253 Third Ave., North
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Re: SRBA Case No. 39576
Subcase Nos. 36-15127A, 36-15127B, 36-15192, 36-15193A, 36-15193B,
36-15194A, 36-15194B, 36-15195A, 36-15195B, 36-15196A, and 36-15196B

Dear Ms. Messick:

Enclosed for filing are the original copies of the following documents in the above mentioned subcases:

1. **MOTION TO RESCHEDULE MAY 17 SCHEDULING CONFERENCE**
2. **[Proposed] ORDER RESETTING SCHEDULING CONFERENCE**

Thank you for your time and attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

David A. Jarvis
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Enclosures

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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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)	Subcase Nos. 36-15127A, 36-15127B,
)	36-15192, 36-15193A, 36-15193B,
)	36-15194A, 36-15194B, 36-15195A,
)	36-15195B, 36-15196A, and 36-15196B
)	
Case No. 39576)	MOTION TO RESCHEDULE
)	MAY 17 SCHEDULING
)	CONFERENCE
_____)	

The United States of America, by and through the undersigned attorney,
respectfully moves this court to reschedule the Scheduling Conference which had been set for
Friday, May 17, at 1:30 PM in Twin Falls.

The attorney for the United States has long standing plans to be out of the country

for most of the month of May and will not be back in the office until June 3. Due to the recent departure of one of the Department of Justice attorneys, who has not yet been replaced, the workload of other attorneys in the Denver Field Office will not allow another attorney to fill in for the absent attorney.

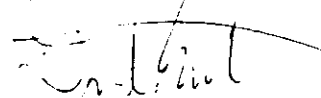
Other counsel have been contacted and are not opposed to rescheduling the Scheduling Conference. The United States was advised by the SRBA Court that a new procedure by the court allows for resetting the Scheduling Conference to either the first or third Thursday of the month. Only the afternoon of the third Thursday in June, June 20, is open for all parties.

Therefore, the United States respectfully requests that the SRBA Court reschedule the Scheduling Conference for the listed subcases to the afternoon of Thursday, June 20, 2002.

DATED this 18th day of April, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the **MOTION TO RESCHEDULE MAY 17 SCHEDULING CONFERENCE** was mailed by U.S. mail this 10th day of April, 2002 to all individuals listed below.

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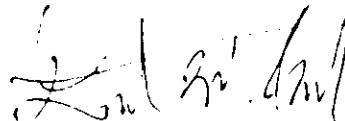
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An *Order Setting Scheduling Conference* was entered on April 2, 2002. A *Motion to Reschedule May 17 Scheduling Conference* was filed by the United States on April 19, 2002.

There appearing to be good cause and no objection to the motion by the United States, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Scheduling Conference originally set for Friday, May 17, 2002 at 1:30 p.m. shall be reset for **Thursday, June 20, 2002 at 1:30 p.m.** at the SRBA Courthouse, 253 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, Idaho. Parties may participate by telephone if the contact the clerk at (208) 736-3011 prior to June 19, 2002.

DATED _____

TERRENCE A. DOLAN
Special Master
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