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DEPARTMENT OF  
WATER RESOURCES

**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

Case No. 39576

A. Subcase: 45-13654  
STANDARD FORM 1  
OBJECTION

Please fill in the following information:

**B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING**

Name: United States of America, Acting through the USDA Forest Service  
Address: 550 West Fort Street  
MSC 033  
Boise, Idaho 83724  
Daytime Phone: (208) 331-5943

Name and Address of Attorney, if any:

David L. Negri  
550 West Fort Street  
MSC 033  
Boise, Idaho 83724

**C. CLAIMANT OF WATER RIGHT AS LISTED IN THE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Name: Pickett Ranch & Sheep Co.  
Address: 1650 S 570 W  
Oakley, ID 83346

**D.** I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report.  
(Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ **Name and Address**

Should be:

2. ☐ **Source**

Should be:

3. ☒ **Quantity**

Should be: See E Below

4. ☒ **Priority Date**

Should be: See E Below

5. ☐ **Point(s) of Diversion**

Should be:

6. ☐ **Instream Flow Description**

Should be:

7. ☐ **Purpose(s) of Use**

Should be:

8. ☐ **Period of Year**

Should be:

9. ☐ **Places of Use**

Should be:

11. I object because:

☐ This water right should not exist.

☐ This water right was not recommended, but should be recommended with the elements described above.

**E. REASONS SUPPORTING OBJECTION(S):**

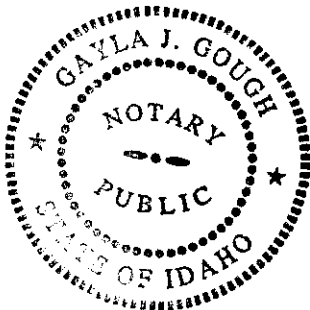
The United States objects to this water right recommendation in order to implement the terms and conditions of the Stockwater Stipulation and Joint Motion for Order Approving Stipulation signed by Pickett Ranch and Sheep Co., and filed on August 29, 2002.

State of Idaho                 )  
County of Ada                 ) ss.

That I am the party/claimant filing this objection, as defined by I.C. §§ 42-1401A(1) and (6) or that I am the attorney for the party/claimant objecting and that I have read this objection, know its contents and believe that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

David Nouri  
(Attorney signing in representative capacity)

  
Gayla J. Gough



Notary Public for: Idaho  
Residing at: Kuna, Idaho  
Commission Expires: 11/17/2004

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the objection to the Clerk of the Court. FAX filings will not be accepted. You must also send a copy to all the parties listed below in the Certificate of Mailing.

### G. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on October 15, 2004, I mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons:

1. Original to:

Clerk of the District Court  
Snake River Basin Adjudication  
253 Third Avenue North  
PO Box 2707  
Twin Falls, ID 83303-2707

2. One copy to the claimant of the water right at the following address:

Name: Pickett Ranch & Sheep Co.  
Address: 1650 S 570 W  
Oakley, ID 83346

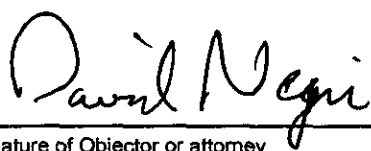
Objection served upon counsel  
for Claimant(s)

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Environment and Natural Resources Division  
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Boise, ID 83724

  
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Signature of Objector or attorney  
mailing on Objector's behalf