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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 Numbers: See Attached Exhibit A
	)	
Case No. 39576	)	STIPULATION TO RESOLVE
_____	)	OBJECTIONS AND RESPONSES

The United States of America, the State of Idaho, and Pickett Ranch and Sheep Co., Joe Tugaw, Scott Bedke, Karl Bedke, Michael Poulton, Gary Poulton, Western Stockgrowers Assoc., and Flying Triangle, Inc. (hereinafter collectively "Federal Stockwater Group"), by and through the undersigned counsel, agree and stipulate to resolve the objections and responses to the United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management's (hereinafter "BLM") water right claims listed on attached Exhibit A as follows:

STIPULATION

1. The United States of America, the State of Idaho, and the Federal Stockwater Group stipulate and agree that the priority date for the 234 in-stream livestock watering state law based water right claims listed on attached Exhibit A shall be amended to June 28, 1934; and "Other Provisions Necessary for Definition/Administration of this Water Right:" shall be amended to include:

"THE OPERATION, USE, AND ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT IS ALSO SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE STIPULATION AND JOINT MOTION FOR ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION ENTERED INTO ON AUGUST 29, 2002 BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND WESTERN STOCKGROWERS ASSOCIATION, ET AL.; THE PROVISIONS OF SUCH STIPULATION TO APPLY FULLY TO THIS WATER RIGHT."

2. The United States of America, the State of Idaho, and the Federal Stockwater Group stipulate and agree that this stipulation resolves all of the State of Idaho's objections and all of the Federal Stockwater Group's objections and responses to the water right claims listed on attached Exhibit A.

3. The United States of America, the State of Idaho, and the Federal Stockwater Group stipulate and agree that the water right claims listed on attached Exhibit A may and should be recommended for partial decree.

4. The parties agree that nothing in this stipulation shall prevent the BLM from administering the use of public land and its associated water rights in accordance with applicable law.

5. This stipulation has been reached through good faith negotiations for the purpose of resolving legal disputes, including pending litigation. The parties agree that no offers and/or compromises made in the course thereof shall be construed as admissions against interest. This stipulation does not create a precedent for settlement of any other disputes or objections.

6. This stipulation was entered into and executed voluntarily by all the parties in good faith, and without any fraud, misunderstanding, overreaching, misrepresentation, duress, or undue influence.

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7. The parties agree to bear their own costs and attorney fees.

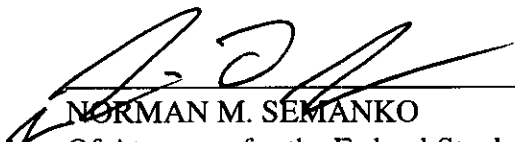
**OBJECTOR:
STATE OF IDAHO**

*Objections withdrawn by stipulation dated 10/30/02 and
03/07/03 JAS*

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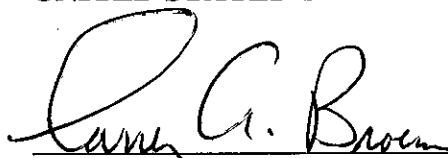
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**OBJECTOR/RESPONDENT:
FEDERAL STOCKWATER GROUP**


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DATED: 3/13/03

**CLAIMANT:
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**


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DATED: 3/17/03

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

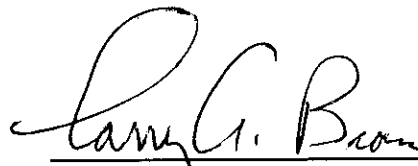
I certify that on Mar. 18, 2003, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing **STIPULATION TO RESOLVE OBJECTIONS AND RESPONSES; SUBCASE NUMBERS: 37-14427, ET AL.** upon the following individuals by placing the document in the United States Mail in Washington D.C., postage paid, and addressed as follows:

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