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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 63-3447D
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I. FINDINGS OF FACT

A notice of claim was filed for this 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.

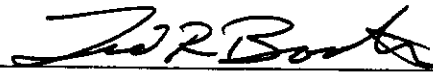
An objection was filed by the United States of America, Bureau of Reclamation and an objection was filed by the Boise Project Board of Control. Both objections were filed on January 31, 2003.

All objections to this water right were resolved with the filing of a *Standard Form 5*. All parties to the subcase and IDWR signed the *Standard Form 5*.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Therefore, based on the file and record herein and pursuant to the *Standard Form 5*, it is RECOMMENDED that water right 63-3447D be decreed with the elements as set forth in the attached *Recommendation for Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)*.

DATE November 1, 2004.



THEODORE R BOOTH
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 63-03447D

NAME AND ADDRESS: JAMES R STEPHENS
JOAN STEPHENS
3040 ELDER STREET
BOISE, ID 83705

SOURCE: ASHTON GULCH TRIBUTARY: ROBIE CREEK

QUANTITY: 0.01 CFS
4.25 AFY

USE OF THIS RIGHT WITH RIGHTS LISTED BELOW IS LIMITED TO A TOTAL
COMBINED DIVERSION RATE OF .10 CFS AND TO A TOTAL COMBINED
ANNUAL DIVERSION VOLUME OF 39.1 AF. COMBINED RIGHT NOS.:
63-3447B & 63-3447C.

PRIORITY DATE: 04/26/1965

POINT OF DIVERSION: T04N R04E S30 LOT 2 (SWNW) Within Boise County

PURPOSE AND
PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
Irrigation	04-01 TO 10-15	0.01 CFS
		4.25 AFY

THE USE OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION UNDER THIS RIGHT MAY BEGIN AS
EARLY AS MARCH 15 AND MAY CONTINUE TO AS LATE AS NOVEMBER 15,
PROVIDED OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE RIGHT ARE NOT EXCEEDED. THE USE
OF WATER BEFORE APRIL 1 AND AFTER OCTOBER 15 UNDER THIS REMARK
IS SUBORDINATE TO ALL WATER RIGHTS HAVING NO SUBORDINATED EARLY
OR LATE IRRIGATION USE AND A PRIORITY DATE EARLIER THAN THE DATE
A PARTIAL DECREE IS ENTERED FOR THIS RIGHT.

DIVERSION FOR IRRIGATION UNDER THIS WATER RIGHT PRIOR TO APRIL 1
AND AFTER OCTOBER 31 SHALL OCCUR ONLY AS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER
DISTRICT 63 WATERMASTER AND ONLY WHEN WATER IS BEING RELEASED
FOR FLOOD CONTROL BY THE UNITED STATES FROM THE LUCKY PEAK DAM
OUTLET UNDER PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MEMORANDUM OF
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY AND THE U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR FOR FLOOD CONTROL OPERATIONS OF THE
BOISE RIVER RESERVOIRS, DATED NOVEMBER 20, 1953, THE WATER
CONTROL MANUAL FOR BOISE RIVER RESERVOIR DATED APRIL 1985 AND
ANY FUTURE AMENDMENTS OR REVISIONS MADE THERETO PURSUANT TO
STATE OR FEDERAL PROCEDURES OR LAW; PROVIDED THAT ANY SUCH USE
OF THIS WATER RIGHT PRIOR TO APRIL 1 AND AFTER OCTOBER 31 SHALL
BE SUBORDINATED TO WATER RIGHTS FOR STORAGE IN LUCKY PEAK
RESERVOIR AND/OR LAKE LOWELL AS DECREED IN SRBA CASE NO. 39576.

PLACE OF USE: Irrigation Within Boise County
T04N R04E S30 LOT 1 (NWNW) 1.0 LOT 2 (SWNW) 0.7
1.7 Acres Total

USE OF THIS RIGHT WITH THE RIGHTS LISTED BELOW IS LIMITED TO THE
IRRIGATION OF A COMBINED TOTAL OF 15.2 ACRES IN A SINGLE
IRRIGATION SEASON. COMBINED RIGHT NOS.: 63-3447B & 63-3447C

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

SRBA Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b) (continued)

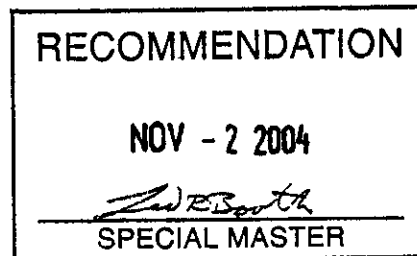
OTHER PROVISIONS (continued)

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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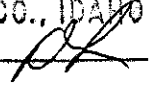
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NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF
SPECIAL MASTER'S
RECOMMENDATION

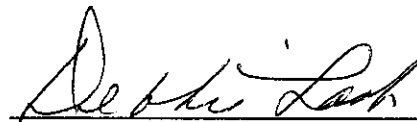
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On November 02, 2004, Special Master THEODORE R. BOOTH
issued a SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION for the above subcase(s)
pursuant to SRBA Administrative Order 1 (AO1), Section 13a.

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 November 02, 2004.



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Deputy Clerk