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RE: Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)
Notice of Claim to a Water Right #81-7019

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Hendren:

Thank you for your note about no longer using the creek water for your irrigation. We appreciate being kept up to date by water users.

You state that you are now using a well for all of your water use. Section 42-111 of *Idaho Code* limits the amount of land that can be irrigated under a domestic water right to one-half (1/2) acre. If you are irrigating more than 1/2 acre with your well, you will need to file an Application for Permit to obtain an irrigation right from ground water.

Also, you may wish to retain your water right from Clear Creek until you are certain you have a water right from your well that is sufficient for all of your needs.

Please either send me a note or call toll-free at 1/800-451-412 so that we can provide you with the proper forms.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Carter Fritschle', is written over a horizontal line.

Carter Fritschle
Water Rights Supervisor
Adjudication Bureau

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