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April 20, 2005

Craig L. Saxton
Sr. Water Resource Agent
Adjudication Bureau
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
Post Office Box 83720
Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Re: New Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA) Claim 67-14549

Dear Craig:

In response to your letter of April 12, 2005, enclosed please find the following documents:

1. Copy of the Notice of Claim with the date of priority changed to 4/1/1950 and initialed by me.
2. My affidavit duly signed before a notary public as evidence of priority. Jacque Wray faxed a copy of this to you and you called her back indicating that this is sufficient to establish the priority date.

If there is any additional information you require, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me.

Sincerely,

Frank R. (Bud) Chrestesen

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Encls.

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STATE OF IDAHO)
 : ss.
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON)

COMES NOW, FRANK ROBERT CHRESTESEN, under oath, depose and state as follows:

That I am one of the applicants in the Notice Of Claim to a Water Right, 67-14549 filed with the Department of Water Resources of the State of Idaho;

That the real property described for the point of diversion and place of use for the claim was purchased by my grandfather, Chris Chrestesen, in 1930 at an auction sale of the property due to a tax lien. That the property has been in my family continuously since that time, having been passed down through the estates of my father, mother and uncle. That the applicants to said claim to a water right are the current owners of such property.

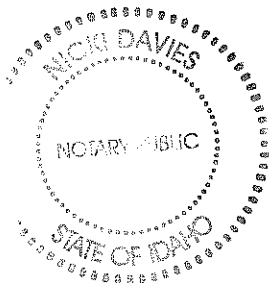
That during my lifetime, I have resided on this property off and on my entire life and have lived there continuously since 1981. During those times when I was not residing there, I visited the property from time to time and helped with irrigating the fields.

I am personally aware that my uncle, Clarence Chrestesen, began diverting and using the wastewater running through this property from the Woodland property in approximately the spring of 1950. Through the use of different headgates and ditches, he was able to use the water from four different points of diversion on different fields. He told me many, many times during his last years, that it was his intention to file a claim on this waste water, but due to failing health, this was never accomplished.

Dated this 21 day of April, 2005.

Frank Robert Chrestesen
Frank Robert Chrestesen

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me, this 21st day of April, 2005.



Nicki Davies
Notary Public
Residing at Weiser, Idaho
My commission expires 12/18/2009

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF RIGHTS TO THE USE OF WATER FROM
THE SNAKE RIVER BASIN WATER SYSTEM

CIVIL CASE NUMBER: 39576

Ident. Number 67-14549
Date Received: 3/24/2005
Receipt No: C077252
Received By:

COPY FOR YOUR FILE

NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

1. Name of Claimant(s)

FRANK ROBERT CHRESTESEN Phone: (208)549-1457

2264 WEISER RIVER RD
WEISER ID USA 83672

MICHAEL CRAIG CARPENTER Phone: (208)549-1457

2264 WEISER RIVER RD
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MARY LOUISE PURCELL Phone: (208)549-1457

2264 WEISER RIVER RD
WEISER ID USA 83672

4/1/1950 FC

2. Date of Priority: 12/31/1950

3. Source: WASTE WATER Trib. to: CRANE CREEK

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4 of	1/4 Lot	County	Type
11N	04E	14	SE	NE	NW	WASHINGTON	
11N	04E	14	NW	SW	NE	WASHINGTON	
11N	04E	14	NE	SW	NE	WASHINGTON	
11N	04E	14	NW	SW	NE	WASHINGTON	

5. Description of diverting works:

- 1- HEADGATE AND DIRT DAM, DITCHES
- 2- HEADGATE, DITCHES
- 3- HEADGATE, DITCHES
- 4- HEADGATE, DITCHES