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Via Facsimile

Attention: Julie, Clerk of the Court
Snake River Basin Adjudication
253 Third Avenue North
Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Re: *SRBA Case No. 39576 -Subcase Nos. 55-02414, 55-07319, 55-07383, 55-07410, 55-07413, 55-07420, 55-11890 (USDI/BLM), and 55-13450 (LU Ranching, Jeff Anderson Estate, Inc. and Stanford)*

Dear Julie:

Attached is LU Ranching Company's Second Unopposed Motion to Amend Trial Schedule Order with the corrected series of Subcase Numbers on the caption page. In addition, we are sending to your Court 9 copies for your file. Please conform-stamp a copy and return it to us in the enclosed stamped envelope. Per the attached proof of service, we are sending the corrected caption page to the parties in this action.

Please call me at 415-836-5551 if you have any questions.

Julie, thank you for your assistance with this!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Sarah E. Strickland'.

Sarah E. Strickland
Assistant to Michael J. Van Zandt

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

12 In Re SRBA

13 Case No. 39576
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Subcase Numbers 55-02414, 55-07319, 55-
07383, 55-07410, 55-07413, 55-07420, 55-
11890 (USDI/BLM), and 55-13450 (LU
Ranching, Jeff Anderson Estate, Inc. and
Stanford)

15 **LU RANCHING CO.'S SECOND**
16 **UNOPPOSED MOTION TO AMEND**
17 **TRIAL SCHEDULE ORDER**

18 LU Ranching Co., Inc. ("LU Ranching") by and through its attorneys hereby requests that
19 the Court amend the current Trial Schedule Order for the reasons and in the manner set forth, below:

20 1. Under the current Amended Trial Schedule Order, the deadline for the completion of
21 all discovery was April 29, 2005. The parties previously agreed to an extension of the discovery
22 deadline to May 27, 2005 and an extension of the dispositive motion deadline to June 24, 2005. An
23 Unopposed Motion to Amend Trial Schedule Order was filed with the Court to reflect these new
24 proposed deadlines.

25 2. Since the filing of the first Motion to Amend, the United States advised of a conflict
26 during the month of May that necessitated the further postponement of the discovery deadline. To
27 address scheduling issues of both parties and their counsel, and the resetting of the trial date in

1 consultation with the Court, the parties have agreed to the following proposed amended scheduling
2 order and submit the same to the Court for approval:

- 3 a. Amendment of Claims: May 31, 2005;
- 4 b. Close of Discovery: July 29, 2005;
- 5 c. Dispositive Motions Deadline: August 30, 2005 (briefing schedule and oral
6 argument to be determined);
- 7 d. Motions in Limine filed: October 31, 2005 (telephonic oral argument,
8 November 7, 2005);
- 9 e. Witness and Exhibit Lists filed and exchanged: October 31, 2005;
- 10 f. Trial Memoranda filed and exchanged: October 31, 2005;
- 11 g. Trial (one week): November 14, 2005.

12 3. Related scheduling issues are raised by the filing of the United States' Motion for
13 Summary Judgment on May 10, 2005. Counsel for the parties have conferred and agreed on the
14 following proposed briefing schedule as it relates to the recently filed Motion for Summary
15 Judgment:

- 16 a. Response Brief to be filed by LU Ranching: June 10, 2005
- 17 b. Reply Brief to be filed by the United States: June 24, 2005
- 18 c. Telephonic oral argument: on a date to be determined

19 WHEREFORE, LU Ranching respectfully requests that the Court amend the trial
20 scheduling order now in effect and set a briefing schedule on the United States' pending Motion for
21 Summary Judgment as set forth, above.

22 Dated this 11th day of May, 2005.

23 Respectfully submitted,

24 McQUAID BEDFORD & VAN ZANDT, LLP

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26 By: 
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MICHAEL J. VAN ZANDT
ELIZABETH EWENS

1 Dated this 11th day of May, 2005.

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4 By: 

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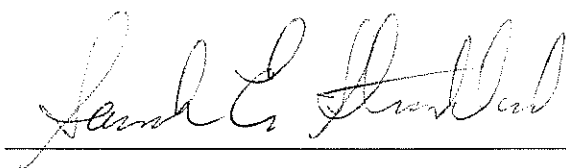
2 I certify that on May 13, 2005, I served a true and correct copy of foregoing **LU**
3 **RANCHING CO.S' SECOND UNOPPOSED MOTION TO AMEND TRIAL SCHEDULE**
4 **ORDER** upon the following individuals by placing the document in the United States Mail, postage
5 paid, and addressed as follows:

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