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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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EASTERN REGION

September 19, 2001

DIRK KEMPTHORNE  
GOVERNOR

KARL J. DREHER  
DIRECTOR

ARKANSAS RANCHES INC  
8450 S BOB SMITH RD  
LAVA HOT SPRINGS ID 83246

MAX W HALL  
5920 E OLD OREGON TRAIL RD  
LAVA HOT SPRINGS ID 83246

RE: NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT NUMBERS A29-00216 AND A29-00207A

Dear Gentlemen:

We are in the beginning phase of investigating Basin 29 to make recommendations to the Snake River Basin Adjudication Court. In our investigation process we discovered that Township 9 South, Range 37 East, Section 15 NE1/4, SW1/4, has been claimed by both Max W. Hall and Arkansas Ranches Inc. Enclosed is an aerial photo with the property outlined.

To make an accurate recommendation on both of the above-mentioned water rights, we need legal documentation from both parties showing who owns the property.

If you have any questions feel free to contact Allen Ruberry at 208-525-7161.

Respectfully submitted,

*Cheri Vandermeulen*

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Records Clerk

Enclosure: 1

*10/6/01 Alan Christenson CALLED - SAY THEY DON'T  
OWN THE LAND IN QUESTION. I suggested I meet  
w/him on 10/08 @ 4:00pm TO REVIEW + Amend claim.  
OK*

*10/9/01 MOT w/ DARROW (Brother) VISITED CORRECT  
YOU AND POD- NEED TO AMEND TO CORRECT  
POLI. DARROW AUTHORIZES AMENDED CLAIM.*