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September 17, 2005

Roxanne Brown
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Idaho Department of Water Resources
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Dear Ms. Brown:

In response to your letter of June 29, 2005, we have researched the background of Water Right Number 75-10629 (T22N R22E S08), which is currently listed as a Beneficial Use claim. Your letter indicated that we need to submit evidence supporting the priority date of 4/01/1915.

We met on September 10 with Jack Ellis, the contract employee for water claims in the Carmen Creek area. He indicated that our water right is part of the high-water filing made in 1982 by ranchers in the Carmen Creek drainage. Mr. Ellis also told us that Dave McFarland, Water Master for the Carmen Creek drainage, is writing a letter that establishes the basis for our claim and the rest of the claims associated with that filing, including the basis for the priority date.

If this information is not sufficient to allow you to further process this claim, please let us know. In addition, please note that Stephen Kimball and Moira Ingle are husband and wife, at the same address, and co-owners of the property. As such, we do not require two copies of correspondence.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



Moira A. Ingle



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