

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

CIVIL CASE NUMBER: 39576

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

NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

U.S. DEPT. OF INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MGMT.
IDAHO STATE OFFICE
3380 AMERICANA TERRACE
BOISE ID 83706
TELEPHONE: 208-334-1401

PRIORITY DATE: 1874-01-01
AGENCY NUMBER: 6501481575 *AG-20380*
BLM NUMBER: 6501481575
BASIS OF CLAIM: BENEFICIAL USE
BASIN NUMBER: 65

SOURCE	TRIBUTARY TO
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UNNAMED STREAM	BIG WILLOW CREEK

DESCRIPTION OF DIVERSION WORKS

PURPOSE OF USE	DIVERSION RATE	DIVERSION VOLUME	PERIOD OF USE FROM	TO
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WILDLIFE	0.020	0.00	0101	1231
STOCKWATER	0.140	0.00	0101	1231
TOTAL:	0.160 CFS	0.00 AF		

NON-IRRIGATION USES

600 RANGE CATTLE; WILDLIFE

TWP	RNG	SEC	POINT OF DIVERSION				COUNTY
			TRACT1	TRACT2	TRACT3	LOT	
10N	01W	26		NW	SE	00	PAYETTE
10N	01W	26				03	PAYETTE

PLACE OF USE

TWP	RNG	SEC	TRACT1	TRACT2	LOT	COUNTY	IRRIGATED	
							OWNED	ACRES
10N	01W	26	NW	SE	00	WASHINGTON	YES	0.0

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10N	01W	26	NW	SE	00	WASHINGTON	YES	0.0
10N	01W	26	NE	SW	00	WASHINGTON	YES	0.0
10N	01W	26	NW	SW	00	WASHINGTON	YES	0.0
10N	01W	27			03	WASHINGTON	YES	0.0

TOTAL ACRES IRRIGATED: 0.0

TOTAL CONSUMPTIVE USE IS: DE MINIMUS ACRE FEET PER ANNUM

OTHER WATER RIGHTS

NONE

REMARKS

FIRST DATE OF BENEFICIAL USE - 1874

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

In Re SRBA)
Case No. 39576)
PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Water Right 65-20380

NAME AND ADDRESS: USDI BLM
IDAHO STATE OFFICE
1387 S VINNELL WAY
BOISE, ID 83709-1657

SOURCE: UNNAMED STREAM TRIBUTARY: BIG WILLOW CREEK

QUANTITY: 0.02 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 06/28/1934

POINT OF DIVERSION: T10N R01W S26 SENWSE (Instream Ending Point) Within Washington County
S27 LOT 03 (SENESE) (Instream Beginning Point)

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE: PURPOSE OF USE PERIOD OF USE QUANTITY
Stockwater 01-01 TO 12-31 0.02 CFS

PLACE OF USE: Stockwater T10N R01W S26 NWSE Within Washington County
NWSW
S27 LOT 03 (NESE)

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Barry Wood
Administrative District Judge
Presiding Judge of the
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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Department of Water Resources
Adjudication Bureau

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

In Re SRBA)
Case No. 39576)
A. Subcase See Attached List 65-20250+
(Insert water right number)

DOMESTIC AND
STOCK WATER RIGHT
OBJECTION

Please fill in the following information:

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING

Name: State of Idaho
Address: 700 W. Jefferson, Room 210
P.O. Box 44449
Boise, Idaho 83711-4449
Phone: Work: (208) 334-2400 Home: N/A

Name and Address of Attorney, if any:

Attorney Name: ALAN G. LANCE
Attorney General
CLIVE J. STRONG
Deputy Attorney General
Chief, Natural Resources Division
PETER J. AMPE
Deputy Attorney General
Attorney Address: Office of the Attorney General
700 W. Jefferson, Room 210
P.O. Box 44449
Boise, ID 83711-4449
Attorney Phone No. (208) 334-2400

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C. CLAIMANT OF WATER RIGHT AS LISTED IN DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Name: United States of America Acting Through
Address: USDI Bureau of Land Management
1387 S. Vinnell Way
Boise, Idaho 83709-1657

D. I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
Should be: _____
2. ☐ **Source**
Should be: _____
3. ☐ **Quantity**
Should be: _____
4. ☐ **Priority Date**
Should be: _____
5. ☐ **Points of Diversion**
Should be: _____
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Description**
Should be: _____
7. ☐ **Purpose(s) of Use**
Should be: _____
8. ☐ **Period of Year**
Should be: _____
9. ☐ **Place of Use**
Should be: _____

11. I object because:

- ☒ This water right should not exist.
☐ This water right was not recommended, but should be recommended with the elements described above.

E. **REASONS SUPPORTING OBJECTION(S):** This water right is claimed solely pursuant to state law. Claimant's assertions that Congress gave permission to private parties to operate on the public domain and that Congress passed various acts insuring that water sources on the public domain were not monopolized does not provide a basis for a water right under state law. Alternatively, the United States has failed to establish any legal and/or factual basis for any claimed priority date for stockwater purposes with a date prior to the enactment of the Taylor Grazing Act, June 28, 1934.

F. **VERIFICATION (Must be Completed)**

State of Idaho)
) ss.
County of Ada)

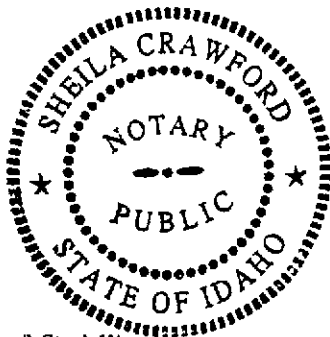
Peter J. Ampe, Deputy Attorney General, being first duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:

That the State of Idaho, in both its sovereign and proprietary capacity, is filing this objection and that I am a Deputy Attorney General authorized to represent the State of Idaho, which is a party/claimant in this proceeding, as defined by I.C. § 42-1401A(1) and (7), and I have read this objection, know its contents and that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALAN G. LANCE
Attorney General
CLIVE J. STRONG
Deputy Attorney General
Chief, Natural Resources Division
PETER J. AMPE
Deputy Attorney General


By Attorney signing in representative capacity

Subscribed and sworn to before me on: August 4, 1998
(Insert Date)




Notary Public for IDAHO
Residing at: BOISE, ID
My commission expires: May 9, 2002

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the objection to the Clerk of the Court. FAX filings will not be accepted. You must also send a copy to all the parties listed below in the Certificate of Mailing.

G. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on August 4, 1998, I mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons:

1. Original to:

Clerk of the District Court
Snake River Basin Adjudication
253 Third Avenue North
P.O. Box 2707
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-2707

2. One copy to the owner of the water right at the following address:

United States of America Acting Through
USDI Bureau of Land Management
1387 S. Vinnell Way
Boise, Idaho 83709-1657

3. Copies to:

IDWR Document Depository
PO Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

Chief of Natural Resource Division
Office of the Attorney General
State of Idaho
P.O. Box 44449
Boise, Idaho 83711-4449

(not applicable)

United States Department of Justice
Environment and Natural Resource Division
550 West Fort Street, MSC 033
Boise, Idaho 83724



Signature of party claimant or attorney

65-19685	65-19807	65-19905	65-19996
65-19689	65-19809	65-19906	65-19997
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65-20370	65-20434	65-20515	65-22185
65-20371	65-20435	65-20518	

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IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
ADJUDICATION CLAIM PROFILE REPORT
(REGIONAL)

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OWNER CODE	NAME & ADDRESS	PRIORITY DATE	WATER USE	USE PERIOD FROM TO	DIVERSION RATE	DIVERSION VOLUME
C	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH USDI BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT IDAHO STATE OFFICE 1387 S VINNELL WAY BOISE ID 837091657 (208) 373-4000	01/01/1874	STOCKWATER	01-01 12-31	0.02 CFS	
TOTAL DIVERSION:					0.02 CFS	

Water Source: UNNAMED STREAM

Tributary to: BIG WILLOW CREEK

Stage: BENEFICIAL USE

Point(s) of Beginning Stream Reach: T10N R01W S27 Lot03(SENENE)

WASHINGTON County

Point(s) of Ending Stream Reach: T10N R01W S26 SENWSE

WASHINGTON County

Place of use Legal Description for: STOCKWATER

				NE				NW				SW				SE				
T	R	S	:	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	:
10N	01W	26	:											S	S				S	:
10N	01W	27	:															03-S		:

POU County: WASHINGTON

Other Rights: NONE

Remarks: EXP BLM RECORD ID = 6501481575
STOCKWATER, 600 RANGE CATTLE

Dates: Exam Made Date: Verified Date: 03/03/1998 Objection Filed Date:

Misc: Water District Number: Field Inspection Flag:
Presumption Flag:

Audit: 03/03/98 SBOCK

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IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
ADJUDICATION CLAIM PROFILE REPORT

DATE: 02/18/98
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OWNER CODE	NAME & ADDRESS	PRIORITY DATE	WATER USE	USE PERIOD FROM TO	DIVERSION RATE	DIVERSION VOLUME
C	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH USDI BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT IDAHO STATE OFFICE 1387 S VINNELL WAY BOISE ID 837091657 (208) 373-4000	01/01/1874	STOCKWATER ~~WILDLIFE~~	01-01 12-31 ~~01-01 12-31~~	~~0.14 CFS~~ 0.02 CFS	0.02
TOTAL DIVERSION:					0.02 CFS	

Water Source: UNNAMED STREAM

Tributary to: BIG WILLOW CREEK

Stage: BENEFICIAL USE

Point(s) of Beginning Stream Reach: T10N R01W S27 Lot03(SENESE)
Point(s) of Ending Stream Reach: T10N R01W S26 SENWSE

WASHINGTON County
WASHINGTON County

Place of use Legal Description for: STOCKWATER

				NE				NW				SW				SE			
T	R	S		NENE	NWNE	SWNE	SENE	NENW	NWNW	SWNW	SENW	NESW	NWSW	SWSW	SESW	NESE	NWSE	SWSE	SESE
Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac	Lt	Ac
10N	01W	26	:									S	S			03-S	S		
10N	01W	27	:																

Place of use location for WILDLIFE is the same location as described for: STOCKWATER

POU County: WASHINGTON

Non-Irrigation Uses: 600 RANGE CATTLE, ~~WILDLIFE~~

Other Rights: NONE

Remarks: EXP BLM RECORD ID = 6501481575

Dates: Exam Made Date:

Verified Date:

Objection Filed Date:

Misc: Water District Number:

Field Inspection Flag:
Presumption Flag:

Audit: 01/10/98 AJCTR

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

In Re SRBA

Case No 3957

AMENDED NOTICE of CLAIM for
Water Right number

65-20380 (IDWR number)

NAME and
ADDRESS

United States of America acting through
Bureau of Land Management
Idaho State Office
1387 South Vinnell Way
Boise, ID 83709 - 1657

BLMIDENT

6501481575

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StFed

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SOURCE

Source	Tributary
UNNAMED STREAM	BIG WILLOW CREEK

QUANTITY

0.02 CFS or VOLUME 0 Acre Feet

The quantity of water under this right for stockwater shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.

PRIORITY DATE

1/1/1874

Diversion Means

IN-STREAM USE

REMARKS:

POINT of
DIVERSION

Twtnship	Range	Section	T1	T2	T3	LOT	B/E	within the	County of
10N	01W	26	SE	NW	SE		E	87	WASHINGTON
10N	01W	27	SE	NE	SE	03	B	87	WASHINGTON

PURPOSE
and
PERIOD
OF USE:

Purpose of Use	Period of Use (from - to)	Rate in CFS	or	Volume in AcFt
16	0101	1231	0.02	
04	0101	1231	0.14	

CONSUMPTIVE
USE

de minimis stockwater use

DATE 06-Feb-98 7:11 AM

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION or ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT

The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a
determination of historical beneficial use.

PLACE
of USE:

Water Use	Twtn	Rge	Sec	T1	T2	LOT	within the	County of
04	10N	01W	26	NW	SE		87	WASHINGTON
04	10N	01W	26	NE	SW		87	WASHINGTON
04	10N	01W	26	NW	SW		87	WASHINGTON
04	10N	01W	27	NE	SE	03	87	WASHINGTON

