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February 7, 2005

3C LLC AND
GARY AND ELAINE CREA
RT 1 BOX 20G
GRANGEVILLE ID 83530

RE: Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)
Notices of Claim to a Water Right – Idaho County
Claim Nos. 85-15520, 85-15530 and 85-15531

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Crea:

We are returning the four Notices of Claim to a Water Right you filed for your property in Idaho County because we need your assistance before we can continue. We have also enclosed your receipts #C076455 (3C LLC) and C076456 (Gary and Elaine Crea) for the filing fees you paid. Please keep the receipts for your records.

Gary and Elaine Crea Claim:

We need to determine which administrative basin this claim is in. I have enclosed an aerial photo of the W1/2 SW1/4 Township 31N Range 1E Section 27. Please mark where your Point of Diversion and Place of Use are located and return the claim and the map to my attention.

3C LLC Claims:

These three claims are in Basin 85, and each has a claimed priority date of 1-10-05. If your priority date is 1-10-2005, an Application for Permit will be required before a water right can be recommended. I have enclosed an Application for Permit for your possible use. The filing fees you paid will be applied to the fees due with the Application for Permit.

Conversely, if your claimed priority date is earlier than 1-10-2005, please write in the complete date on each claim, initial your change and sign the claims again in front of a Notary Public.

On Claim #85-15531, please also circle the basis at Item #15.

Since the Department has already completed reviewing water right claims in Basin 85, you will need to file a Motion to File Late Claim with the Court for each claim.

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If you choose to pursue filing late claims, we have assigned claim identification numbers and entered them on the Court's Standard Form 4, your motions to file the late claims. You will have to contact the Court to obtain a hearing date (page 3) as part of the form. Upon completion, please mail these forms to the *Snake River Basin Adjudication Court in Twin Falls* at your earliest convenience.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact this office at any time. Thank you for your patience and cooperation.

Please call me at 208/287-4917 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,



Carter Fritschle
Water Rights Supervisor
Adjudication Bureau

CLF:ss:state
Enclosures:

- (4) Incomplete Original Notices of Claim to a Water Right
Receipts #C075455 and C075456
Copy (for the Court) of Receipt #C076455
Application for Permit
- (3) Standard Form 4