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**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	)	Water Right: 51-12603
	)	(Renumbered to 55-13603)
	)	
Case No. 39576	)	NOTICE OF RENUMBERING
	)	OF FEDERAL RESERVE
	)	WATER RIGHT CLAIM
	)	

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) hereby gives notice that it has renumbered the federal reserve water right claim filed by Shoshone-Paiute Tribes from number 51-12603 to number 55-13603.

On or about November 24, 1998, the Director provided Notice of filing the Federal Reserved Water Rights filed on the behalf of the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes to irrigation and other claimants in Basins 51 and 55. This claim was included in that filing. Thus, notice of the claim has already been given to claimants in both basins 51 and 55, and even though the claim was

numbered with a basin 51 prefix the legal descriptions of its POD and POU correctly located it in basin 55.

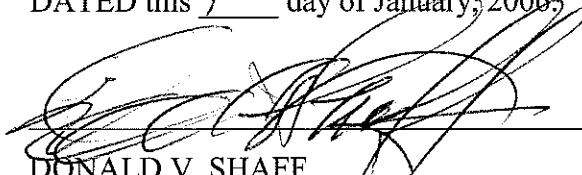
Pursuant to *Idaho Code §42-1411A*, IDWR neither investigates nor recommends federal reserve water rights. However, to insure that every water right is individually and systematically identified it assigns an identification number to each such water right claim in accordance with a uniform statewide numbering system. Each water right claim number consists of a numeric prefix identifying the river basin wherein the claim is located, followed by an identification number unique to that claim.

IDWR has discovered that through clerical oversight it assigned the wrong river basin number to this claim, which is located in river basin 55 rather than 51. In order to assign the correct river basin number it must also assign a new identification number in order to avoid duplication with previously assigned numbers.

In addition, two federal claims were assigned the number 51-12603. IDWR reported a water right claim based on state law by the United States acting on behalf of the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) as 51-12603 in the Director's Report filed on November 24, 1998. Yet in the same Report, IDWR labeled and reported a claim based on federal law by the United States acting on behalf of the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes as 51-12603. This Notice applies only to the claim by the Tribes, and the water right number decreed by the Court for BLM on April 10, 2000, shall remain unchanged.

IDWR has served copies of this *Notice of Renumbering of Federal Reserve Water Right Claim* on the claimant(s) and all parties to the subcase as reflected on the attached certificate of mailing.

DATED this 9th day of January, 2006,


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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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