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DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Subcase No. 25-14177

In Re SRBA

Twin Falls County Civil Case No. 39576

Report to the SRBA District Court

Prepared by the Idaho Department of Water Resources

Karl J. Dreher, Director

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April 20, 2006

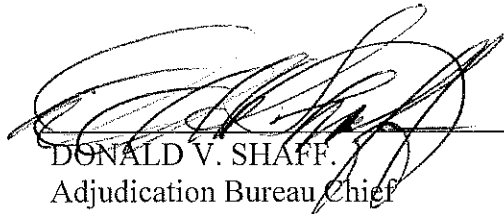
DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY

This is a Director's Report submitted by the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.

DISCUSSION

This water right recommendation relates to water right numbers 25-55B and 25-227. On February 7, 2005, the claimant filed an objection to water right 25-227, and on February 16, 2005, the claimant also filed an objection to water right 25-55B. Both objections were objections to the period of year elements of those recommended water rights. During the initial hearings held on September 27, 2005, it was determined that the claimant needed to file a *Motion to File Late Claim* to obtain the year round stockwater use. Accordingly, on October 27, 2005, the claimant filed a *Motion to File Late Notice of Claim* for water right 25-14177. Judge Melanson issued an *Order Granting Motion to File Late Notice of Claim* on January 18, 2006. During the status conference on April 19, 2006, IDWR agreed that the Director's Report for subcase number 25-14177 would be filed no later than May 23, 2006. The Director's Report for the aforementioned subcase is attached. This water right recommendation relates directly to the resolution of the outstanding objections in subcase numbers 25-55B and 25-227.

Respectfully submitted this 20th day of April, 2006.


DONALD V. SHAFF
Adjudication Bureau Chief

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IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
PRELIMINARY RECOMMENDATION OF WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

RIGHT NUMBER: 25-14177
NAME AND ADDRESS: HI WILLOW RANCH CORP
C/O TOM LOERTSCHER
1357 BONE RD
ICONA ID 83427
SOURCE: WILLOW CREEK TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER
QUANTITY: 0.020 CFS
The quantity of water under this right shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
PRIORITY DATE: 05/28/1984
POINT OF DIVERSION:

T01S R40E S4 NWNWNE Lot 2 End of Stream Flow Within BONNEVILLE County
T01S R40E S16 SESESW Begin of Stream Flow Within BONNEVILLE County

PURPOSE AND
PERIOD OF USE:

<u>PURPOSE OF USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>
STOCKWATER	01/01 12/31	0.020 CFS

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER Within BONNEVILLE County

T01S R40E S03 Lot 4 NWNW	T01S R40E S03	NWSW
T01S R40E S03	T01S R40E S04 Lot 1	NENE
T01S R40E S04 Lot 2 NWNE	T01S R40E S04 Lot 3	NENW
T01S R40E S04 Lot 5 NESE	T01S R40E S04	NWSE
T01S R40E S09 Lot 1 NENE	T01S R40E S09 Lot 2	SENE
T01S R40E S09 Lot 3 NESE	T01S R40E S09 Lot 4	SESE
T01S R40E S10	T01S R40E S10	SWNW
T01S R40E S10	T01S R40E S16	NENE
T01S R40E S16	T01S R40E S16	SWNE
T01S R40E S16	T01S R40E S16	SESW
T01S R40E S16		NWSE

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

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

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the Court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. Section 42-1412(6), Idaho Code.

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL: BASIS OF CLAIM - Beneficial Use



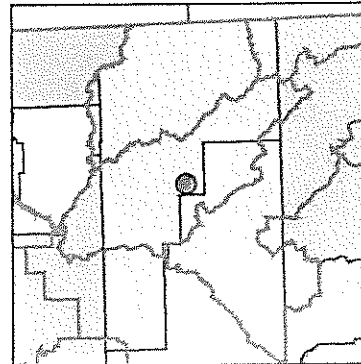
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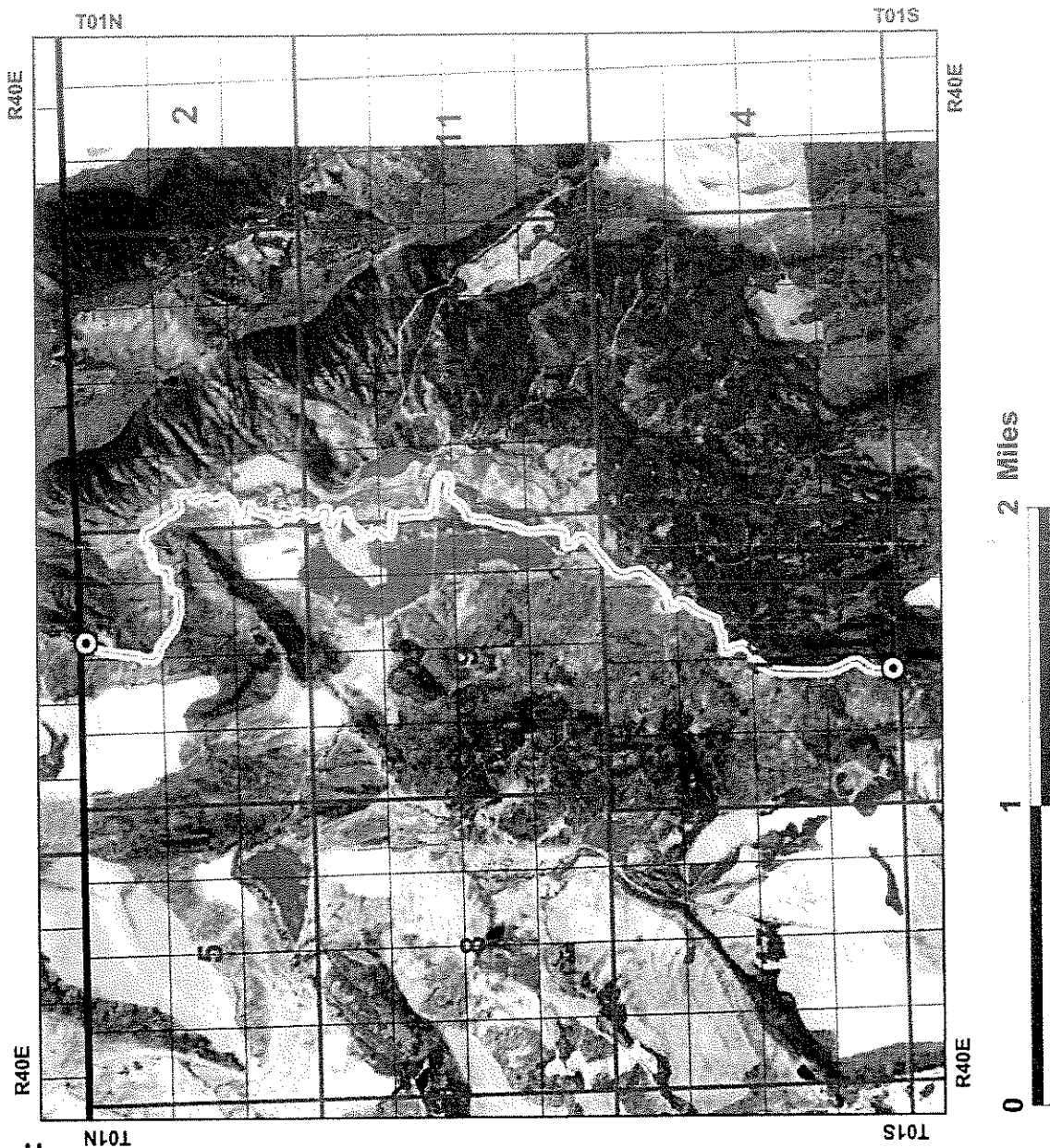
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Legend

- ⊙ Point of Diversion
- Place of Use
- Townships
- PLS Sections
- Quarter Quarters



Bonneville County
IDWR Basin 25



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On Wednesday, April 19, 2006
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