

**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 22-07225
(Insert water right number)

**STANDARD FORM 2
RESPONSE TO OBJECTION**

Please **print or type** the following information:

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON RESPONDING

Name: United States of America acting through the Department of Interior,
Bureau of Land Management, Idaho State Office
Address: 1387 South Vinnell Way
Boise, Idaho 83709-1657
Daytime Phone: see below

Name & Address of Attorney, if any:

Larry A. Brown (202) 305-0435 phone, (202) 305-0274 fax
United States Department of Justice
Environment and Natural Resource Division
General Litigation Section
550 West Fort Street, MSC 033
Boise, Idaho 83724

**C. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO FILED THE OBJECTION TO
WHICH YOU ARE RESPONDING**

Name: Fremont Madison Irrigation District
Address: 350N., 6th W.; St. Anthony, Idaho 83445
Name: Jerry R. Rigby (attorney for objector)
Address: P.O. Box 250; Rexburg, Idaho 83440
Name:
Address: ;

D. I am responding to the objections to the following elements. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ Name and Address
2. ☐ Source
3. ☐ Quantity
4. ☐ Priority Date
5. ☐ Point(s) of Diversion
6. ☐ Instream Flow Description
7. ☐ Purpose(s) of Use
8. ☐ Period of Year
9. ☒ Place of Use See attached.

11. **Recommendation:**

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

REASONS SUPPORTING RESPONSE:

The Objector is seeking to expand the Place of Use (POU) to include the service areas of the Teton Island Feeder Canal Co. and the Fremont Madison Irrigation District. BLM has filed objections to the inclusion of federal public land within the digital boundary of the Fremont Madison Irrigation District water claims. The description of the POU should be specific enough to exclude federal public land.

E.

VERIFICATION (Must be Completed)

State of Idaho)
) ss.
County of ADA)

Fredric W. Price, Water Rights Specialist, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:
(Name of person filing response)

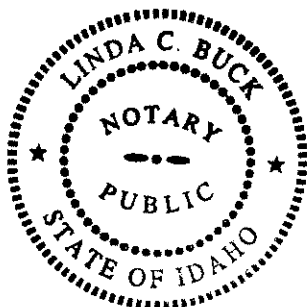
That I am the party/claimant filing this response, as defined by I.C. §§ 42-1401A(1) and (6) or that I am the attorney for the party/claimant responding and that I have read this response, know its contents and believe that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

Fredric W. Price
(Signature of person filing response)

Larry A. Brown
(Attorney signing in representative capacity)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on: *July 27, 2006*

Linda C. Buck
Linda C. Buck



Notary Public for State of Idaho

Residing at: Mountain Home, ID.

My Commission Expires: 12-21-2011

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the response, including all attachments, 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.

F.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on July 27, 2006, I mailed the original and copies of this response, 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, ID 83303-2707

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

Kenneth T. and Douglas K. Sakota
P.O. Box 163; Rexburg, Idaho 83440

3. One copy to the party who filed the objection at the following address:

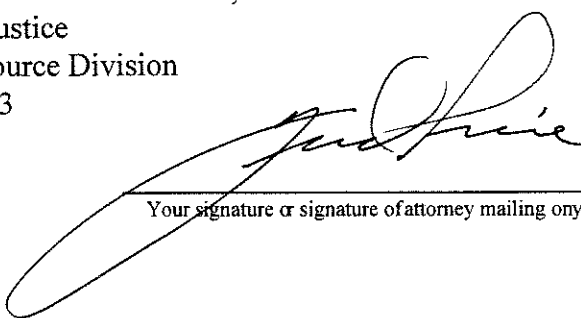
Fremont Madison Irrigation District
350N., 6th W.; St. Anthony, Idaho 83445
Jerry R. Rigby (attorney for objector)
P.O. Box 250; Rexburg, Idaho 83440

4. Copies to:

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Environment and Natural Resource Division
550 West Fort Street, MSC 033
Boise, ID 83724


Your signature or signature of attorney mailing on your behalf

05/02/2006

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
RECOMMENDED WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

RIGHT NUMBER: 22-7225
NAME AND ADDRESS: DOUGLAS K SAKOTA
PO BOX 163
REXBURG ID 83440

KENNETH T SAKOTA
PO BOX 163
REXBURG ID 83440

SOURCE: GROUND WATER TRIBUTARY:
QUANTITY: 2.880 CFS
504.00 AFY
PRIORITY DATE: 04/11/1977
POINT OF
DIVERSION: T06N R40E S18 NENENE Within MADISON County
PURPOSE AND
PERIOD OF USE:

<u>PURPOSE OF USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>
IRRIGATION	04/01 10/15	2.880 CFS 504.00 AFY

The use of water for irrigation under this right may begin as early as April 1 and may continue to as late as October 31, provided other elements of the right are not exceeded. The use of water after October 15 under this remark is subordinate to all water rights having no subordinated early or late irrigation use and a priority date earlier than the date a partial decree is entered for this right.

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION Within MADISON County

T06N R40E S18	NENE	33.00	T06N R40E S18	NWNE	36.00
T06N R40E S18	SWNE	36.00	T06N R40E S18	SENE	39.00

144 ACRES TOTAL

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

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 - License

Use of this right is combined with water from Teton Island Canal & Fremont Madison Irrigation District.

Right includes accomplished change in place of use pursuant to Section 42-1425, Idaho Code.