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RE: Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)
Revised Preliminary Recommendation of #73-12027

Dear Mr. Bush:

In response to your Notice of Error, all diversions in the Ellis ditch have point of diversion descriptions only to NENE. All priority dates from the Pahsimeroi River and Ellis ditch have the uniform priority date of 4/1/1875. The diversion rate for stockwater during irrigation season is the same and part of the irrigation rate and is not additive. Therefore, .32 cfs is recommended as you'll see in the revised recommendation.

Please call me at 1/800-451-4129 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:

Preliminary Recommendation Referenced Above