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DEPARTMENT OF
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DISTRICT COURT - 5th-JSBA
TWIN FALLS CO., IDAHO

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) SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT
Case No. 39576)
) FINDINGS OF FACT AND
) CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
)
) FOR WATER RIGHT 63-03407

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

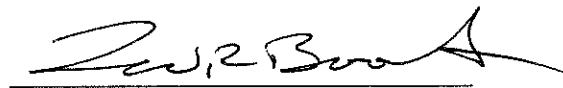
A notice of claim was filed for the above-captioned water right pursuant to I.C. § 42-1409. The Director of the State of Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) examined the water system for this reporting area. The *Director's Report* contained a recommendation or abstract for the elements of this water right.

On April 21, 2006, the Edwards Family LLC, by and through its attorney Dana Hofstetter of Hofstetter Law Offices, LLC, filed an objection to the *Director's Report*, asserting that the water right does not authorize diversion of geothermal water from the Stewart Gulch Aquifer. On December 20, 2006, the parties the subcase filed a *Standard Form 5 – Stipulated Elements of a Water Right*, which resolved the objection. The Idaho Department of Water Resources concurred with the stipulation.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Therefore based on the file and record herein and pursuant to the *Standard Forms 5*, IT IS RECOMMENDED that water right 63-03407 be decreed with the elements as set forth in the attached *Recommendations for Partial Decrees Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)*.

Dated December 21, 2006



Theodore R. Booth
Special Master
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Water Right 63-03407

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NAME AND ADDRESS: JANET A FRENCH
4517 SHIRLEY AVE
BOISE, ID 83703

SOURCE: GROUND WATER

This water right does not authorize the diversion of a low
temperature geothermal resource or other geothermal resource.

QUANTITY: 0.02 CFS
2.57 AFY

PRIORITY DATE: 03/16/1964

POINT OF DIVERSION: T04N R02E S29 NENW Within Ada County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-01 TO 11-01	0.02 CFS
	Domestic	01-01 TO 12-31	2.57 AFY

THE USE OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION UNDER THIS RIGHT MAY BEGIN AS
EARLY AS MARCH 1 AND MAY CONTINUE TO AS LATE AS NOVEMBER 15,
PROVIDED OTHER ELEMENTS OF THE RIGHT ARE NOT EXCEEDED. THE USE
OF WATER BEFORE APRIL 1 AND AFTER NOVEMBER 1 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.
Domestic use is for 1 home.

PLACE OF USE: Irrigation Within Ada County
T04N R02E S29 NENW 0.5
0.5 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. I.C. SECTION 42-1412(6).

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance
with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a
final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final
judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

RECOMMENDATION

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John M. Melanson
SPECIAL MASTER

John M. Melanson
Presiding Judge of the
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In Re SRBA

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Case No. 39576

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT, SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR PARTIAL DECREE and NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION were mailed on December 22, 2006, with sufficient first-class postage prepaid to the following:

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