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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

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)
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 Case No. 39576)
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A. Subcase Number: 01-10531
(Insert water right number)

**STANDARD FORM 1
OBJECTION**

Please fill in the following information:

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING

Name: State of Idaho
Address: 700 W. Jefferson, Statehouse Room 207
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Attorney General
CLIVE J. STRONG
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Chief, Natural Resources Division
DAVID I. STANISH (ISB # 7310)
Deputy Attorney General

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P.O. Box 83720
Boise, Idaho 83720-0010

Attorney Phone No. (208) 334-2400

C. CLAIMANT OF WATER RIGHT AS LISTED IN DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Name: Idaho Power Co.
Address: PO Box 70
Boise, ID 83707

D. I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
Should be: _____
2. ☐ **Source**
Should be: _____
3. ☐ **Quantity**
Should be: _____
4. ☒ **Priority Date**
Should be: Insert subordination language based on historic practice
5. ☐ **Point of Diversion**
Should be: _____
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Beginning and Ending Point**
Should be: _____
7. ☒ **Purpose(s) of Use**
Should be: Reference to contracts between United States and Idaho Power Company needs clarification
8. ☐ **Period of Year**
Should be: _____
9. ☐ **Place of Use**
Should be: _____
10. ☒ **Other Provisions Necessary**
Should be: Reference to contracts between United States and Idaho Power Company needs clarification
11. **I object because:**
☐ This water right Should not exist.

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

E. REASONS SUPPORTING OBJECTION(S):

4. Priority Date

In addition to the subordination language found in the "other provisions necessary" portion of the recommended water right, the water right should also include subordination language based upon historic practice.

7. Purpose of Use

The purpose of use should be amended to include a reference to the contractual relationship existing between the United States and the Idaho Power Company at the American Falls reservoir. *See* 01-02064.

10. Other Provisions Necessary

The recommended water right currently references the 1923 contract entered into between the United States and the Idaho Power Company. Additional contracts exist that may also affect the use of this water as well. Language should be inserted indicating that the 1923 contract is not the limit of the contractual relationships that may exist affecting this water right.

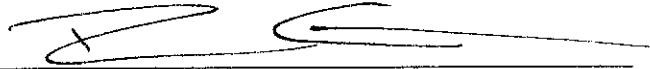
F. VERIFICATION (Must be Completed)

State of Idaho)
) ss.
County of Ada)

DAVID I. STANISH, Deputy Attorney General, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:

That the State of Idaho in its proprietary capacity is filing this objection and that I am a Deputy Attorney General authorized to represent the State of Idaho, which is a party/claimant in this proceeding, as defined by I.C. § 42-1401A(1) and (7), and I have read this objection, know its contents and believe that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

LAWRENCE G. WASDEN
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Chief, Natural Resources Division
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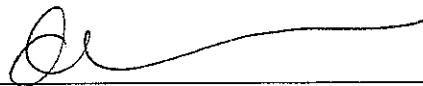
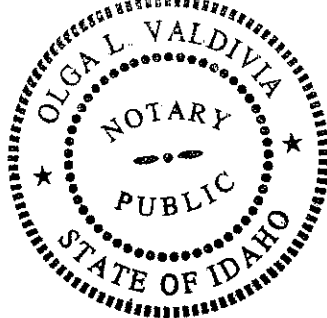


By Attorney signing in representative capacity

Subscribed and sworn to before me on:

4-19-07

(Insert Date)



Notary Public for IDAHO

Residing at: BOISE, ID

My commission expires:

2/8/2012

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the objection 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.

G. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on April 19, 2007, I caused the original and the copies of this objection, including all attachments, to be served on the following persons by the method designated:

1. Original to:

Clerk of the District Court
Snake River Basin Adjudication
253 Third Avenue North
P.O. Box 2707
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-2707

FEDERAL EXPRESS

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

Idaho Power Co.
PO Box 70
Boise, ID 83707

U.S. MAIL

3. Copies to:

IDWR Document Depository
PO Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

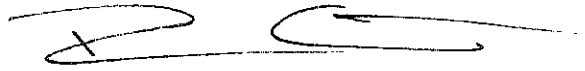
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Signature of Objector or attorney
Mailing on Objector's behalf