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**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 No. 1-2064

STANDARD FORM 1
OBJECTION

Please fill in the following information:

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING:

Name: IDAHO POWER COMPANY
Address: P. O. BOX 70
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C. CLAIMANT OF WATER RIGHT AS LISTED IN DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Name: United States of America Acting Through
Regional Director PN Region
Bureau of Reclamation PN-3100
Address: 1150 N. Curtis Rd., Ste. 100
Boise, ID 83706-1234

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

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
Should be:
2. ☐ **Source**
Should be:
3. ☒ **Quantity**
Should be: Adjusted to take account of Objector Idaho Power Company's claims associated with 300,000 a/f storage at American Falls under Idaho Power Company's Water Right Claim Nos. 1-10485, 1-10486 and 1-10487, which were improperly disallowed by the Director.
4. ☒ **Priority Date**
Should be: Without limiting remarks.
5. ☐ **Point(s) of Diversion**
Should be:
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Beginning and Ending Point**
Should be:
7. ☒ **Purpose(s) of Use**
Should be: Without limiting remarks.
8. ☒ **Period of Year**
Should be: Without limiting remarks.
9. ☒ **Place of Use**
Should be: Without limiting remarks.
10. ☒ **Other Provisions Necessary for Definition or Administration of this Water Right, all paragraphs.**
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):

Claimant disputes the necessity for and legal correctness of the referenced language under numbers 4, 7, 8, 9 and 10 above.

This objection is filed in the Snake River Basin Adjudication pursuant to applicable deadlines, and is done without prejudice to Idaho Power Company's rights to pursue the issues encompassed herein and related issues in other appropriate forums, state or federal.

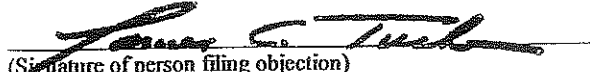
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VERIFICATION

State of IDAHO)
) ss.
County of Gooding)

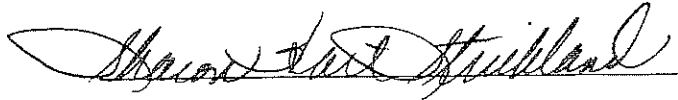
James C. Tucker, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:

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

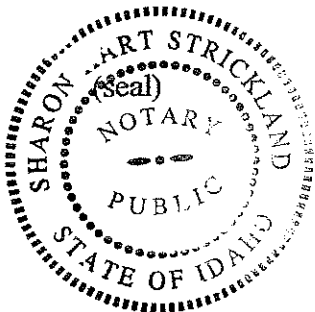

(Signature of person filing objection)
James C. Tucker, Senior Attorney
Idaho Power Company

(Attorney signing in representative capacity)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on: April 19, 2007



Notary Public for: Idaho
Residing at: Gooding
My Commission Expires: 12-22-09



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.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on April 20, 2007, I hand-delivered and mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons:

1. Original hand delivered to:

Clerk of the District Court
Snake River Basin Adjudication
P.O. Box 2707
Twin Falls, ID 83303-2707

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

Name: United States of America Acting Through
Regional Director PN Region
Bureau of Reclamation PN-3100
Address: 1150 N. Curtis Rd., Ste. 100
Boise, ID 83706-1234

3. Copies mailed to:

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