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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: 63-03618
(Insert water right number
From the Objection Form)

**STANDARD FORM 2
RESPONSE TO OBJECTION**

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

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON RESPONDING

Name: State of Idaho, on behalf of the Idaho Department of Fish and Game and
the Idaho Water Resource Board
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Attorney General
CLIVE J. STRONG
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Chief, Natural Resources Division
DAVID J. BARBER
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C. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO FILED THE OBJECTION TO WHICH YOU ARE RESPONDING

Name: Middleton Irrigation Association
c/o Jane Foote
Address: P.O. Box 214
Middleton, ID 83644

Name & Address of Attorney, if any:

Jerry A. Kiser
Stoppello & Kiser
620 W. Hays St.
Boise, ID, 83702

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**
11. **Recommendation**
 - ☐ This water right should not exist.
 - ☐ This water right was not recommended, but should be recommended with the elements described above.
12. **Objection to Proposed General Provision**

E.

VERIFICATION (Must be Completed)

State of Idaho)
) ss.
County of Ada)

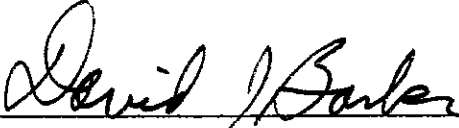
DAVID J. BARBER, Deputy Attorney General, being first duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:

That the State of Idaho, in both its sovereign and proprietary capacity, pursuant to I.C. § 42-1411A(16) 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 response, know its contents and that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LAWRENCE G. WASDEN
Attorney General

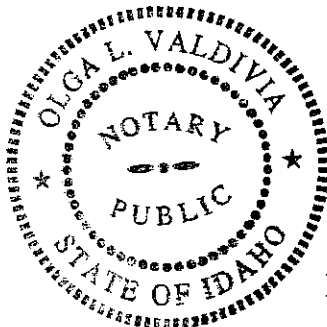
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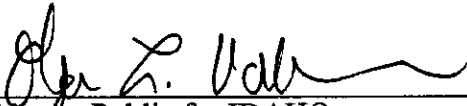
DAVID J. BARBER
Deputy Attorney General



By Attorney signing in representative capacity

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 2nd day of April, 2003
(Insert Date)





Notary Public for IDAHO
Residing at: BOISE, ID
My commission expires: 2/8/06

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.

G.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on this 2nd day of April, 2003, I mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons:

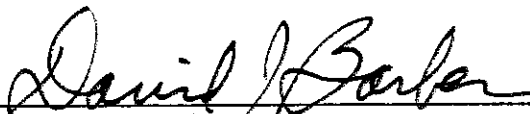
1. Original to: Clerk of the District Court
Snake River Basin Adjudication
253 Third Avenue North
P.O. Box 2707
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-2707
2. One copy to the claimant of the water right at the following address:

Name: United States of America Acting
Through Regional Director PN Region
Bureau of Reclamation
Address: 1150 North Curtis Road, Suite 100
Boise, ID, 83706-1234
3. One copy to the party who filed the objection at the following address:

Name: Jerry A. Kiser
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Address: 620 W. Hays St.
Boise, ID 83702
4. Copies to: IDWR Document Depository
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Signature of party claimant of attorney