

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE  
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

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|----------------|---|------------------------------------|
| In Re SRBA     | ) | A. Subcase No. 79-07263 (79-13962) |
|                | ) |                                    |
| Case No. 39576 | ) | <b>STANDARD FORM 2</b>             |
|                | ) | <b>RESPONSE TO OBJECTION</b>       |
| _____          | ) |                                    |

**B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON RESPONDING:**

Name: United States of America, acting through the USDA Forest Service  
Address: 550 W. Fort St. MSC 033  
Boise, ID 83724

Name and Address of Attorney:

Attorney Name: David L. Negri  
Attorney Address: United States Department of Justice  
Environment and Natural Resources Division  
General Litigation Section  
550 W. Fort St. MSC 033  
Boise, ID 83724  
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**C. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO FILED OBJECTION TO WHICH  
YOU ARE RESPONDING:**

Name: James Bonato  
Address: PO Box 350  
Lucile, ID 83542

**D.** I am responding to the objection(s) to the following elements:

1.    **X**     Name and Address
2.    **X**     Source
3.    **X**     Quantity
4.    **X**     Priority Date
5.    **X**     Point(s) of Diversion
6.    ☐    Instream Flow Description
7.    **X**     Purpose(s) of Use
8.    **X**     Period of Year
9.    **X**     Place of Use
10.   Recommendation:  
  
      ☐    This water right should not exist  
  
      **X**     This water right was not recommended, but should be recommended with the  
              elements described above.

E.

VERIFICATION

State of Idaho )  
                  ) ss.  
County of Ada)

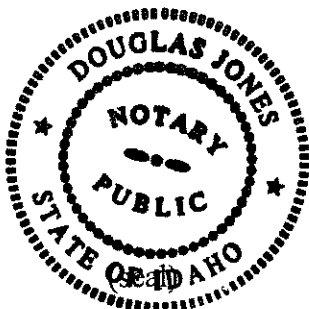
STEVEN M. SPENCER, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:

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

Steven M. Spencer  
Steven M. Spencer

David L. Negri  
David L. Negri  
United States Department of Justice

Subscribed and sworn to before me on: August 9, 2006



Douglas Jones  
~~Gloria Bainbridge~~ Douglas Jones  
Notary Public for: State of Idaho  
Residing at: ~~Boise, Ada County, Idaho~~ Behl, Id.  
My Commission Expires: ~~10-07-2008~~  
                                          8-8-2013

F.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on August 4, 2007, I mailed the original and copies of this response, including all attachments, to the following persons:

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James Bonato  
PO Box 350  
Lucile, ID 83542

3. One copy to the party who filed the objection at the following address:

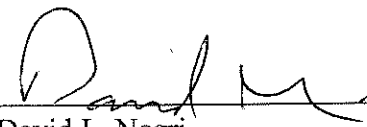
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