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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) A. Subcase No.: 22-605

Case No. 39576)

STANDARD FORM 2
RESPONSE TO OBJECTION

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

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON RESPONDING

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C. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO FILED THE OBJECTION TO WHICH YOU ARE RESPONDING

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Trial Attorney, Natural Resources Section
Environment and Natural Resources Division
U.S. Department of Justice
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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.

E. VERIFICATION (Must be Completed)

State of Idaho)
) ss.
County of Ada)

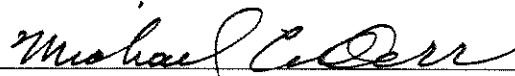
MICHAEL C. ORR, Deputy Attorney General, being first duly sworn, upon oath,
deposes and says:

That the State of Idaho is the party/claimant filing this response as defined by
I.C. §§ 42-1401A(1) and (6), that I am a Deputy Attorney General authorized to represent the
State of Idaho and that 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

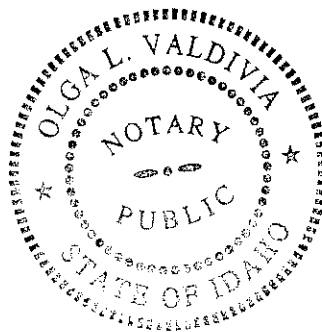
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Deputy Attorney General
Chief, Natural Resources Division

MICHAEL C. ORR
Deputy Attorney General



By Attorney signing in representative capacity

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 13th day of September 2007
(Insert Date)



Notary Public for IDAHO
Residing at: BOISE, ID
My commission expires: 2/8/2012

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 13th day of September 2007, I caused to be served the original and copies of this response to the following persons by the indicated methods:

1. Original to: Clerk of the District Court U.S. MAIL
Snake River Basin Adjudication
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2. One copy to the claimant of the water right at the following addresses:

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

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