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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

Case No. 39576

A. Subcase 37-21114

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on the 20 day of November, 2007, I mailed the attached Memorandum from Christian Petrich, Ph.D., P.E., P.G., which was inadvertently omitted from the Standard Form 1 Objection filed with this court on June 22, 2007, to the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 20 day of November, 2007.

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James P. Speck

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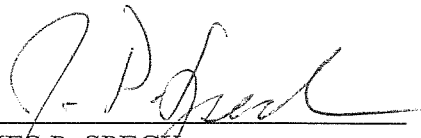
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MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 18, 2007
TO: Jim Speck, Speck and Aanestad
FROM: Christian Petrich, Ph.D., P.E., P.G.
RE: Adjudication Claim 37-21114

The SRBA Adjudication Claim 37-21114 submitted by the Blaine County School District claimed the following: (1) 15 acres of irrigation in Section 10 of T2N R18E; (2) mitigation for the use of 0.6 cfs ground water for the irrigation of 22.9 acres under License 37-8821; and (3) mitigation for the use of 0.08 cfs of ground water for the irrigation of 2 acres Permit 37-21177. Adjudication Claim 37-21114 is a portion of Adjudication Claim 37-12818A (which is a portion of water right 37-577).

IDWR has recommended 13 acres of irrigation under Adjudication Claim 37-21114 instead of the claimed 15 acres. The current shape file for irrigated area under Adjudication Claim 37-21114 in the SENW and NESW of Section 10 is for 13 acres.

Last week I spoke to Kelly Christensen (IDWR, Southern Region) regarding the discrepancy between the 15 claimed acres of irrigation and the 13 recommended acres of irrigation. Kelly called back this morning and said that he and Doug Jones (IDWR, Southern Region) reviewed the claim and recommendation and that both he and Doug Jones felt that the 13-acre recommendation likely represents an error. He indicated that the 13-acre shapefile was drawn to fit IDWR's recommendation, and that both the 13-acre recommendation and the place-of-use shapefile for 37-21114 should probably be revised to show 15 acres of irrigation.