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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) Subcase 74-1576
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Case No. 39576) ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
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This matter came before this Special Master pursuant to a *Notice Setting Subcase for Status Conference* issued November 15, 2007. William A. Snyder and Karl W. Snyder (hereinafter "Claimants") were notified of the hearing via first class mail sent to their last known address. The Claimants failed to appear at the December 20, 2007, status conference either in person or through counsel.

On June 29, 2006, the United States of America, Bureau of Land Management filed an objection to the *Director's Report* for this water right claim, objecting to place of use.

It is **hereby ordered** that the Claimants shall appear before this Special Master on **Thursday, February 7, 2008, 2:30 p.m.** Mountain Time, at the Snake River Basin Adjudication Courthouse, 253 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, Idaho, or participate by telephone by dialing 1-225-383-1099 participation code 654400, to show cause why the objection filed by the United States, BLM, objecting to place of use -- should not be granted. The purpose of the show cause hearing is to provide the Claimants with a final opportunity to argue the objection despite failing to appear at the status conference.

Participation in the show cause hearing is **not mandatory** and failure to appear will not be considered contempt of court. **However, failure to appear will result in the objection being granted.** If the Claimants participate in the hearing, the Claimants will be expected to notify this Special Master whether he intends to oppose the objection, and accordingly a trial date will be set. In such case, no additional evidence or argument need be presented as subcase(s) will be allowed to proceed to trial as a matter of course.

Therefore the parties need not produce testimony or evidence in accordance with I.R.C.P. 6(c)(4).

A copy of this *Order to Show Cause* shall be served upon the Claimant not less than five (5) days prior to the date herein shown, upon which those parties are required to appear before this Special Master and show cause. Service of the *Order to Show Cause* shall be made in accordance with I.R.C.P. 5(b) and 6(c)(2).

IT IS SO ORDERED

Dated December 20, 2007


TERRENCE A. DOLAN
Special Master
Snake River Basin Adjudication

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE was mailed on December 20, 2007, with sufficient first-class postage to the following:

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