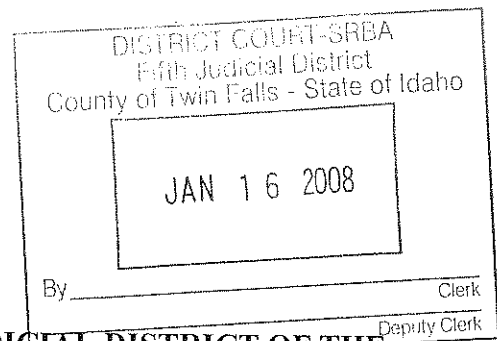




IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA) Subcases 01-35AC, 01-231 and 01-301
Case No. 39576) (Butler Island Canal Co.)
)
) SPECIAL MASTER REPORT
)

Findings of Fact

The Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources filed his *Director's Report, Reporting Area Basin 01, IDWR Part 2* on December 19, 2006. The Director recommended claims 01-35AC, 01-231 and 01-301 to the Butler Island Canal Company, c/o Ann Ferguson, 15533 East Ririe Highway, Ririe, Idaho, 83443, for 41.567 cfs, 10 cfs and 16 cfs from the Snake River to irrigate 938 acres in Jefferson County from April 1 to October 31 with priority dates of June 1, 1885, January 22, 1916, and April 1, 1939, based on a decree.

The United States of America, Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management filed *Objections* on April 17, 2007, objecting to place of use. On January 9, 2008, the Butler Island Canal Company and the USDI / BLM, with IDWR's concurrence, filed *Standard Forms 5* agreeing to the digital boundary of the area served by the Butler Island Canal Company and removing federal public land from the digital boundary.

Conclusions of Law

The Butler Island Canal Company is entitled to partial decrees adjudicating water rights as described in the *SF-5's* and the attached *Special Master Recommendations for Partial Decrees for Water Rights 01-35AC, 01-231 and 01-301*.

DATED January 16, 2008.

TERRENCE A. DOLAN
Special Master
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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)
) PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
) I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Case No. 39576)
)
) Water Right 01-00035AC

NAME AND ADDRESS: BUTLER ISLAND CANAL CO
C/O ANN FERGUSON
15533 E RIRIE HWY
RIRIE, ID 83443

SOURCE: SNAKE RIVER TRIBUTARY: COLUMBIA RIVER

Water is delivered from the Dry Bed.

QUANTITY: 41.567 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 06/01/1885

POINT OF DIVERSION: T04N R40E S35 NENW Within Jefferson County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-01 TO 10-31	41.567 CFS

PLACE OF USE:

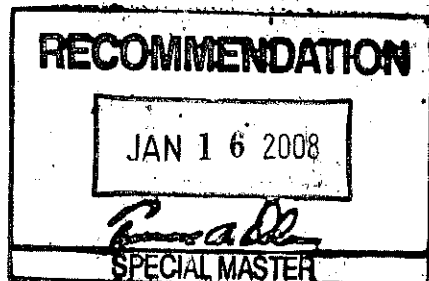
Place of use is within the area served by Butler Island Canal Company.
The boundary encompassing the place of use for this water right is described with a digital boundary as defined by I.C. Section 42-202B(2) and authorized pursuant to I.C. Section 42-1411(2)(h). The data comprising the digital boundary are incorporated herein by reference and are stored on a CD-ROM disk issued in duplicate originals on file with the SRBA District Court and the Idaho Department of Water Resources. A map depicting the place of use is attached hereto to illustrate the place of use described by the digital boundary.
938 ACRES TOTAL

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE ULTIMATELY DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE ENTRY OF A FINAL UNIFIED DECREE. I.C. SECTION 42-1412(6).

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.



John M. Melanson
Presiding Judge of the
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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In Re SRBA)
) PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
) I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Case No. 39576)
) Water Right 01-00231

NAME AND ADDRESS: BUTLER ISLAND CANAL CO
C/O ANN FERGUSON
15533 E RIRIE HWY
RIRIE, ID 83443

SOURCE: SNAKE RIVER TRIBUTARY: COLUMBIA RIVER

Water is delivered from the Dry Bed.

QUANTITY: 10.00 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 01/22/1916

POINT OF DIVERSION: T04N R40E S35 NENW Within Jefferson County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-01 TO 10-31	10.00 CFS

PLACE OF USE:

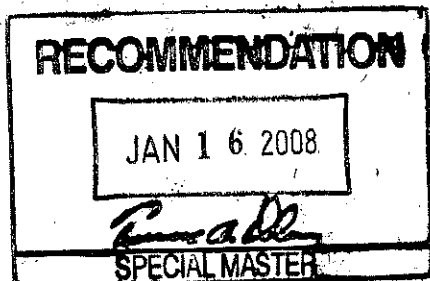
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In Re SRBA)
) PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
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Case No. 39576)
) Water Right 01-00301

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C/O ANN FERGUSON
15533 E RIRIE HWY
RIRIE, ID 83443

SOURCE: SNAKE RIVER TRIBUTARY: COLUMBIA RIVER
Water is delivered from the Dry Bed.

QUANTITY: 16.00 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 04/01/1939

POINT OF DIVERSION: T04N R40E S35 NENW Within Jefferson County

PURPOSE AND			
PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-01 TO 10-31	16.00 CFS

PLACE OF USE:
The boundary encompassing the place of use for this water right is described with a digital boundary as defined by I.C. Section 42-202B(2) and authorized pursuant to I.C. Section 42-1411(2)(h). The data comprising the digital boundary are incorporated herein by reference and are stored on a CD-ROM disk issued in duplicate originals on file with the SRBA District Court and the Idaho Department of Water Resources. A map depicting the place of use is attached hereto to illustrate the place of use described by the digital boundary. Place of use is within the area served by Butler Island Canal Company.

938 ACRES TOTAL

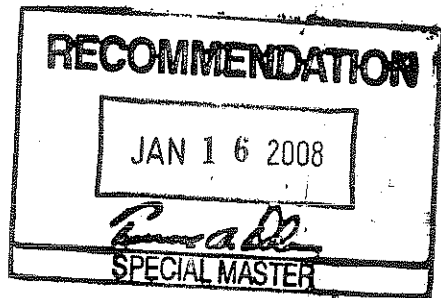
OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

The delivery of water to this right may be subject to procedures described in the United States Bureau of Reclamation 6space holder0 contracts and the Burley Irrigation Dist. v. Eagle, Supplemental Decree (Idaho 5th Jud. Dist., July 10, 1968) and Aberdeen-Springfield Canal Co. v. Eagle, Supplemental Decree (Idaho 7th Jud. Dist., March 12, 1969) together with the natural-flow and storage deliveries as calculated by the Idaho Department of Water Resources.

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Presiding Judge of the
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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JAN 16 2008	
By _____	Clerk
_____	Deputy Clerk

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In Re SRBA

Case No. 39576

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Water Right(s): 01-00035AC
01-00231 01-00301

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT, SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR PARTIAL DECREE and NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION were mailed on January 16, 2008, with sufficient first-class postage prepaid to the following:

DIRECTOR OF IDWR
PO BOX 83720
BOISE, ID 83720-0098

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Represented by:
US DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
ENVIRONMENT & NATL' RESOURCES
550 WEST FORT STREET, MSC 033
BOISE, ID 83724

BUTLER ISLAND CANAL CO
C/O ANN FERGUSON
15533 E RIRIE HWY
RIRIE, ID 83443
Phone: 208-538-7949

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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ROBBIN HALL
Deputy Clerk

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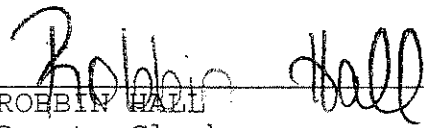
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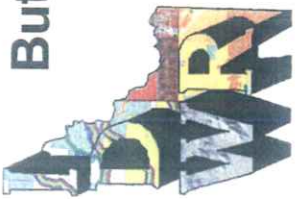
On January 16, 2008, Special Master TERRENCE A. DOLAN issued a SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION for the above subcase(s) pursuant to SRBA Administrative Order 1 (AO1), Section 13a.

Pursuant to SRBA Administrative Order 1, Section 13a, any party to the adjudication including parties to the subcase, may file a Motion to Alter or Amend on or before the 28th day of the next month.

Failure of any party in the adjudication to pursue or participate in a Motion to Alter or Amend the SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION shall constitute a waiver of the right to challenge it before the Presiding Judge.

DATED January 16, 2008.


ROBBIN HALL
Deputy Clerk



Butler Island Canal Co

SRBA Recommendations: 1-35AC, 1-231, 1-301

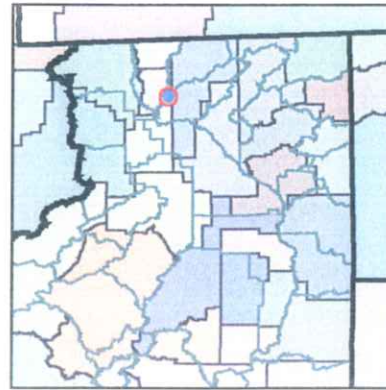
Service Area Boundary
GIS Place of Use Illustration

Service Area

Townships

PLS Sections

Quarter Quarters



Jefferson, Madison Counties
IDWR Basin 1

Prepared by D. Favreau
On Wednesday, December 19, 2007
1987/88 Aerial Photography

