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PRESIDING JUDGE
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January 30, 2008

George Brown, M.D.
1439 Cambridge Drive
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401

RE: Objections to Water Right Claims of DKJ Farms, LLC

Dear Dr. Brown:

I received your e-mail dated January 24, 2008 inquiring whether I had made a decision yet on your objections to water right claims on Moody Creek. It appears that you have filed objections in 22-265E and 22-13479. No decision has been made. The cases have not yet been set for initial hearings before the assigned special master. When the cases are set for hearings you will receive written notice and can then participate in the hearings. You should carefully read the notices you receive from the SRBA court and from IDWR. Ex-party contacts with the court are not permitted. For that reason, I need to ask that you not communicate directly with me in the future. If you have any questions about the status of the cases you may contact our staff attorney, Mr. Eric Wildman, ewildman@srba@state.id.us, or our case administrator, Ms. Diana Delaney, ddelaney@srba.state.id.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "J. Melanson", written over a circular stamp.

John Melanson

pc: Mr. Jerry R. Rigby (Attorney for claimant)
Mr. Thomas J. Budge (Attorney for James Wood)
Mr. Garrick Baxter (IDWR)