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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 47-4477
Case No. 39576) (W. T. Williams, Inc.)
)
) ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO FILE
) AMENDED NOTICE OF CLAIM AND
) SETTING STATUS CONFERENCE

The Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources filed his *Director's Report, Irrigation & Other Uses, Reporting Area 12, IDWR Basin 47* on February 2, 2007. The Director recommended the claim to W.T. Williams, Inc., c/o Tom Williams, 2600 North, 2991 East, Twin Falls, Idaho, 83301, for 5 cfs from groundwater to irrigate 1,589.4 acres in Twin Falls County from April 15 to September 15 with a priority date of March 15, 1960, based on beneficial use.

William J. Williams filed a late *Objection* on March 27, 2008, objecting to quantity. A hearing on the motion to file late objection was held on May 22, 2008, and it was evident that Mr. Williams' motion was actually a motion to amend the claim. Mr. Williams appeared *pro se*, along with Jeff Williams, and Chris M. Bromley appeared for IDWR.

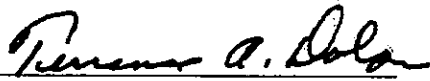
Mr. Williams said that when the well was first tested on June 11, 1960, it "very easily" pumped 264 miners inches, but a later test inaccurately reported that it would pump only 250 miners inches – the amount claimed in the SRBA. It was only two months ago that Mr. Williams discovered the 1960 "well test report" describing 264 miners inches. Mr. Williams has shown good cause to amend the claim to add 14 miners inches.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The motion to file an amended notice of claim filed by William J. Williams is **granted**; and

2. A status conference shall be held by telephone on **Thursday, July 17, 2008, 3:30 p.m.** The parties and IDWR may participate by calling 1-225-383-1099 and entering participant code 654400.

DATED May 28, 2008.


TERRENCE A. DOLAN
Special Master
Snake River Basin Adjudication

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO FILE AMENDED NOTICE OF CLAIM AND SETTING STATUS CONFERENCE was mailed on May 28, 2008, with sufficient first-class postage to the following:

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