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DAVID W GEHLERT
US DEPT OF JUSTICE
ENVIRONMENT & NAT'L RESOURCES
550 W FORT ST MSC 033
BOISE ID 83724

RE: Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)
Notice of Claim to a Water Right #63-9890
Your Client: U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs

Dear Mr. Gehlert:

The Notice of Claim to a Water Right you filed for your client referenced above was received from the SRBA Court recently.

Your client's Notice of Claim will be investigated and reported to the Court in a future supplemental Director's Report. Please contact me at 208/287-4916 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Craig L. Saxton
Water Rights Supervisor
Adjudication Bureau

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