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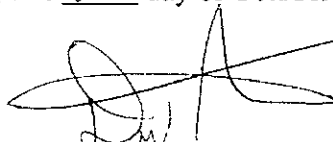
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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

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| In Re SRBA     | ) | Subcase Nos: 01-00217, 01-00218, |
|                | ) | 01-04024, and 01-04025 (Minidoka |
| Case No. 39576 | ) | Power Rights)                    |
|                | ) |                                  |
|                | ) | MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER      |
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COMES NOW the United States, by and its counsel of record and hereby moves the Court for a protective order against all further discovery until the Court has resolved the pending Motions for Summary Judgment. This Motion is supported by the accompanying *Memorandum in Support of Motion for Protective Order*.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2009.



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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on October 2, 2009, I served true and correct copies of the foregoing MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER as follows:

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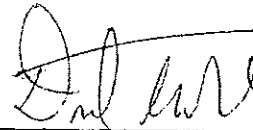
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