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RE: Coeur d'Alene-Spokane River Basin Adjudication (CSRBA) Claim No. 95-11039

Dear Claimants:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) has completed initial processing of adjudication claim 95-11039 that you filed online. A review of your claim indicates the priority date claimed is in violation of the Mandatory Permit Statute for the claimed water source. The permit system for establishing a water right became mandatory for uses developed from surface water after May 20, 1971 (except for watering stock directly from streams).

Because a water right was not previously established for this water use under the permit system, IDWR will not be able to recommend that the CSRBA Court issue a decreed water right for your water use. While you may still choose to pursue this claim through the CSRBA Court, another option is to withdraw your claim and apply the \$25.00 claim fee paid on Receipt T089225 towards the fee for an application for permit to acquire a water right through the permit system for this water use.

An Application for Permit form with instructions is enclosed. You may also access the Application for Permit form as a "fillable" PDF file on IDWR's web site under Water Right Forms at the URL shown below.

http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/RulesStatutesForms/WaterRights/PDFs/Application_for_Permit.pdf

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. I can be reached by phone during business hours at (208) 287-4917 or (800) 451-4129, or by email at Carter.Fritschle@idwr.idaho.gov.

Sincerely,

Carter Fritschle
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Enclosure(s): Application for Permit form
Instructions for Application for Permit
Withdrawal of Claim form