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August 22, 2011

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RE: SRBA Subcase No. 63-367 (Bureau of Reclamation)

Dear Dave:

I am enclosing an SF5 for the above-referenced subcase. Please review the document, and if it is acceptable, please sign on the indicated signature line, initial the revised recommendation and file the SF5 with the SRBA Court.

If you should have any questions or comments, please don't hesitate to contact me at (208) 287-4815.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ray Williams". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "R" and "W".

Ray Williams
Paralegal

Enclosure

**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 No. 63-367
	)	
Case No. 39576	)	STANDARD FORM 5
	)	
	)	STIPULATED ELEMENTS OF A
_____	)	WATER RIGHT

This form is used to report the stipulated elements of one water right acquired under state law and/or one federal reserved water right. Submission of this form will not automatically result in the issuance of a partial decree. The Presiding Judge or Special Master will conduct any hearing necessary to determine whether the facts, data, expert opinions and law support the issuance of a partial decree for the water right.

The parties agree that the Snake River Basin Adjudication Court has jurisdiction of the parties and subject matter to enter a partial decree for this water right; that they have been served with sufficient process, according to the law; and that they have appeared, prosecuted, and defended their positions with regard to this water right dispute.

The parties and IDWR agree and stipulate that the elements of this water right should be described per the attached. The parties and IDWR have further indicated their concurrence by initialing each of the attached pages.

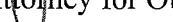
CLAIMANT/ OBJECTOR:

Bureau of Reclamation

David W. Gehlert Date
Attorney for Claimant/Objector

State of Idaho

Michael C. Orr
Attorney for Objector


John K. Simpson
Attorney for Objector


Date

Jan Shurte 8/19/11
Jan Shurte Date
Adjudication Supervisor



Garrick L. Baxter
Deputy Attorney General
Attorney for IDWR

7/29/2011

Date

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
RECOMMENDATION OF WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

RIGHT NUMBER: 63-367

NAME AND ADDRESS: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH
BUREAU OF RECLAMATION
REGIONAL DIRECTOR PN CODE-3100
1150 N CURTIS RD STE 100
BOISE ID 83706-1234

SOURCE: BOISE RIVER

TRIBUTARY: SNAKE RIVER

QUANTITY: 1,500.000 CFS

~~This right shall receive 100 percent of its decreed quantity until the natural flow of the waters of the Boise River shall decrease so that all rights containing this condition cannot receive 100 percent of their decreed quantities, at which time this right and the other rights containing this condition shall first be cut to 75 percent of their decreed quantities, as the natural flow of the river decreases, beginning with the latest rights containing this condition and proceeding to the earliest rights containing this condition in the order of their priority dates, and after all of the rights containing this condition shall have been reduced to 75 percent of their decreed quantities, should the natural flow of the waters of the river decrease below the amount necessary to supply 75 percent of those decreed quantities, then this right and the other rights containing this condition, beginning with the latest and proceeding to the earliest, shall be reduced to 60 percent of their decreed quantities.~~

AB
J
MCO
JKD

PRIORITY DATE: 06/16/1909

~~The appropriator shall exercise this right in a manner that recognizes the historic practice that the use of water for power generation is incidental to the rights of others to the use of water for other purposes. The appropriator shall not make a delivery call for hydropower generation except as against junior hydropower rights.~~

This water right may be exercised only when it will not cause the loss of water that could otherwise be stored in the reservoir system. "Reservoir system" shall mean all Federal reservoirs operated by the Bureau of Reclamation and/or the Army Corps of Engineers on the Boise River and its tributaries down to and including Lucky Peak Dam.

POINT OF DIVERSION:

T02N R03E S3 NWSW Lot 9 Within ADA County

PURPOSE AND
PERIOD OF USE:

<u>PURPOSE OF USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>
POWER	1/01 12/31	1,500.000 CFS

PLACE OF USE: POWER in ADA County

T02N R03E S03 Lot 9 NWSW

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the Court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. Section 42-1412(6), Idaho Code.

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL: BASIS OF CLAIM - Decreed

JB
MCO
JKS
JR

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on _____, 2011, I mailed the original and copies of this form, including all attachments, to the following persons by mailing the original and/or copies, postage prepaid and addressed as follows:

1. Original to:

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