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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

In Re SRBA

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Subcase 22-13987

(Insert water right number)

Case No. 39576

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STANDARD FORM 1 OBJECTION

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING

Name: George R. Brown

Address: 1439 Cambridge Dr.

Idaho Falls, ID 83401

Daytime Phone: (208) 522-9552

Name & Address of Attorney, if any:

Joseph F. Brown

4094 S. Federal Way K102

Boise, ID 83716

Name: DKJ Farm LLC

Address: 665 Centennial Loop

Rexburg, ID 83440

D. I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
Should be: _____
2. ☐ **Source**
Should be: _____
3. ☐ **Quantity**
Should be: _____
4. ☐ **Priority Date**
Should be: _____
5. ☐ **Point of Diversion**
Should be: _____
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Beginning and Ending Point**
Should be: _____
7. ☐ **Purpose(s) of Use**
Should be: _____
8. ☐ **Period of Year**
Should be: _____
9. ☐ **Place of Use**
Should be: _____

10. ☒ **I object because:**
☒ This water right Should not exist.
☐ This water right was not recommended, but Should be recommended with the elements described above.

E. **REASONS SUPPORTING OBJECTIONS(S):** Please see next page.

Dr. George Brown objects to Rights 22-265E, 22-13987, and 22-13988. Originally, Right 22-265E was a transfer from Right 22-265. Right 22-265E was composed of Transfer Right 2034 and Transfer Rights 3002. Transfer Right 2034 allowed for irrigation of 85 acres and Transfer Right 3002 allowed for irrigation of 115 acres. Both transfer rights were approved pursuant to Idaho Code 42-222. The rate of diversion to these 200 acres was limited to 4 cfs after June 20.

In 2010, IDWR changed Transfer Right 2034 to Water Right 22-12987 and Transfer 3002 to Water Right 22-13988, both now pursuant to Idaho Code §42-1425. Two elements of water transfers under I.C. §42-1425 are that the transfers cannot damage existing rights or create an enlargement of the right. Further, I.C. §42-222 provides additional elements for water transfers: Transfers cannot cause harm to existing rights, cannot result in an enlargement, cannot result in a loss of public interest, and cannot violate conservation laws.

Dr. Brown requests that the SRBA hear evidence regarding the legal significance of facts that occurred after IDWR approval. Dr. Brown intends to present evidence that his water rights have been harmed. He will also show that the transferred rights have resulted in an unlawful enlargement of the original water right and damaged the environment. SRBA will also need to decide water right issues that were not addressed by the IDWR, such as violations of conservation laws and loss of public interest, that have resulted from use and misuse of these water rights.

F.

VERIFICATION (must be completed)

State of Idaho)
)ss.
County of Ada)

George R. Brown, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:
(Name of person filing objection)

That I am the party/claimant filing this objection, as defined by I.C. §§ 42-1401A(1) and (6) or that I am the attorney for the party/claimant objecting and that I have read this objection, know its contents and believe that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

(Signature of person filing objection)

George R. Brown
(Attorney signing in representative capacity)

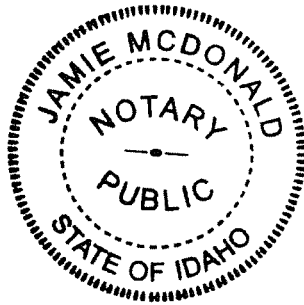
Subscribed and sworn to before me on:

September 1, 2011

Jamie McDonald
Notary Public for Borise, ID

Residing at: Borise, ID

My Commission Expires: 2-14-2014



INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the objection, to the Clerk of the court. **FAX filings will not be accepted.** You must also send a copy to all the parties listed below in the Certificate of Mailing.

G. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on September 1, 2001, I mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons: Also included was Motion to Permit Late Filing of Objections:

1. Original to:

Clerk of the District court
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2. One copy to the claimant of the water right at the following address:

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3. Copies to:

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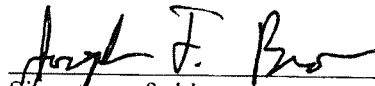
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