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DISTRICT COURT - SRBA Fifth Judicial District County of Twin Falls - State of Idaho	
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA	)	SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT AND
	)	RECOMMENDATION; FINDINGS OF
Case No. 39576	)	FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
	)	
	)	WATER RIGHT NO.: 27-2026
_____	)	

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

A claim was filed for this water right pursuant to I.C. § 42-1409. The Director of the State of Idaho Department of Water Resources examined the water system for this reporting area. The *Director's Report* contained a recommendation for the elements of this water right.

Objections were filed by the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes and the United States Bureau of Indian Affairs.

The Shoshone-Bannock Tribes and the United States Bureau of Indian Affairs filed a *Notice of Withdrawal of Objection* for this water right. There was no opposition to the withdrawal of the *Objections*. There are no unresolved objections remaining in this subcase. This water right will be recommended consistent with the *Director's Report*.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the file and record herein, IT IS RECOMMENDED that this water right be decreed with the elements set forth in the attached *Special Master's Recommendation for Partial Decree*.

DATED: March 19, 2012.


BRIGETTE BILYEU
Special Master
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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In Re SRBA)
) PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
) I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Case No. 39576)
)
) Water Right 27-02026

NAME AND ADDRESS: P THOMAS BLOTTER FAMILY LTD
PARTNERSHIP
C/O P THOMAS BLOTTER
3250 N 1200 E
LOGAN, UT 84321

SOURCE: GOODHEART CREEK TRIBUTARY: SINKS

QUANTITY: 1.28 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 08/07/1914

POINT OF DIVERSION: T09S R44E S04 LOT 4 (SWNNWN) Within Caribou County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	Irrigation	04-15 TO 10-15	1.28 CFS

PLACE OF USE: Irrigation Within Caribou County
T09S R44E S05 LOT 1 (NENE) 1.6 LOT 2 (NWNE) 9.4
SWNE 40.0 SENE 13.0
64.0 Acres Total

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

THE REMAINDER OF THIS RIGHT WAS FORFEITED FOR NON-USE FROM 1976
TO 2005.

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. I.C. SECTION 42-1412(6).

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

RECOMMENDATION

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Bigella Bilney
SPECIAL MASTER

Eric J. Wildman
Presiding Judge of the
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF
SPECIAL MASTER'S
RECOMMENDATION

Water Right(s) : 27-02026

On March 19, 2012, Special Master BRIGETTE BILYEU
issued a SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION for the above subcase(s)
pursuant to SRBA Administrative Order 1 (AO1), Section 13a.

Pursuant to SRBA Administrative Order 1, Section 13a, any party
to the adjudication including parties to the subcase, may file a Motion
to Alter or Amend on or before the 28th day of the next month.

Failure of any party in the adjudication to pursue or participate
in a Motion to Alter or Amend the SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION
shall constitute a waiver of the right to challenge it before the
Presiding Judge.

DATED March 19, 2012.


JANET CONNELL
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT, SPECIAL MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR PARTIAL DECREE and NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION were mailed on March 19, 2012, with sufficient first-class postage prepaid to the following:

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