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DISTRICT COURT-SRBA
TWIN FALLS CO., IDAHO
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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

In Re SRBA

) Subcase: 36-13491

Case No. 39576

)
) PRELIMINARY SPECIAL MASTER'S
) REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION
)
)

Finding of Fact

The A&B Irrigation District filed its *Notice of Claim to a Water Right* on October 12, 1989, claiming .04 cfs of groundwater for domestic use based on beneficial use. On November 2, 1992, the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources filed his *Director's Report for Reporting Area 2 (Basin 36)* recommending the water right as claimed.

The United States of America, Department of the Interior, Bureau of Reclamation, filed its *Objection* on April 30, 1993, objecting to name and address and remarks. The Director's *Response to Objection* filed August 24, 1993, proposed no change in his recommendation.

On March 21, 1995, A&B, the United States and IDWR filed a *Standard Form 5* amending the claimant to be the United States.

Conclusions of Law

The claimant is entitled to a partial decree adjudicating its water right as described in the *Standard Form 5*.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the United States be adjudicated the following water right under claim 36-13491:

Name and address of claimant:

**United States of America
Department of the Interior
Bureau of Reclamation
1150 N. Curtis Road
Boise, ID 83706-1234**

Source of water:

Groundwater

Quantity of water used:

.04 cfs

Date of priority:

August 22, 1955

Point of diversion:

**T 8S, R 24E, § 5, B.M., Minidoka County, Idaho,
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Purpose of use:

Domestic

Period of use:

January 1 to December 31

Place of use:

**T 8S, R 24E, § 5, B.M., Minidoka County, Idaho,
NE¼NE¼**

Annual volume of consumptive use:

N/A

- Conditions on exercise of water right:

None

Remarks or other matters necessary for definition of the right, for clarification of any element of the right, or for administration of the right by the director:

None

DATED May 16, 1996.



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Special Master, Reporting Area 3
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