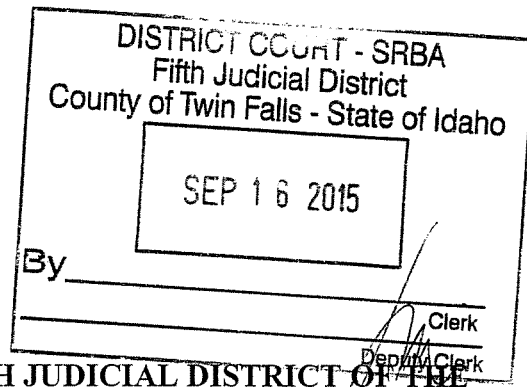


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DEPARTMENT OF
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA) Subcase Nos.: 37-2773, 37-2774, 37-2779,
Case No. 39576) 37-2783 and 37-22806
)
) ORDER SETTING STATUS
) CONFERENCE
)
) ORDER REQUIRING STATUS REPORT
)

On August 13, 2015, the State of Idaho filed a *Motion for Order Decreeing Water Rights* in the above-captioned subcases, along with a stipulation signed by certain of the parties. The *Motion* moves the Court to take certain actions based on the stipulation. However, by its express terms the stipulation provides that it "shall become effective after execution by all signatories." As of the date of this *Order*, the stipulation has been signed by all of the signatories except for the United States Bureau of Reclamation ("USBOR").

A status conference was held on September 15, 2015, to address how to best proceed on the State's *Motion*. Counsel for the USBOR did not appear, and no update was provided to the Court as to whether the USBOR intended to sign the stipulation, and if so when. Therefore, after hearing from the parties in open court, the Court decided to reset this status conference for the date and time set forth below. The Court further decided, for the reasons discussed and set forth on the record, to require the USBOR to file a written status report regarding its intentions with respect to the stipulation in the event it has not signed the stipulation prior to the status conference.

THEREFORE, BASED ON THE FOREGOING, THE FOLLOWING ARE HEREBY ORDERED:

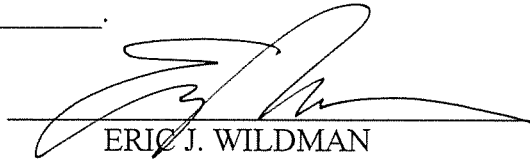
1. Notice is hereby given that a status conference in the above-captioned subcases is set for **October 20, 2015, at 1:30 p.m.** (Mountain Time) at the Snake River Basin Adjudication

District Court, 253 3rd Avenue North, Twin Falls, Idaho. Telephone participation will be available by dialing 1-720-279-0026 and entering 786692# when prompted. However, no cell phones or speaker phones will be permitted as they interfere with our sound system making the proceeding difficult to accurately record. Video teleconferencing ("VTC") will also be available by appearing at either (1) the Idaho Department of Water Resources, Idaho Water Center, 322 E. Front St., Conference Rm. B, Boise, Idaho, or (2) the Idaho Department of Water Resources, Eastern Regional Office, 900 N. Skyline Drive, Ste. A, Idaho Falls, Idaho.

2. If the stipulation submitted by the parties is not signed by the USBOR prior to the status conference, the USBOR shall file a written status report with the Court regarding its intentions with respect to the stipulation **on or before October 19, 2015**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: 9/15/2015.


ERIC J. WILDMAN
Presiding Judge
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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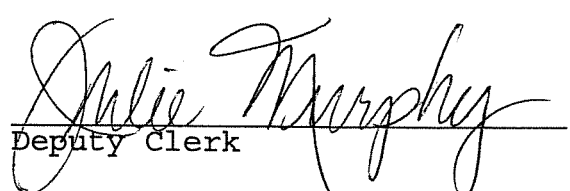
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