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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

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

In Re CSRBA

Case No. 49576

A. Subcase No. 94-7997

**STANDARD FORM 2
RESPONSE TO OBJECTION**

Please **print** or **type** the following information:

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON RESPONDING

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**C. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO FILED THE
OBJECTION TO WHICH YOU ARE RESPONDING**

Name: Coeur d'Alene Tribe of the Coeur D'Alene Indian Reservation
Address: 850 A. Street, PO Box 408Pl
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D. I am responding to the Objections to the following elements or general provision. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
2. ☒ **Source**
3. ☐ **Quantity**
4. ☐ **Priority Date**
5. ☒ **Point of Diversion**
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Beginning and Ending**
7. ☐ **Purpose(s) of Use**
8. ☐ **Period of Year**
9. ☐ **Place of Use**
10. ☐ **General Provision**
11. ☒ **Recommendation:**

☒ This water right should not exist.

☐ This water right was not recommended, but should be recommended with the elements described above.

Reasons for Response. The reservation of the beds and banks of a navigable waterway, and the reservation, if any, of the minimum amount of water rights necessary to fulfill the purposes of the Coeur d'Alene Indian Reservation, does not deprive the State of its authority to authorize the diversion of non-reserved waters by nonmembers residing within the Reservation, whether by issuance of a water right license or recognition of beneficial use. Waters within the Reservation in excess of the water, if any, found by this Court to be necessary to fulfill reserved water rights, are under the sovereign control of the State of Idaho, and may be appropriated as provided by the laws of the State of Idaho. It is well-established that the issuance of a water right license, or the recognition of a beneficial use water right, does not authorize trespass upon, or the use of, the lands of any person other than the holder of the water right. Therefore, the decree of this water right does not affect any property rights of the objector.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the Response, including all attachments, 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.

E. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on September 26, 2016, I mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons:

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