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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 DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA

) Subcase Nos. (see attached list)

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Case No. 39576

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) ORDER ON MEDIATION

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) ORDER SETTING STATUS

) CONFERENCE

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These subcases came before the Court pursuant to a status conference held on February 21, 2017. At the hearing, the parties informed the Court of an issue they have identified related to the subcases. The parties refer to the issue as the "reset issue." The Court notes that the parties have not placed the "reset issue" before the Court at this time. Procedurally, the above-captioned subcases are closed. Final judgments have been entered in the form of *Partial Decrees* and no post-judgment motions have been filed in an attempt to set aside or seek relief from those judgments. That said, the parties informed the Court of their desire to attempt to negotiate a resolution of the "reset issue" short of court involvement pursuant to a sixty-day mediated period. In the event that no resolution is reached, the parties agreed that post-judgment motions shall be filed following the expiration of the sixty-day mediated period. Although no issue in these subcases has been placed before the Court at this time, the Court agreed to issue this order in an attempt to facilitate the parties' desire to reach a negotiated settlement of what they have characterized as the "reset issue."

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

1. **Selection of Mediator:** The parties shall have ten days from the entry of this written order to select a mediator and notify the Court of their selection in writing. If the parties

do not notify the Court that a mediator has been selected within that time period, the Court will appoint a mediator

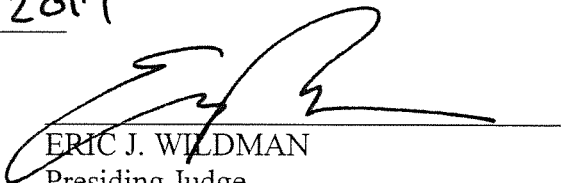
2. Deadline for Completing Mediation: The parties shall have sixty days from the selection or appointment of the mediator within which to complete mediation sessions and file, or have the mediator file, a report advising the Court whether the issue identified by the parties as the “reset issue” has in whole or in part settled. Attendance at the mediation sessions is mandatory.

3. Filing of Post-Judgment Motions: Pursuant to the request of the parties, the Court orders that in the event that no resolution of the “reset issue” is reached within the sixty day mediation period, the parties shall file, should they so desire, any post-judgment motions they deem appropriate with respect to the above-captioned subcases prior to May 16, 2017. The post-judgment motions should be made pursuant to and in accordance with the appropriate Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure.

4. Notice is hereby given that a status conference is set for **May 16, 2017, 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.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: February 22, 2017


ERIC J. WILDMAN
Presiding Judge
Snake River Basin Adjudication

Subcase Nos:

01-00219
01-02064
01-02068
01-04005
01-10042
01-10043
01-10044
01-10045
01-10620
01-10621A
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