

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

IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF RIGHTS TO THE USE OF WATER FROM
THE SNAKE RIVER BASIN WATER SYSTEM.

CIVIL CASE NUMBER: 39576

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NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

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1. Name: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH
Address: USDA FOREST SERVICE
550 W FORT ST MSC 033
BOISE ID 83724

2. Date of Priority: MAY 1, 1884

3. Source: SPRING Trib. to: SINKS

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4 of	1/4	Lot	County
12N	26E	27	SE	SE			LEMHI

5. Description of diverting works:
Pond

6. Water is used for the following purposes:

Purpose	From	To	C.F.S	(or)	A.F.A.
STOCKWATER	05/01	11/30	0.020		

7. Total Quantity Appropriated is:
0.020 C.F.S. (and/or) A.F.A.

8. Total consumptive use is Acre Feet Per Annum.

9. Non-irrigation uses:

10. Place of Use:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4	Lot	Use	Acres
12N	26E	27	SE	SE		STOCK	

11. Place of use in counties: LEMHI

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12. Do you own the property listed above as place of use? YES

13. Other Water Rights Used:

14. Remarks:

FOREST SERVICE RECORD ID = 0406 17040217 01 0029
STOCKWATER, 554 CATTLE

15. Basis of Claim: BENEFICIAL USE

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Address: 550 W. Fort Street MSC033

Boise

ID

83724

2. Date of Priority: 05/01/1884

3. Source of water: SPRING

Tributary: SINKS

4. Location Meridian BOISE

Description of Diversion Works: Pond

From: Spring

Location of Point of Diversion

T: 12 N R: 26 E S: 27 SESE

Location of Point of Use

T: 12 N R: 26 E S: 27 SESE

5. Quantity claimed:

Period

Quantity

For

5/ 01 -- 11/ 30

0.02 CFS

Stockwater

6. Total Consumptive Use Claimed for Present and Future Use is:

0.02 CFS

7. Present and future uses to which the water is or will be used:

Stockwater

8. Attach the legal description of the reservation, and maps showing for each consumptive use the existing and proposed place of use and existing points of diversion.

Bound separately

9. Remarks:

State Basin: 33

National Forest: Challis

Forest Service Record ID: 04 06 17040217 01 0 0029

10. Describe any other water rights used at the same place and for the same purposes as described above: None

11. Counties within the reservation: Not available

Notice is hereby given that the United States Department of Justice will represent the Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, in all matters pertaining to the Snake River Basin Adjudication. All notices required by law to be mailed by the Director to the claimant should be mailed to the individuals at the address

Bruce Bernard

U.S. Department of Justice

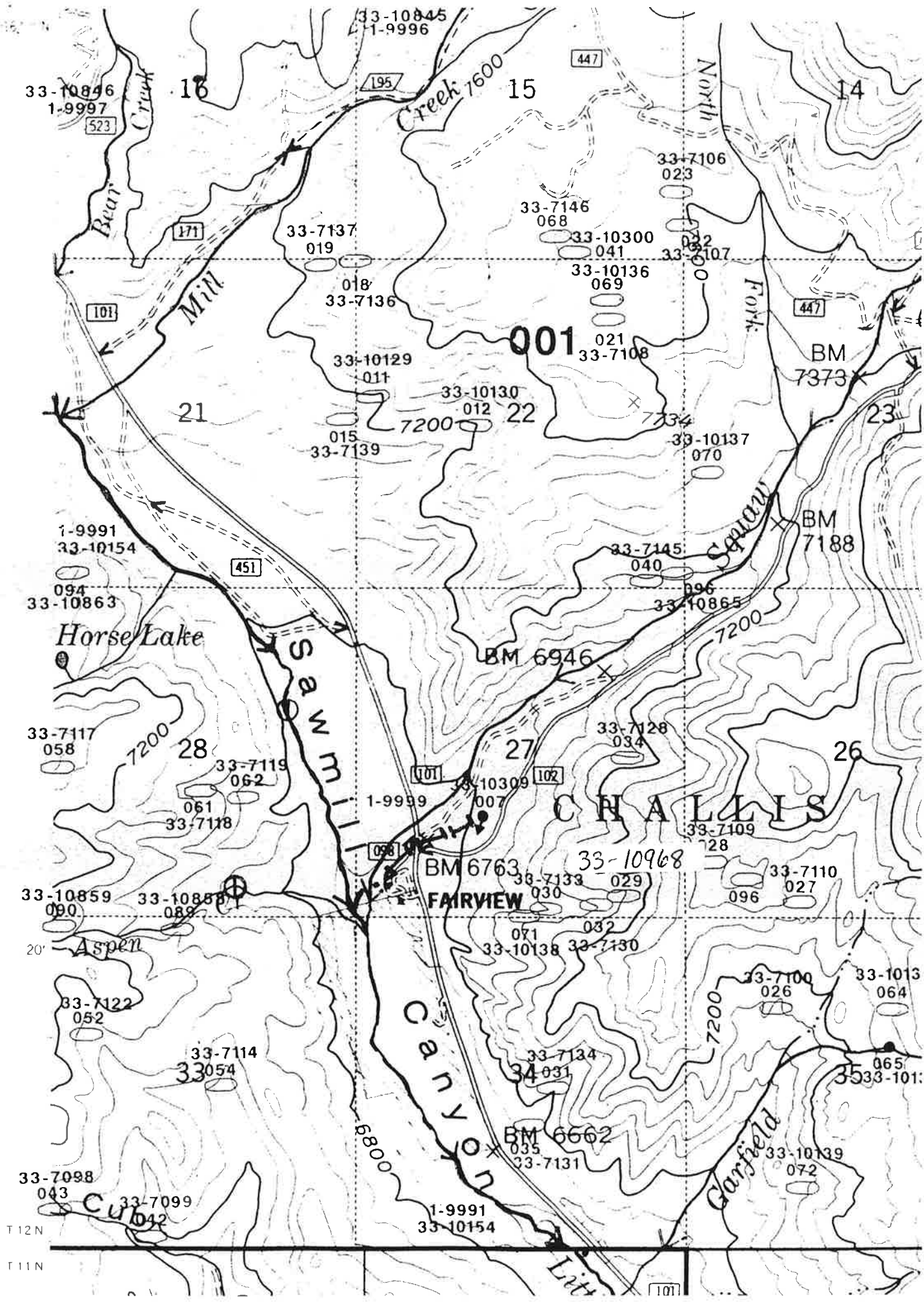
Environment and Natural Resources Division

550 W. Fort Street, Box 33

Boise, ID 83724

This form is an attachment to a letter forwarding the claims of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service. The signature and affirmation on such letter constitutes the signature of the authorized agent representing the United States of America required for each such claim.

33-10968



T12N
T11N

November 19, 1999

**NOTICE OF ERROR
REPLY**

Please type or print clearly, fill out this form completely and mail.

Return this reply form to IDWR by the deadline date printed below if you want IDWR to change your recommendation or you want to let IDWR know that you agree with its recommendation.

YOUR DEADLINE FOR RETURNING A NOTICE OF ERROR REPLY IS: December 10, 1999

Water right number: 33-10968

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH
USDA FOREST SERVICE
550 W FORT ST MSC 033
BOISE ID 83724

Daytime Telephone Number:

Evening Telephone Number:

1. Describe the portion of the proposed recommendation with which you disagree (e.g. priority date, period of use, source):

2. Describe the changes you wish to make in the proposed recommendation:

3. Give a brief explanation as to why you disagree with these portions:

X I AGREE with this proposed recommendation; no changes need to be made.

DATE: 12-8-99

SIGNATURE: Jamie Gough

Please print your name: JAMIE GOUGH

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In Re SRBA

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Case No. 39576

Department of Water Resources)

A. Subcase: See Exhibit "A"

STANDARD FORM 1

OBJECTION

Please fill in the following information:

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING

Name: PICKETT RANCH & SHEEP CO.

Address: 1650 SOUTH 568 WEST

Daytime Phone: (208) 734-0700

Name & Address of Attorney, if any:

Norman M. Semanko
Rosholt, Robertson & Tucker
P.O. Box 1906
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C. CLAIMANT OF WATER RIGHT AS LISTED IN DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Name: United States of America
USDA Forest Service

Address: 550 W. Fort St., MSC 033
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D. I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

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Should be:
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Should be:
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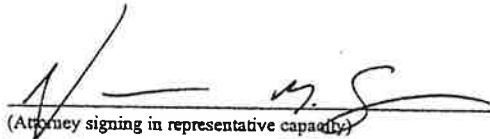
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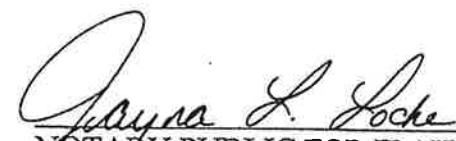
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on: April 3, 2000.





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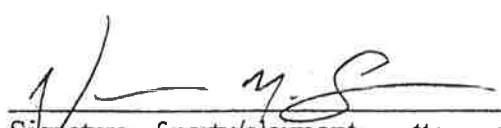
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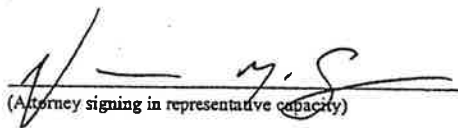
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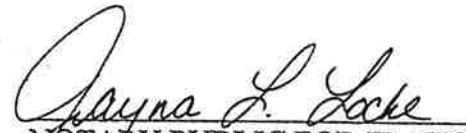
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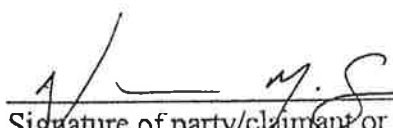
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EXHIBIT "B"

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