

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

Ident. Number 37-10161
Date Received: 6/20/1988
Receipt No: S000466
Received By:

NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

1. Name of Claimant(s)

DONALD TABER

Phone: (208) 886-2427

312 E 20 N
SHOSHONE ID USA 83352

2. Date of Priority: 04/01/1955

3. Source: GROUND WATER

Trib. to:

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of 1/4 of 1/4 Lot	County	Type
06S	18E	22	SE SE SE	LINCOLN	

5. Description of diverting works:

6" X 195' WELL, 3 HP MOTOR, PUMP

6. Water is used for the following purposes:

Purpose	From	To	C.F.S.	(or) A.F.A
COMMERCIAL	1/01	12/31	0.04	

7. Total Quantity Appropriated is:

0.04 C.F.S.

8. Total consumptive use:

9. Non-irrigation uses:

10. Place of use:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of 1/4	Lot	Use	Acres
06S	18E	27	NE	NE	COMMERCIAL	

11. Place of use in counties: LINCOLN

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

13. Other Water Rights Used:

14. Remarks:

SAME WELL SERVES 3 HOMES AND 300 STOCK. DAIRY HERD IS 72 HEAD.

15. Basis of Claim: Beneficial Use

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1. Name: GLENN L. SORENSEN 208-544-2484
Address: 369 S. 550 E.
DIETRICH, ID 83324

2. Date of Priority: APR 01, 1955

3. Source: GROUNDWATER Trib. to:

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4 of	1/4	Lot	County
06S	18E	22	SE	SE	SE		LINCOLN

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Purpose	From	To	C.F.S	(or)	A.F.A.
COMMERCIAL	01/01	12/31	0.040		

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

8. Total consumptive use is Acre Feet Per Annum.

9. Non-irrigation uses:
COMMERCIAL - DAIRY BARN

10. Place of Use:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of	1/4	Lot	Use	Acres
06S	18E	27	NE	NE		COMMER	

11. Place of use in counties: LINCOLN

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Date: 06/20/88

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

13. Other Water Rights Used:
NONE

14. Remarks:
SAME WELL SERVES 3 HOMES AND 300 STOCK. DAIRY HERD IS 72 HEAD.

15. Basis of Claim: BENEFICIAL USE
Water Right Number:

16. Signature(s)

(a.) By signing below, I/We acknowledge that I/We have received, read and understand the form entitled "How you will receive notice in the Snake River Basin Adjudication." (b.) I/We do _____ do not X wish to receive and pay a small annual fee for monthly copies of the docket sheet.

Number of attachments: _____

For Individuals:

I/We do solemnly swear or affirm that the statements contained in the foregoing document are true and correct.

Signature of Claimant(s): Alvin L. Sorenson Date: June 10 - 1988

Date: _____

State of Idaho

County of Lincoln Falls)
SS.

Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) before me this 20th day

of June 19 88

Mary A. Baldwin
Notary Public

Seal

Residing at Gooding, Id
My Commission Expires 10-16-92

07/31/2002

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
PRELIMINARY RECOMMENDATION OF WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

RIGHT NUMBER: 37-10161

NAME AND ADDRESS: DONALD TABER
312 E 20 N
SHOSHONE ID 83352

SOURCE: GROUND WATER

TRIBUTARY:

QUANTITY: 0.04 CFS
7.9 AFY

PRIORITY DATE: 04/01/1955

POINT OF DIVERSION:

T06S R18E S22 SESESE Within LINCOLN County

PURPOSE AND
PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE
COMMERCIAL

PERIOD OF USE
01/01 12/31

QUANTITY
0.040 CFS
7.90 AFY

PLACE OF USE: COMMERCIAL Within LINCOLN County

T06S R18E S27 NENE

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS
NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT
ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE ULTIMATELY
DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE
ENTRY OF A FINAL UNIFIED DECREE. SECTION 42-1412(6), IDAHO CODE.

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL: Beneficial Use

37-10161

Query shows this overlaps the same POD
as 37-10159, for D/S uses.

(G. Sorenson)
Affidavit, seems to support dairy use of 123 head
at one point in time; claim is for 72 head.

→ Table lists 100 + stock for dairy as 0.13 cfs 7.9 AFY
(claim is 0.04 cfs)

* Claim to be rec'd as valid instead of Disallow
Expansion of Dairy may have exceeded this right.

theo. calc. supports flow claimed & claim 37-10159
= 0.06 cfs - 0.07 cfs

Donley Farms, Inc.

501 E. 20 No.

Shoshone, ID 83352



ATTN:
Steve Clelland

Department of Water Resources
Adjudication Bureau
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

In response to water rights

37-10158

37-10161

37-7197

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JUL 30 2002

Department of Water Resources

I met with Doug Jones in the Town Falls office. We transferred the water right to Don Taber. He said I needed to show the land was irrigated when the well was drilled. This information was to be sent to you and that should get everything in order. Thanks!

If you need other information
contact me

Cell - 308-2427

Office - 886-7627

Fax - 886-2112

Sincerely,

Don Taber

501 E. 20 No.
Shoshone, ID 83352
(208) 886-7627

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Donley Farms, Inc.

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July 29, 2002

Department of Water Resources

Department of Water Resources
Adjudication Bureau
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

ATTN: Steve Clelland

I went to the Farm Service Office and found that they have slides showing the land in Section 22, 27 and 28 was being irrigated in 1983. Farm Service cannot copy these slides. They would have to take them somewhere and have pictures made if more proof is needed.

I moved to Idaho in 1975. In 1976 and 1977 I farmed with Oscar Stimpson and remember harvesting potatoes from the Glenn Sorensen farm in Section 27 and 28. We also harvest alfalfa from Section 22.

Attached is a letter from former owner of property (Glenn Sorensen) and neighboring farmers.

Thank you for your assistance.

Don Taber, President
Donley Farms, Inc.

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American Fork, Utah
22 July 2002

Department of Water Resources
Boise, Idaho

Don Taber
312 East 20 North
Shoshone, Idaho

We Purchased 280 Acres of farm and dry pasture ground from Mr. A. Clegg, who was farming 40 acres of that land and was pasturing the rest. He was operating a small dairy of about 15 or twenty cows and about 15 dry range cattle.

This purchase was completed 15 June 1955 and we moved onto the land. We also brought 10 head of dairy cows with us when we moved. We continued the dairy by purchasing 7 head of Mr. Clegg's cows and gradually built our dairy to 123 head at one time.

Seeing that this operation was not large enough to meet the demands of our growing family, I purchased 200 acres of dry pasture ground from a neighbor and started to increase our Beef livestock.

Hoping to increase the productivity of the dry pastureland, I dug a catch pond to collect what waste water was coming onto the place, and installed a 50 HP electric pump and installed a sprinkling system consisting of wheel lines and hand lines.

This system worked well but after a few years the waste water supply began to dry up so 1974 I got permits to drill a deep well, where I had an 18 inch turbine pump installed. This was driven by a 200 HP electric motor.

This additional water made it possible for me to finish installing the present sprinkler system which consists of 3 Circular pivots, several quarter mile hand lines, and enough hand lines to fill all the corners and ends. Thus the entire 480 acres is now able to be irrigated by sprinkler, which has greatly increased the productivity of the land and livestock.

All the legal requirements were met, approved, and paid for as these changes were made.

In 1998 I sold the farm to Don Taber and after selling off the livestock, moved to my present address, with the feeling that all legal requirements had been fulfilled and have enjoyed these retirement years as well as the association with an honest man, Mr. Don Taber.



Glenn L Sorensen
246 Orchard Ave
American Fork, Utah 84003

Phone: 801 763-0611

State of Idaho
Dept. of Water Resources
1361 W. Orchard St.
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Dear sir:

A well was drilled on the Glenn Sorensen ranch in Dietrich in 1974 for the purpose of providing water for pasture for cattle and for crop irrigation. The ground was originally watered with hand and wheel lines. Glenn always had cattle and milk cows from the time he moved there in 1955.

Having been the owner of the adjoining property since 1957, I can testify to this fact. Before we bought the adjoining ranch, we lived about a mile down the road since 1936.

Yours truly,

Floyd O. Bishop

J.O. Stimpson
428 E. 370 S.
Dietrich, ID 83324

IDAHO DEPT. OF WATER RESOURCES
BOISE, IDAHO
July 26, 2002

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

I, J. Oscar Stimpson, residing at 428 E, 370 S., Dietrich Idaho hereby makes a statement according to those things I have observed through the years as I watch my neighbors to see if I am missing out on anything that could benefit my operation.

When I moved to Dietrich-Shoshone area with my parents, in the year 1939, I grew up on the farm which is near or adjacent to the farms which are now in possession of Don Taber and family. I met the Tabers near the year 1975, in which I leased some of their farm to grow potatoes. The Tabers are good people and seem to love to work. They are our very good friends.

The farm which adjoins my property was previously owned by d Henry A. Clegg, when we moved to Dietrich in 1939. As I grew up, and served in the military during the Korean Campaign, I married a good lady, and we lived on the farm that the Tabers bought just last year. A year or so before that purchased they bought the farm adjacent to our farm. In the year 1975 (or sometime around that time) I dug a trench for Glenn Sorensen from a domestic well to his feed yard in which supported his dairy herd. Glenn fed his herd across the road from his home and barn. Later, he had another well drilled father west and to the South, so he could sprinkle irrigate some bew ground the that he developed. That particular well is across the fence to the south of my property line. My property line is on the ^{NORTH} ~~south~~ of NW ¼ Sec. 27 and NE ¼ Sec. 28

Sincerely,



STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
NOTICE OF CHANGE IN WATER RIGHT OWNERSHIP

Please print or type. Attach pages with additional information. Instructions are included at the end of this form.
 Incomplete forms will be returned.

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JUL 18 2002

Department of Water Resources
 Southern Region

1. Please list the water right number(s) and/or adjudication claim number(s) (if any) for each water right to be changed. List just the adjudication claim number if there is no corresponding water right record on file with the department. Indicate, by checking in the space provided (under the "split" heading), if the change in ownership is limited to a portion of a water right in which case division of the existing water right or adjudication claim record will be required.

Water Right No(s).	Adjudication Claim No(s).	Split	Water Right No(s).	Adjudication Claim No(s).	Split
<u>Diversion</u>	<u>37-7197</u>	☐			
<u>Diversion</u>	<u>37-10158</u>	☐			
<u>Rough Wall</u>	<u>37-10161</u>	☐			
<u>1982 Domestic</u>	<u>37-10160</u>	☐			
<u>decreed</u>	<u>37-10159</u>	☐			

2. The following **REQUIRED** information must be submitted with this form:

- A. The appropriate **FILING FEE**. See instructions for fee amounts.
- B. A copy of the most recent **DEED, TITLE POLICY, CONTRACT OF SALE** or other legal document indicating your ownership of the property and water right(s) or claim(s) in question, **WITH ATTACHED LEGAL DESCRIPTION**.
- C. Either of the following (if necessary to clarify division of water rights or other complex property descriptions):
PLAT OF PROPERTY or **SURVEY MAP** clearly showing the location of the point(s) of diversion and place of use of your water right(s) and/or adjudication claim(s) (these are usually attached to your deed or on file with the county).

OR

If your water right(s) and/or adjudication claim(s) is for ten or more acres of irrigation, you must submit a USDA Farm Service Agency **AERIAL PHOTO** with the irrigated acres outlined and point(s) of diversion clearly marked. The **AERIAL PHOTO** should be submitted in place of the **PLAT OF PROPERTY** or **SURVEY MAP**.

3. Name and Address of Former Owner/Claimant(s) Glenn L Sorenson
3685 550 E Dietrich, Id.
4. New Owner/Claimant(s) Don Taber
 Name Connector (Check one): ☐ and, ☐ or, ☐ and/or
- New Mailing Address 501 East 20 North
- City, State and ZIP Code Shoshone, Id. 83352
- New Telephone Number 208 886-7627
5. Date you acquired the property 08 - 1999

6. If the change in ownership affects the entire water right for each water right or adjudication claim number listed in item 1, THEN SKIP THIS ITEM AND GO TO ITEM 7. If the change in ownership divides the water right(s) among multiple owners, you must describe, in detail, your portion of each water right after the change. Fill in the appropriate spaces in the box(es) below to describe your water right(s) after the change (one water right per box, you may copy this page as necessary). If your quantity of water is greater than a proportionate split, you must attach documentation to show justification for a larger amount. If you are not sure how to identify your portion of the original water right or adjudication claim records, please contact the nearest IDWR office for assistance.

DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PORTION OF WATER RIGHT (If the right(s) will not be split, skip this area and proceed to item 7)		
Water Right and/or Adjudication Claim Number _____		
Water Use	Diversion Rate or Volume (cubic feet per second or acre-feet per annum)	Description (acres, number and type of stock, homes, etc)
Irrigation	_____	_____
Stock	_____	_____
Domestic	_____	_____
Other _____	_____	_____
Total	_____	_____

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Water Right and/or Adjudication Claim Number _____		
Water Use	Diversion Rate or Volume (cubic feet per second or acre-feet per annum)	Description (acres, number and type of stock, homes, etc)
Irrigation	_____	_____
Stock	_____	_____
Domestic	_____	_____
Other _____	_____	_____
Total	_____	_____

7. Signature of New Owner(s) or Claimant(s)
(include title if applicable)

Don Taber

For Snake River Basin Adjudication Claims: Please attach a Notice of Appearance completed by your attorney, if you wish IDWR to correspond with him/her for all matters related to your claims.

For Office Use Only

Received by AI

Date

7/18/02

Fee

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Received by AI

Date

7/18/02

Receipt No.

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Processed by AI

AJ

Date

7/19/02

WR

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Date

7/19/02

WARRANTY DEED

#L-26884

For Value Received

GLENN SORESENSEN AND COLLEEN SORESENSEN, HUSBAND AND WIFE

Hereinafter called the Grantor, hereby grants, bargains, sells and conveys unto

DONALD E. TABER AND BEVERLY TABER, HUSBAND AND WIFE

Address: 312 EAST 20 NORTH, SHOSHONE, IDAHO 83352

Hereinafter called the Grantee, the following described premises situated in LINCOLN County, Idaho, to-wit:

SEE SCHEDULE A ATTACHED

SUBJECT TO:

All reservations in patents or deeds in the chain of title.

Taxes for 1998 and subsequent years, which are a lien, but not yet due and payable.

Assessments of the The North Side Canal Company and the rights and powers of said Company as by law provided.

Assessments of the American Falls Reservoir District No. 2 and the rights and powers of said District as by law provided.

Right of way for canals, laterals and waste ditches of North Side Canal Company, Ltd.

Power Line Easement given by Glenn L. Sorensen and Alberta F. Sorensen, husband and wife, to Idaho Power Company, a corporation, dated April 3, 1972, recorded October 26, 1972, as Instrument Number 126623, Lincoln County records, affecting the West 20 feet of the NWNE of Section 27, Township 6 South, Range 18, East of the Boise Meridian.

Power Line Easement given by Glenn L. Sorensen, a widower, to Idaho Power Company, a corporation, dated April 11, 1973, recorded March 15, 1974 as Instrument Number 128587, Lincoln County records, affecting the N1/2SE1/4NW1/4 of Section 27, Township 6 South, Range 18, East of the Boise Meridian.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the said premises, with their appurtenances unto the said Grantee and to the successors heirs and assigns of the Grantee forever. The Grantor does hereby covenant to and with the said Grantee, that the Grantor is the owner in fee simple of said premises; that they are free from all incumbrances except as above described and that Grantor will warrant and defend the same from all lawful claims whatsoever.

Dated: June 5th, 1998

Glenn L. Sorensen
GLENN SORESENSEN

Colleen Sorensen
COLLEEN SORESENSEN

STATE OF IDAHO)
COUNTY OF GOODING) ss.

On this 5th day of JUNE, 1998, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared GLENN SORESENSEN AND COLLEEN SORESENSEN, known or identified to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

BETTY FREDERICKSEN
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF IDAHO
Gooding County, Idaho
Commission Expires 3-29-2000

Betty Frederickson
Notary Public
Residing at: GOODING, IDAHO
My Commission expires: 3-29-2000

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STATE OF IDAHO COUNTY OF LINCOLN Recorded at the request of <u>Glenn L. Sorensen</u>
JUN 5 1998
at 44 minutes past 3 P. M. recorded by <u>Nelson Jackson, Dep.</u> Fees <u>1.00</u> Return to: <u>Alone</u>

By hand.

CONTINUA. ON

SCHEDULE A

Order Number: L-26884

PARCEL NO. 1:

TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN,
LINCOLN COUNTY, IDAHO

Section 27: $W\frac{1}{2}SW\frac{1}{4}$; $SW\frac{1}{4}NW\frac{1}{4}$;

Section 28: $S\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$

PARCEL NO. 2:

TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST OF THE BOISE MERIDIAN,
LINCOLN COUNTY, IDAHO

Section 22: $S\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}$;

Section 27: $N\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}$; $SW\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$; $SE\frac{1}{4}NW\frac{1}{4}$; $NE\frac{1}{4}SW\frac{1}{4}$; EXCEPTING THEREFROM
a parcel of land located in the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of
Section 27, Township 6 South, Range 18 East of the Boise Meridian, more
particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Northeast corner of Section 27;

Thence North $89^{\circ}48'0''$ West, 527.73 feet along the North line of Section 27
to a Point on said line which is the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING;

Thence South $1^{\circ}07'16''$ West 158.90 feet to a point;

Thence South $88^{\circ}10'24''$ West 64.04 feet to a point;

Thence South $26^{\circ}24'44''$ West 20.00 feet to a point;

Thence North $63^{\circ}15'36''$ West 400.80 feet to a point on the North line of
Section 27;

Thence South $89^{\circ}48'00''$ East 433.95 feet along the North line of Section 27 to
the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING.

TOGETHER WITH all water and water rights, ditches and ditch rights,
used thereon or appurtenant thereto including but not limited to 80
shares of Capital Stock of The North Side Canal Company, Limited,
and 26 acres of American Falls Reservoir District #2, and also
including any licensed domestic or irrigation water rights, with
the State of Idaho appurtenant thereto.

ASL
CL



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

1301 North Orchard Street, P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Phone: (208) 327-7900 FAX: (208) 327-7866

JULY 10, 2002

**DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR**

**KARL J. DREHER
DIRECTOR**

**DON TABER
501 E 20 N
SHOSHONE ID 83352**

RE: NOTICE OF ERROR REPLY FOR 37-10158 & 37-10161

Dear Mr. Taber,

After reviewing the files listed above, the situation appears much the way I described to you on the phone. Please complete the enclosed Change of Ownership form and return it with the supporting documents as instructed. I have listed the three rights affected but please include all other rights that you have purchased from Glen Sorensen that I may have not listed; such as surface water rights. Also note the need for Proof of Priority to be submitted for the two rights listed above. I have enclosed additional information on this matter in this package.

Please note the claim 37-10158 claims a date of 1973 for the priority - this claim cannot be recommended for dates after 1963 since it violates the mandatory Permit statutes. You may amend your claim and prove an earlier date or file for a Permit at this time if the use has actually been developed in 1973.

July 10, 2002

Please respond as quickly as possible since we are soon to report these water right claims to the SRBA court. Without your responses no changes will be made to the recommendations.

If you have further questions on this water right then please feel free to call me at our office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Clelland". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

STEVE CLELLAND
Sr. Water Resource Agent

ENC:



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

1301 North Orchard Street, P.O. Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Phone: (208) 327-7900 FAX: (208) 327-7866 www.idwr.state.id.us

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
Governor

KARL J. DREHER
Director

37-10161

GLENN L SORENSEN
369 S 550 E
DIETIRCH, ID 83324

March 4, 2002

Re: Evidence of Priority Date for SRBA Claim

RESPONSE DEADLINE
MARCH 29, 2002

Dear Claimant:

The Notice of Claim identified with the number shown above has been filed in the Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA). The Notice indicates your water usage is based on "Beneficial Use" or a "Statutory Claim." Water rights of this type are established by the historical use of water, dating back to when water was first used for the purpose claimed. The date of first use, known as the priority date, has not been confirmed by a License, Decree or Permit. The Department will, at a later date, conduct reviews and/or field exams for the claims in your area. Since the priority date of a beneficial use water right cannot be confirmed by field examination, **proof must be provided by the claimant** supporting the priority date claimed.

If you no longer own the property to which the claim is appurtenant please forward this correspondence to the present owner, or return it to the Department. If you have received this correspondence from the previous owner of the property it is recommended that you file a Change of Ownership form with the Department in order to receive future mailings and to continue to be a party in the adjudication.

Enclosed you will find a computer printout of your Notice of Claim and the pamphlet entitled "Evidence of Priority." The pamphlet describes the types of evidence required and suggests which documents will fulfill this requirement.

PLEASE NOTE: The Department will not recommend the court decree the notice **as claimed** if no evidence of a priority date is submitted. It will be to your advantage to provide clear and convincing evidence. If you choose to submit statements from individuals as evidence, the statement should be in the form of a notarized affidavit.

Submit the required evidence supporting the priority date by the date shown above, referencing all documents with the corresponding Notice number. If you have questions not covered by this letter or the enclosed pamphlet, please contact the office listed above.

Sincerely,

Steve Clelland
Water Resource Agent, Sr.

Enclosures

7/10/02 After being returned by P.O. this package is
SCC forwarded to DON TABER per his request.

6/9/94

COMMUNICATION DOCUMENTATION

Claim No. see below

This form is to be used to document public record information requests regarding any SRBA claim or claims. The form may also be used to document IDWR communications requesting information regarding any SRBA claim or claims when the request is not made in writing or the claim verification report is not readily available to document the request. This form is to be filed in all relevant claim files or a central office file.

IDWR Employee/Agent: Steve Clelland

7/9/2002 2:55 PM

NAME:

RE:

DON TABER

CALLIN

NOE OF CLAIMS

He called to tell me how the claims were not correct as recommended.. it appears he is a current owner who never filed to notify the Dept. I told him I will send out the proper forms and he can submit the COO along with the Proof of Priority that is also needed for the rights. His phone numbers, 886-7627 (office) and 308-2427 (cell)... address, 501 E 20 N, Shoshone, ID 83352. Claims 37-10158 and 37-10161.

05/02/2002

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
PRELIMINARY RECOMMENDATION OF WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

RIGHT NUMBER: 37-10161

DISALLOW

NAME AND ADDRESS: GLENN L SORENSEN
369 S 550 E
DIETRICH ID 83324

SOURCE: GROUND WATER

TRIBUTARY:

QUANTITY: CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 04/01/1955

POINT OF DIVERSION:

PURPOSE AND
PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE

PERIOD OF USE

QUANTITY

PLACE OF USE: COMMERCIAL Within LINCOLN County

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS
NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT
ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE ULTIMATELY
DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE
ENTRY OF A FINAL UNIFIED DECREE. SECTION 42-1412(6), IDAHO CODE.
NO LAWFUL APPROPRIATION SHOWN: There are a number of
circumstances in which a claim is proposed to be disallowed on this basis.
This is most commonly included for a claim based on beneficial use or
posted notice that is PROPOSED to be disallowed because the right claimed
is not within an exception to the mandatory permit statute, and beneficial use
of water prior to the mandatory permit statute was not confirmed. This is
also included where a claim is PROPOSED to be disallowed because the
claim is to water that is not public water subject to appropriation. This is
also included where a right was determined not to exist in a prior
adjudication.
NO LAWFUL APPROPRIATION SHOWN.

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL:

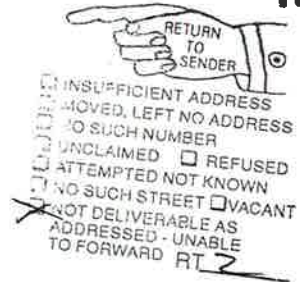
No Proof.

No Address

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
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Re: Evidence of Priority Date for SRBA Claim

RESPONSE DEADLINE
MARCH 29, 2002

Dear Claimant:

The Notice of Claim identified with the number shown above has been filed in the Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA). The Notice indicates your water usage is based on "Beneficial Use" or a "Statutory Claim." Water rights of this type are established by the historical use of water, dating back to when water was first used for the purpose claimed. The date of first use, known as the priority date, has not been confirmed by a License, Decree or Permit. The Department will, at a later date, conduct reviews and/or field exams for the claims in your area. Since the priority date of a beneficial use water right cannot be confirmed by field examination, **proof must be provided by the claimant** supporting the priority date claimed.

If you no longer own the property to which the claim is appurtenant please forward this correspondence to the present owner, or return it to the Department. If you have received this correspondence from the previous owner of the property it is recommended that you file a Change of Ownership form with the Department in order to receive future mailings and to continue to be a party in the adjudication.

Enclosed you will find a computer printout of your Notice of Claim and the pamphlet entitled "Evidence of Priority." The pamphlet describes the types of evidence required and suggests which documents will fulfill this requirement.

PLEASE NOTE: The Department will not recommend the court decree the notice as **claimed** if no evidence of a priority date is submitted. It will be to your advantage to provide clear and convincing evidence. If you choose to submit statements from individuals as evidence, the statement should be in the form of a notarized affidavit.

Submit the required evidence supporting the priority date by the date shown above, referencing all documents with the corresponding Notice number. If you have questions not covered by this letter or the enclosed pamphlet, please contact the office listed above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Steve Clelland', is written over a horizontal line.

Steve Clelland
Water Resource Agent, Sr.

Enclosures

TRANSMITTAL COVER SHEET

TO: LISA @

LAND, TITLE & ESCROW

934 - 5890

TOTAL PAGES SENT: 7
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SNAKE RIVER BASIN ADJUDICATION CLAIMS A37-07197, A37-10158,
A37-10159, A37-10160, AND A37-10161
FROM:

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

1341 FILLMORE ST, STE 200

TWIN FALLS ID 83301-3380

PHONE: 736-3033

FAX: 736-3037

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SENDER: Corey Skinner

COMMENTS: NOTE THAT ~~THE~~ PART OF 37-07197 AND
A37-07197 IS APPURTENANT TO LAND NOT INCLUDED
IN THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION THAT YOU GAVE ME OVER
THE PHONE.

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COMMUNICATION DOCUMENTATION

This form is to be used to document public record information requests regarding any SRBA claim or claims. The form may also be used to document IDWR communications requesting information regarding any SRBA claim or claims when the request is not made in writing or the claim verification report is not readily available to document the request. This form is to be filed in all relevant claim files or a central office file.

IDWR Employee/Agent Georgia Satterlee

DATE

February 27, 1997 4:25pm

CUSTOMER

BETTY @ LAND/TITLE

SUBJECT: A37-10158,-10159,-10160,-10161

phone call (x) walk-in (.)

Name on claim: Sorensen, Glenn L.

Possibility of current owner selling some land appurtenant to one or all of the above claims. Included with the claims, I sent Betty a new and improved Change of Ownership claim form (as of 2/97). Fax all the above to her @ 934-5890.