MEMORANDUM

Date: March 10, 2020

To: Transfer 83794

From: Scott Stosich

Re: Review & Evaluation of Sufficiency of Information

The purpose of this transfer is to change the point of diversion and place of use for a 2-acre split portion of water right 22-14026. The applicant purchased a portion of water right 22-14026 for mitigation by non-use for permit 22-14343.

Authority to File:

The applicant is the current owner of the split portion that is proposed to be changed. The applicant is the property owner at the proposed point of diversion and place of use.

Water Right Validity:

The water right included in this transfer was decreed in the SRBA in 2008. The water right has been in an active water supply bank lease since 2013. Forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Other rights will not be injured by the proposed change. The proposed changes are for a portion of a water right that was purchased for mitigation by non-use. No water will be diverted as a result of this transfer. The transfer was advertised and no protests were received.

Enlargement of Use:

The proposed changes will not result in enlargement because neither the rate, volume nor irrigated acres will increase as a result of the transfer. The new water right, 22-14343, does not have any overlapping water rights at the proposed point of diversion.

Local Public interest:

No issue identified.

Beneficial Use/Conservation of Water Resources:

No issue identified.

Effect on Economy the Local Area:

No issue identified.

Effect on Agricultural Base of the Local Area:

No issue identified.

Review of the application finds there is no clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.