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Corey Skinner, P.E., Regional Manager
Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR)
Southern Regional Office
650 Addison Avenue West, Suite 500
Twin Falls, Idaho 83301-5858

Dear Mr. Skinner:

RE: Withdrawal of BLM Protest:
Application for Transfer No. 81895 f/b Peter Trust LP

By this letter, I state that I have the authority to act on behalf of the United States Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), with myself as its agent, to the matters discussed herein.

The Application for Transfer seeks to establish a Permissible Place of Use (PPU) and correct the description of the Point of Diversion (POD). BLM protested the application because the PPU included federal land in T02N, R18E, S05, NWSE. The applicant is not authorized to irrigate federal land.

An Amended Transfer was filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) on November 14, 2017 that removes the legal land description describing federal land from the PPU, as well as, amending the map to exclude federal land.

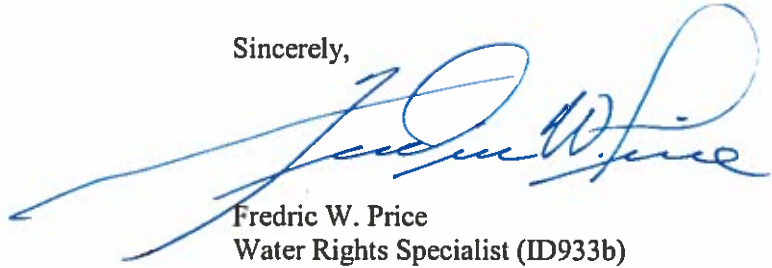
BLM's protest has been resolved by the Amended Application for Transfer dated November 14, 2017, therefore I hereby withdraw BLM's protest, provided that there are no subsequent amendments made without notice to BLM and BLM has the opportunity to protest subsequent amendments.

BLM's expectation in withdrawing its protest is that any Approved Transfer issued by IDWR will be based upon the application existing at the time of this protest withdrawal. BLM requests that it receive notice of any subsequent amendments by the applicant and of any Approved Transfer issued by IDWR.

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If there are questions regarding any statements above, please do not hesitate to contact me at (208) 373-3828 or at the address provided above.

Sincerely,



Fredric W. Price
Water Rights Specialist (ID933b)

cc Zach Latham, M.S.; Brockway Engineering PLLC
Peter Trust Limited Partnership
Steve Davis, Hydrologist, BLM Burley Field Office