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RE: Change of Ownership for Water Right 61-7067

Dear Water Right Holder:

The Department was notified of an error on a previous ownership change you submitted in August 19, 2003. After further review of the deeds submitted with your request, water right 61-7067 should not have been changed. The Department has corrected that change.

In reviewing the deeds provided for the conveyance of property to American Ecology Corp from Simplot Industries. The deed did not convey the property where water right 61-7067 was appurtenant. This was confirmed by researching the Water Right Back file and the Claim File.

Updating the ownership record for a water right does not reconfirm the validity of the right. When processing an ownership change notice, the department does not review the history of water use to determine if the right has been forfeited through five years or more of non-use. To read more about water right forfeiture, including how to protect a water right from forfeiture, please see Sections 42-222 and 42-223, Idaho Code.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, you can contact me at 208-287-4910.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Clay Webster', is written over a horizontal line.

Clay Webster
Water Resource Agent

c: VIC CONRAD
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