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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT PART 1

Name of Applicant(s) James A. & Christy J. Rindfleisch Phone 208-554-3343
Mailing address 3258 N 3350 W, Moore, ID 83255 Email _____

- ☐ If applicant is not an individual and not registered to do business in the State of Idaho, attach documentation identifying officers authorized to sign or act on behalf of the applicant. Label it **Attachment #1**.
- ☐ Attach water right ownership documentation if Department records do not show the transfer applicant as the current water right owner. Label it **Attachment #2a**.
- ☐ If the ownership of the water right will change as a result of the proposed transfer to a new place of use, attach documentation showing land and water right ownership at the new place of use. Include documentation for all affected land and owner(s). Label it **Attachment #2b**.
- ☐ Attach documentation of authority to make the proposed change if the applicant is not the water right owner. Label it **Attachment #3**.

Provide contact information below if a consultant, attorney, or any other person is representing the applicant in this transfer process.

☐ No Representative

Name of Representative _____ Phone _____
Mailing address _____ Email _____

- ☐ Send all correspondence for this application to the representative and not to the applicant.
OR
- ☐ Send original correspondence to the applicant and copies to the representative.
- ☐ The representative may submit information for the applicant but is not authorized to sign for the applicant.
OR
- ☐ The representative is authorized to sign for the applicant. Attach a Power of Attorney or other documentation providing authority to sign for the applicant and label it **Attachment #4**.

I hereby assert that no one will be injured by the proposed changes and that the proposed changes do not constitute an enlargement in use of the original right(s). The information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any willful misrepresentations made in this application may result in rejection of the application or cancellation of an approval.

James A. Rindfleisch
Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative

JAMES RINDFLEISCH
Print Name and Title if applicable

9/28/2015
Date

Christy J. Rindfleisch
Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative

CHRISTY RINDFLEISCH
Print Name and Title if applicable

9/28/2015
Date

A. PURPOSE OF TRANSFER

1. ☒ Change point of diversion ☐ Add diversion point(s) ☒ Change place of use
☐ Change nature of use ☐ Change period of use ☐ Other _____

2. Describe your proposal in narrative form, including a detailed description of non-irrigation uses to justify amounts transferred (i.e. number of stock, etc.), and provide additional explanation of any other items on the application. Attach additional pages if necessary and label it **Part 1A.2**.

This transfer will move 34-13665 to another farm where it can be used more effectively along with existing rights in a combined POU, while a companion transfer will move a 37 acre portion of 34-14301 from that farm to the current POD and POU of 34-13665.

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B. DESCRIPTION OF RIGHTS AFTER THE REQUESTED CHANGES. IF THE RIGHTS ARE BEING SPLIT, DESCRIBE PORTIONS TO BE CHANGED AS THEY WOULD APPEAR AFTER THE REQUESTED CHANGES.

1.	Right Number	Amount (cfs/ac-ft)	Nature of Use	Period of Use	Source & Tributary
All or Part ☒ ☐	34-13665	0.39 cfs	Irrigation	5/1 to 10/15	Big Lost River
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
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Total authorized under rights 0.39 cfs and/or _____ acre-feet.

2. Total amount of water proposed to be transferred or changed 0.39 cubic feet per second and/or _____ acre-feet per year.

3. Point(s) of Diversion:

- ☐ No changes to point(s) of diversion are proposed - the following chart is therefore not completed. (Proceed to #4.)
- ☐ Attach Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer analysis if this transfer proposes to change a point of diversion affecting the ESPA. Label it **Attachment #5**.

New ?	Lot	¼	¼	¼	Sec	Twp	Rge	County	Source	Local name or tag #
N			NW	NW	26	4N	26E	Butte	Big Lost River	Arco Canal
N			NW	SE	7	3N	27E	Butte	Big Lost River	Ferris Slough Injection
N			NW	SE	7	3N	27E	Butte	Big Lost River	FS Rediversion

4. Place of use: (If irrigation, identify with number of acres irrigated per ¼ ¼ tract.)

- ☐ No changes to place of use are proposed - the following chart is therefore not completed. (Proceed to #5.)

Twp	Rge	Sec	NE ¼				NW ¼				SW ¼				SE ¼				Acre Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
3N	27E	18	12.3	36	12	32.1													92.4
Total Acres (for irrigation use)																			92.4

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5. General Information:

- a. Describe the complete diversion system, including how you will accommodate a measuring device and lockable controlling works should they be required now or in the future:

Putting in new system with submerged orifice and through cemetery headgate and 4 ft Rapsball existing - for 20 years or more.

- b. Who owns the property at the point(s) of diversion? *Historical canal in use many years*

If other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to access the property for the diversion system:

NA

- c. Are the lands from which you propose to transfer the water right subject to any liens, deeds of trust, mortgages, or contracts? *NO*

If yes, ☐ attach a notarized statement from the holder of the lien, deed of trust, mortgage or contract agreeing to the proposed changes on official letterhead signed by an authorized representative. Label it **Attachment #6**. List the name of the entity and type of lien: _____

It is the applicant's responsibility to provide notice to lien holder, trustee, mortgagor, or contract holder of the proposed changes that may impact or change the value of the water rights or affected real property. Any misrepresentation of legal encumbrance on this application may result in rejection of the application or cancellation of an approval.

- d. Are any of the water rights proposed for transfer currently leased to the Water Supply Bank? *NO*

If yes, ☐ complete Attachment WSB.

- e. Describe the effect on the land now irrigated if the place or purpose of use is changed pursuant to this transfer:

The current place of use will be irrigated by 34-13667, 34-13669, 34-13671, and the transferred portion of 34-14301.

- f. Describe the use of any other water right(s) for the same purpose or land, or the same diversion system as right(s) proposed to be transferred at both the existing and proposed point(s) of diversion and place(s) use:

The current place of use is irrigated by 34-13667, 34-13669, and 34-13671. The proposed place of use is irrigated by 34-14297, 34-14299, and 34-14301.

- g. To your knowledge, has/is any portion of the water right(s) proposed to be changed:

Yes No

- ☐ ☒ undergone a period of five or more consecutive years of non-use,
☐ ☒ currently leased to the Water Supply Bank,
☐ ☒ currently used in a mitigation plan limiting the use of water under the right, or
☐ ☒ currently enrolled in a Federal set-aside program limiting the use of water under the rights?

If yes, describe:

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Proof Report

7/21/2015

Water Right 34-13665

Owner Type **Name**
Current Owner JAMES A RINDFLEISCH
Current Owner CHRISTY J RINDFLEISCH
Priority Date: 5/20/1884
Basis: Decreed
Status: Active

Source **Tributary**
BIG LOST RIVER SINKS

Beneficial Use	From	To	Diversion Rate	Volume
IRRIGATION	05/01	10/15	0.390 CFS	
	Total Diversion		0.390 CFS	

Source and Point(s) of Diversion

BIG LOST RIVER NWSESE Sec. 4, Twp 05N, Rge 26E, BUTTE County

Place Of Use

IRRIGATION within BUTTE County

			NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
Twp	Rng	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	26E	21			20.0	4.0										13.0			37.0

POU Total Acres: 37.0

Conditions of Approval:

1. P21 THIS RIGHT IS A SPLIT FROM FORMER RIGHT 34-66A.
2. C18 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.
3. E61 USE OF THIS RIGHT WITH RIGHTS LISTED BELOW IS LIMITED TO A TOTAL COMBINED DIVERSION RATE OF 1.04 CFS AND TO A TOTAL COMBINED ANNUAL DIVERSION VOLUME OF 129.5 AF AT THE FIELD HEADGATE. COMBINED RIGHT NOS.: 34-13665, 34-13667, 34-13669, AND 34-13671.
4. S34 THE PERIOD OF USE FOR IRRIGATION DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE EXTENDED IN SEASONS OF UNUSUAL CHARACTERISTICS TO A BEGINNING DATE OF 04-20 AND AN ENDING DATE OF 10-31 AT THE DISCRETION OF THE DIRECTOR.
5. E56 USE OF THE RIGHTS LISTED BELOW IS LIMITED TO THE IRRIGATION OF A COMBINED TOTAL OF 37 ACRES IN A SINGLE IRRIGATION SEASON. COMBINED RIGHT NOS.: 34-13665, 34-13667, 34-13669 AND 34-13671

Combined Use Limits

Rate	Volume	Acres
1.040	129.5	37.0
34-13665 ,34-13667 ,34-13669 ,34-13671		

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PART 3

A. PLAT MAP (See Part 3A of Instructions for application for transfer for complete requirements.)

- ☐ Attach a map of the diversion, measurement, control, and distribution system. Label it **Attachment #7a**.
- ☒ If the transfer application proposes to change the place or purpose of use of an irrigation right attach a Geographic Information System (**GIS**) shape file, or an aerial photo or other image clearly delineating the location and extent of existing acres and changes to the place of use. Label it **Attachment #7b**.

If the place of use currently consists of a permissible place of use, then the attachment is not required if the application contains a clear statement that the boundaries for the place of use are not proposed to be changed by the transfer and the total number of irrigated acres within the place of use before and after the transfer is clearly stated.

If any part of the irrigation water right is leased to the Water Supply Bank, you must also specify the location and number of acres that will remain idled for the duration of the lease contract at the new, proposed place of use.

B. CHANGES IN NATURE OF USE (Water Balance)

- ☐ If you propose to change the nature of use or period of use of all or part of the right(s) listed in this application, attach documentation describing the extent of historic beneficial use of the portion of the right(s) proposed to be changed. Also attach documentation showing that the portion of the right(s) to be changed will not be enlarged in rate, volume, or consumptive use through the proposed change. Label it **Attachment #8a**.

C. PLACE OF USE CHANGES TO SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION RIGHTS

- ☐ If you propose to change the place of use of a supplemental irrigation right, answer below and attach supporting documentation. Label it **Attachment #8b**.

Describe how the supplemental water rights have been used historically in conjunction with other water rights at the existing place of use. Describe the time during the irrigation season that the supplemental rights have been used. Include information about the availability or reliability of the primary right(s) being supplemented, both before and after the change. If the applicant is proposing to change a supplemental irrigation right to a primary right, provide the information required on Part 3B above:

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Transfer contains _____ pages and _____ attachments.

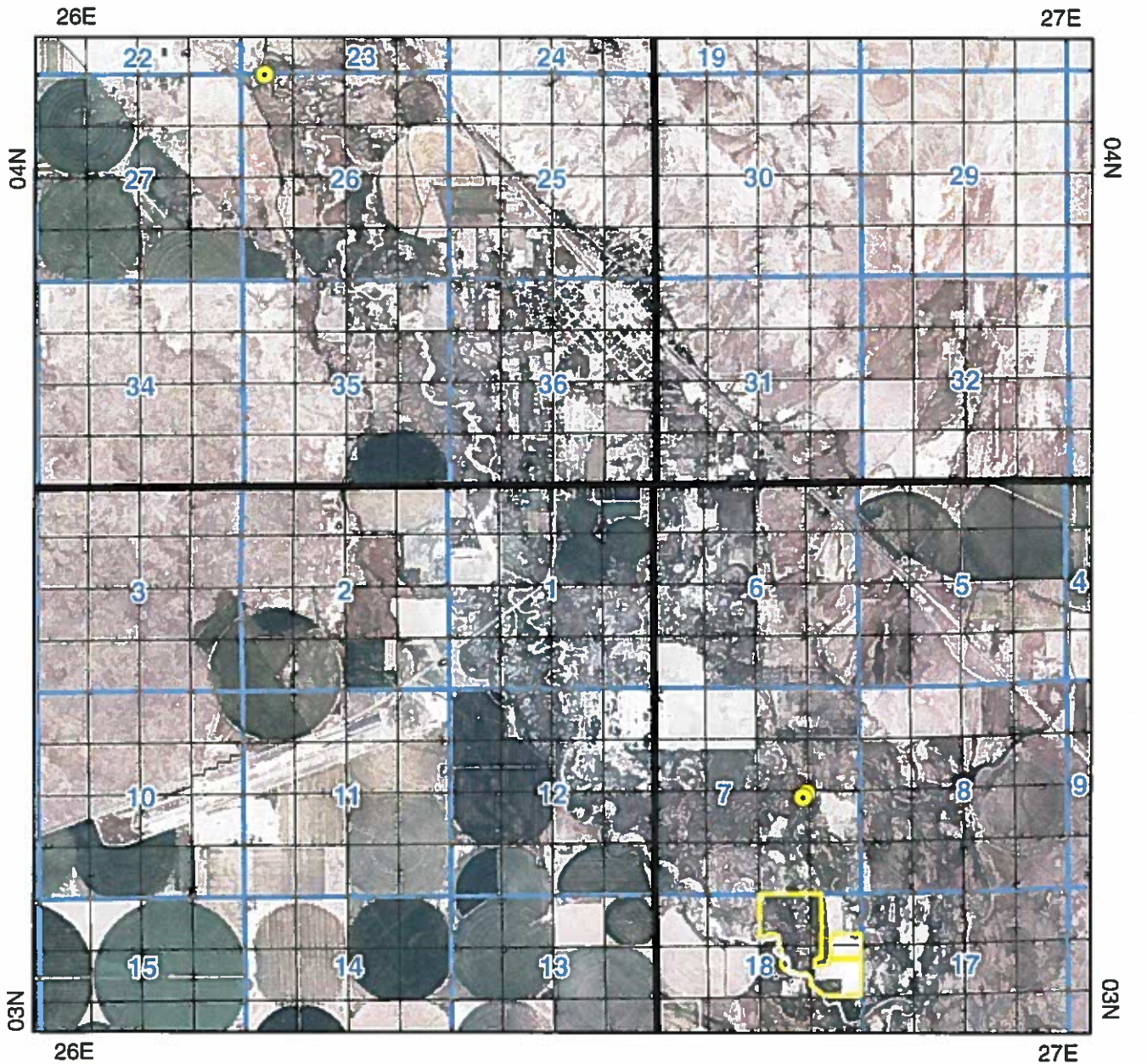
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Fee paid \$500 Date 9/28/15 Received by SC Receipt # E041489

Add'l fee paid _____ Date _____ Received by _____ Receipt # _____

Check all that apply: Attachment WSB ☐ (copy sent to state office) Lessor Designation form ☐ &/or W-9 ☐ (originals to state office)

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Right No. 34-13665



-  Point of Diversion
-  Place Of Use Boundary
-  Townships
-  PLS Sections
-  Quarter Quarters

0 0.5 1 2 Miles



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