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James Cefalo, Hearing Officer
Idaho Department of Water Resources
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RE: *In the Matter of Application for Transfer No. 79319 in the Name of Leadore Land Partners Limited Partnership.*

Dear Hearing Officer Cefalo:

On November 20, 2014, we received your *Order Postponing Hearing* in the above-entitled matter. Based on the situation at the time, we agreed with the Department's decision to postpone the scheduled administrative hearing.

In my communications with IDWR staff, I represented to the applicant that in conjunction with postponing the hearing, we would not object to use of the applicant's water rights in 2015 as that use is currently proposed in the transfer application. This letter is intended to confirm with the Department in writing that we have no objection to Leadore Land's use of its water rights as it has proposed in the above-entitled application. This is because the hydropower project which my clients are pursuing, which we contend will potentially significantly be impacted by this transfer application, has not been constructed and almost certainly will not be constructed in 2015.

We understand that the Department will schedule another hearing sometime in March of 2015. We will wait to hear from the Department when the actual date for the hearing will be scheduled. If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

Best Regards,

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