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SOUTHERN REGIONSTATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
To appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho

Ident. No.

36-16976

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1. Name of applicant(s) North Snake GWD, Magic Valley GWD, et. al Phone 208/232-6105
Name connector (check one): ☒ and ☐ or ☐ and/orMailing address: c/o Randall C. Budge, 201 E Center Street, P.O. Box 1391 City PocatelloState ID Zip 83204 Email: rcb@racinelaw.net2. Source of water supply Springs; Billingsley Creek which is a tributary of Snake River

3. Location of point(s) of diversion:

Twp	Rge	Sec	Govt Lot	1/4	1/4	1/4	County	Source	Local name or tag #
7S	14E	32		SE	SW	NW	Gooding	Springs; Billingsley Creek	
7S	14E	32		SW	SW	NW	Gooding	Springs; Billingsley Creek	

4. Water will be used for the following purposes:

Amount 12 cfs for mitigation for irrigation purposes from 1/1 to 12/31 (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)Amount 12 cfs for fish propagation purposes from 1/1 to 12/31 (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)5. Total quantity to be appropriated is (a) 12 cubic feet per second (cfs) and/or (b) _____ acre-feet per year (af).

6. Proposed diverting works:

a. Describe type and size of devices used to divert water from the source. Hydraulic pump(s); size TBDb. Height of storage dam n/a feet; active reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet; total reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet. If the reservoir will be filled more than once each year, describe the refill plan in item 11.For dams 10 feet or more in height OR reservoirs with a total storage capacity of 50 acre-feet or more, submit a separate Application for Construction or Enlargement of a New or Existing Dam. Application required? ☐ Yes ☐ Noc. Proposed well diameter is n/a inches; proposed depth of well is _____ feet.d. Is ground water with a temperature of greater than 85°F being sought? ☐ Yes ☒ Noe. If well is already drilled, when? n/a; drilling firm _____;

Well was drilled for (well owner) _____; Drilling Permit No. _____

7. Description of proposed uses (if irrigation only, go to item 8):

a. Hydropower; show total feet of head and proposed capacity in kW. n/ab. Stockwatering; list number and kind of livestock. n/ac. Municipal; show name of municipality or the applicant's qualifications as a municipal provider. n/ad. Domestic; show number of households n/ae. Other; describe fully. mitigation for groundwater irrigation; fish propagation

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8. Description of place of use:

a. If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below.

b. If water is used for other purposes, place a symbol of the use (example: D for Domestic) in the corresponding place of use below. See instructions for standard symbols.

TWP	RGE	SEC	NE				NW				SW				SE				TOTALS
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
7S	14E	31				M/F													
7S	14E	32							M/F										
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**All acres irrigated from groundwater from the Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer

Total number of acres to be irrigated: _____

9. Describe any other water rights used for the same purposes as described above. Include water delivered by a municipality, canal company, or irrigation district. If this application is for domestic purposes, do you intend to use this water, water from another source, or both, to irrigate your lawn, garden, and/or landscaping? None for mitigation. Water right nos. 36-2551 and 36-7694 are used for fish propagation purposes at Rangen.

10. a. Who owns the property at the point of diversion? Rangen, Inc.

b. Who owns the land to be irrigated or place of use? Rangen, Inc.; members of applicant Ground Water Districts

c. If the property is owned by a person other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to make this filing: Idaho Code section 42-5224(13)

11. Describe your proposal in narrative form, and provide additional explanation for any of the items above. Attach additional pages if necessary. The Ground Water Districts this water for mitigation purposes to protect groundwater use on the Eastern Snake Plain in the event that the Director finds Rangen to be materially injured and orders junior groundwater users to provide mitigation or be curtailed. Mitigation water will be delivered to Rangen for fish propagation purposes. The Ground Water Districts, if unable to secure Rangen's consent, will use their power of eminent domain as set forth in Idaho Code section 42-5224(13) to secure necessary easements for mitigation facilities.

12. Time required for completion of works and application of water to proposed beneficial use is 5 years (minimum 1 year).

13. **MAP OF PROPOSED PROJECT REQUIRED** - Attach an 8½" x 11" map clearly identifying the proposed point of diversion, place of use, section #, township & range. A photocopy of a USGS 7.5 minute topographic quadrangle map is preferred.

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.

Thomas J. Budge
Signature of Applicant
Thomas J. Budge, Attorney
Print Name (and title, if applicable)

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Attachment for Item 1

**Name of Applicants
Application for Permit
Submitted 4/3/2013**

**PERMIT APPLICANTS
GROUND WATER DISTRICTS**

Aberdeen American Falls Ground Water District
Bingham Ground Water District
Bonneville-Jefferson Ground Water District
Madison Ground Water District
Magic Valley Ground Water District
North Snake Ground Water District
Clark Jefferson Ground Water District

