

State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
Water Right License

WATER RIGHT NO. 79-07237

Priority: August 07, 1995

Maximum Diversion Rate: 2.20 CFS

It is hereby certified that LARRY L SIMONSON
PO BOX 1199

RIGGINS ID 83549-1199 has complied with the terms and conditions of the permit, issued pursuant to Application for Permit dated August 07, 1995; and has submitted Proof of Beneficial Use on December 29, 1999. An examination confirms water is diverted from:

SOURCE

WEST FORK RACE CREEK

Tributary: SALMON RIVER

and a water right has been established as follows:

BENEFICIAL USE

POWER

PERIOD OF USE

01/01 to 12/31

DIVERSION RATE

2.20 CFS

LOCATION OF POINT OF DIVERSION:

WEST FORK RACE CREEK NW1/4SE1/4 Sec. 30, Twp 25N, Rge 01E, B.M., IDAHO County

PLACE OF USE: POWER

Twp Rge Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				
	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	Totals
25N 01E 32					X												

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. The rights for the use of water confirmed in this license shall be junior and subordinate to all rights for the use of water other than hydropower, within the State of Idaho that are initiated later in time than the priority of this right and shall not give rise to any right or claim against any future rights for the use of water, other than hydropower, within the State of Idaho initiated later in time than the priority of this right.
2. Water shall not be diverted under this right when bypass flows in Race Creek, West Fork are below the following flow rates: 0.73 cfs from 12/1 to 2/29; 2.20 cfs from 3/1 to 4/30; 4.40 cfs from 5/1 to 6/30; 2.20 cfs from 7/1 to 11/30. Upon notification by the Department, the right holder shall provide stream flow measurements so that compliance with the bypass requirement set forth above can be monitored.
3. The right holder shall install a measuring device that can be used to determine the instantaneous rate of flow of water through the system, or the right holder shall provide to the department a flow rate measurement or computation made by a certified water right examiner in accordance with actual system design and operation.

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4. The diversion and use of water for hydropower purposes under this license is subject to review by the Director on or after December 31, 2021. Upon appropriate findings relative to the interest of the public, the Director may cancel all or any part of the use authorized herein and may revise, delete or add conditions under which the right may be exercised.
5. Power use is for 2 homes.
6. This right does not constitute Idaho Public Utilities Commission or Federal Energy Regulatory Commission approval that may be required.
7. Use of water under this right shall be non-consumptive.
8. The issuance of this right does not grant any right-of-way or easement across the land of another.

This license is issued pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-219, Idaho Code. The water right confirmed by this license is subject to all prior water rights and shall be used in accordance with Idaho law and applicable rules of the Department of Water Resources.

Signed this 4th day of October, 2013.



JOHN WESTRA
Western Regional Manager

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State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT
(For Licensing Purposes)
WATER RIGHT NO. 79-07237

Date of Priority: August 07, 1995

Maximum Diversion Rate: 2.20 CFS

Comes now LARRY L SIMONSON
PO BOX 1199
RIGGINS ID 83549-1199 and represents to the Director of the Idaho Department
of Water Resources that he is the owner and holder of Permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the
State of Idaho No. 79-07237, and requests that the permit be changed as follows:

Source: WEST FORK RACE CREEK **Tributary:** SALMON RIVER

<u>BENEFICIAL USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>RATE OF DIVERSION</u>
POWER	01/01 to 12/31	2.20 CFS

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25N	01E	32					X												

Permit holder asserts that no one will be injured by such change and that such change will be made at
permit holder's own risk. Signed this 26 day of September, 2013.


(Signature)

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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Preliminary check by kw Fee = \$ 100.00 Received by JA # W041551 Date 10/2/13

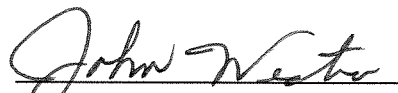
ACTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

I, JOHN WESTRA, of the Department of Water Resources hereby approve the
above Application for Amendment for Permit No. 79-07237 with the following:

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. The rights for the use of water confirmed in this license shall be junior and subordinate to all rights for the use of water other than hydropower, within the State of Idaho that are initiated later in time than the priority of this right and shall not give rise to any right or claim against any future rights for the use of water, other than hydropower, within the State of Idaho initiated later in time than the priority of this right.
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Witness my hand this 4th day of October, 2013.


JOHN WESTRA
Western Regional Manager



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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C. L. "BUTCH" OTTER
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Director

October 4, 2013

LARRY L SIMONSON
PO BOX 1199
RIGGINS ID 83549-1199

RE: License No. 79-7237

Issuance of License

Dear Water Right Holder:

The Department of Water Resources has issued the enclosed Water Right License confirming that a water right has been established in accordance with your permit. Please be sure to thoroughly review the conditions of approval and remarks listed on your license.

The license is a PRELIMINARY ORDER issued by the Department pursuant to section 67-5243, Idaho Code. It can and will become a final order without further action by the Department unless a party petitions for reconsideration or files an exception and/or brief within fourteen (14) days of the service date as described in the enclosed information sheet.

Please note that water right owners are required to report any change of water right ownership and/or mailing address to the Department within 120 days of the change. Failure to report these changes could result in a \$100 late filing fee. Contact any office of the Department or visit the Department's homepage on the Internet to obtain the proper forms and instructions.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (208)334-2190.

Sincerely,

John Westra
Western Regional Manager

Enclosures

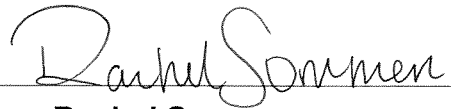
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on October 4, 2013 I mailed a true and correct copy, postage prepaid, of the foregoing PRELIMINARY ORDER(Approved License) to the person listed below:

RE: WATER RIGHT NO.

79-7237

**LARRY L SIMONSON
PO BOX 1199
RIGGINS ID 83549-1199**

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Rachel Sommer.", is written over a horizontal line.

**Rachel Sommer
Administrative Assistant I**

EXPLANATORY INFORMATION TO ACCOMPANY A PRELIMINARY ORDER

(To be used in connection with actions when a hearing was not held)

(Required by Rule of Procedure 730.02)

The accompanying order or approved document is a "Preliminary Order" issued by the department pursuant to section 67-5243, Idaho Code. It can and will become a final order without further action of the Department of Water Resources ("department") unless a party petitions for reconsideration, files an exception and brief, or requests a hearing as further described below:

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

Any party may file a petition for reconsideration of a preliminary order with the department within fourteen (14) days of the service date of this order. **Note: the petition must be received by the department within this fourteen (14) day period.** The department will act on a petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of its receipt, or the petition will be considered denied by operation of law. See Section 67-5243(3) Idaho Code.

EXCEPTIONS AND BRIEFS

Within fourteen (14) days after: (a) the service date of a preliminary order, (b) the service date of a denial of a petition for reconsideration from this preliminary order, or (c) the failure within twenty-one (21) days to grant or deny a petition for reconsideration from this preliminary order, any party may in writing support or take exceptions to any part of a preliminary order and may file briefs in support of the party's position on any issue in the proceeding with the Director. Otherwise, this preliminary order will become a final order of the agency.

REQUEST FOR HEARING

Unless a right to a hearing before the Department or the Water Resource Board is otherwise provided by statute, any person aggrieved by any final decision, determination, order or action of the Director of the Department and who has not previously been afforded an opportunity for a hearing on the matter may request a hearing pursuant to section 42-1701A(3), Idaho Code. A written petition contesting the action of the Director and requesting a hearing shall be filed within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the denial or conditional approval.

ORAL ARGUMENT

If the Director grants a petition to review the preliminary order, the Director shall allow all parties an opportunity to file briefs in support of or taking exceptions to the preliminary order and may schedule oral argument in the matter before issuing a final order. If oral arguments are to be heard, the Director will within a reasonable time period notify each party of the place, date and hour for the argument of the case. Unless the Director orders otherwise, all oral arguments will be heard in Boise, Idaho.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

All exceptions, briefs, requests for oral argument and any other matters filed with the Director in connection with the preliminary order shall be served on all other parties to the proceedings in accordance with IDAPA Rules 37.01.01302 and 37.01.01303 (Rules of Procedure 302 and 303).

FINAL ORDER

The Director will issue a final order within fifty-six (56) days of receipt of the written briefs, oral argument or response to briefs, whichever is later, unless waived by the parties or for good cause shown. The Director may remand the matter for further evidentiary hearings if further factual development of the record is necessary before issuing a final order. The department will serve a copy of the final order on all parties of record.

Section 67-5246(5), Idaho Code, provides as follows:

Unless a different date is stated in a final order, the order is effective fourteen (14) days after its service date if a party has not filed a petition for reconsideration. If a party has filed a petition for reconsideration with the agency head, the final order becomes effective when:

- (a) The petition for reconsideration is disposed of; or
- (b) The petition is deemed denied because the agency head did not dispose of the petition within twenty-one (21) days.

APPEAL OF FINAL ORDER TO DISTRICT COURT

Pursuant to sections 67-5270 and 67-5272, Idaho Code, if this preliminary order becomes final, any party aggrieved by the final order or orders previously issued in this case may appeal the final order and all previously issued orders in this case to district court by filing a petition in the district court of the county in which:

- i. A hearing was held,
- ii. The final agency action was taken,
- iii. The party seeking review of the order resides, or
- iv. The real property or personal property that was the subject of the agency action is located.

The appeal must be filed within twenty-eight (28) days of this preliminary order becoming final. See section 67-5273, Idaho Code. The filing of an appeal to district court does not itself stay the effectiveness or enforcement of the order under appeal.