

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
NOTICE OF PROTEST
Transfer 77877

October 4, 2012

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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

1. Matter being protested

Amended Application for Transfer 77877 by Don Mickelsen, involving water rights 21-02166, 21-13083, 21-13135 and 21-13137.

2. Name of protestant

United States Department of the Interior
Bureau of Land Management
Idaho State Office
1387 South Vinnell Way
Boise, Idaho 83709-1657

3. Protestant's Representative for service (if different than protestant)

Fredric W. Price (contact person)

4. Service mailing address

United States Department of the Interior
Bureau of Land Management
Idaho State Office
1387 South Vinnell Way
Boise, Idaho 83709-1657

5. Service telephone no.

(208) 373-3831

6. Basis of protest (including statement of facts and law upon which the protest is based).

The Claimant seeks a new place of use (POU) (listed below) which describes land entirely owned by the United States. The Claimant is not authorized to conduct irrigated agricultural activities on federal public land.

T06N, R38E, S34, NWNW (0.1 acres)

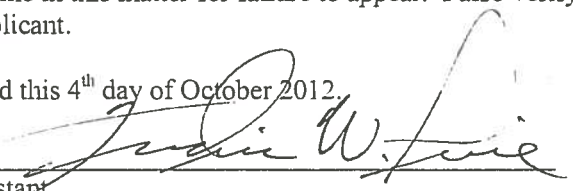
7. What would resolve your protest?

Amend the Amended Application for transfer to remove federal public land from the POU element by removing the legal land description in T06N, R38E, S34, NWNW (0.1 acres) and by amending the map attached to the Application to exclude BLM land.

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I hereby, acknowledge that if I, or my designated representative, fail to appear at any regularly scheduled conference or hearing in the matter of which I have been notified at the address above, the department may issue a notice of proposed default against me in this matter for failure to appear. I also verify that I have served a copy of this protest upon the applicant.

Signed this 4th day of October 2012.


Protestant
Fredric W. Price
Water Rights Specialist

Attachments:

♦Map prepared by BLM for illustrative purposes.

♦Master Title Plat: T06N, R38E.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on October 4, 2012, I served a true and correct copy of the "**Protest of Amended Application for Transfer No. 77877**" for Don Mickelsen with enclosures upon the following individuals by placing the documents in the United States mail in Boise, Idaho, postage paid, and addressed as follows:

Original to:

Jeff Peppersack, Administrator
Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR)
Idaho State Office
Water Management Division,
P.O. Box 83720
322 East Front Street
Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Copies to:

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900 North Skyline Drive
Idaho Falls, ID 83402-1718

Don Mickelsen
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U.S.D.I., BLM
Idaho Falls Field Office
1405 Hollipark Drive
Idaho Falls, ID 83401

Becky Lazdauskas, Realty Specialist
U.S.D.I., BLM
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1405 Hollipark Drive
Idaho Falls, ID 83401

Brandon Anderson
Person Serving Documents (print name)

Brandon Anderson
Signature of Person Serving Documents

Transfer 77877, Don Mickelsen

