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RE: Water Supply Bank Lease for 35-14278 (Previously Water Right No 27-12139)

Dear Lessor:

This letter is to update you on the status of your Water Right, 35-14278. This Water Right was leased into the Water Supply Bank on October 2, 2006, as Water Right No 27-12139. **A portion of your water right is considered leased into the bank, and should remain unused, until you release it from the bank.**

If you wish to leave your water right leased to the bank, and unused, you do not need to do anything. To release your water right from the bank, go to the Department's website at www.idwr.idaho.gov, go to the Water Right Forms page and, underneath the Water Bank section, download the Request to Release or Lease Term Extension form. Then complete the form and mail it to me at the address above.

Again, your water right is considered leased to the bank, and should remain unused, until you release it. Please contact me at (208) 287-4907 or Monica.vanbussum@idwr.idaho.gov if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Monica Van Bussum
Sr. Water Resource Agent

C: Lyle Swank – IDWR Eastern Regional Manager