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NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHT

TRANSFER NO. 77801

BIG CREEK RANCH LLC, PO BOX 5987, KETCHUM, ID 83340-5987 has filed Application No. 77801 for changes to the following water rights within LEMHI County(s): Right No(s). 73-42; to see a full description of these rights and the proposed transfer, please see www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRFiling.asp. The purpose of the transfer is to change a portion of the above rights as follows:

The applicant proposes to change the point of diversion. The point of diversion is in the SENE Sec 16 T14N R22E for 10.0 cfs from Patterson Creek. The place of use remains the same for 432.3 acres and stockwater usage.

For additional information concerning the property location, contact Eastern Region office at (208) 525-7161. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code Sec. 42-222.

Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Department of Water Resources, Eastern Region, 900 N Skyline Dr Ste A, Idaho Falls ID 83402 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before May 14, 2012. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Interim Director

RICKY G. HODGES being first duly sworn, deposes and says he is one of the publishers (printers) of The Recorder Herald, a newspaper published weekly at Salmon, Lemhi County, Idaho, and of general circulation therein. That the **NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE - 77801**, a true printed copy of which is attached to the margin hereof, has been and is correctly printed and published in the regular and entire issue of every number of said newspaper and not in any supplement thereof or thereto for **TWO (2)** consecutive issue(s), commencing with the issue dated **4-26-2012** and ending with the issue dated **5-3-2012**.

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On this **4th day of May** in this year of 2012 before me, A Notary Public, personally appeared RICKY G. HODGES, known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Residing At Salmon, Idaho

Notary Public for Idaho

My Commission expires: 01-16-2013

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