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RE: Change in Ownership Water Right No. 31-160B, 31-161B, 31-2299, 31-2415, 31-4011C, 31-7131 & 31-7320

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Department of Water Resources acknowledges receipt of your Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership. Thank you for your prompt response to our letter dated June 11, 2012.

Our review of your notice indicates that additional information is required before we can process the change. The information required is indicated below:

**** **Evidence of Water Right Ownership:** On June 15, 2012 the department received a copy of the conveyance deed from Hathaway Custom Homes Inc to Wayne and Lyssa Sauer however the deed did not specifically withhold the water rights. In order for the department to complete your ownership change without a split, the department will require documentation indicating the water right was specifically withheld from Wayne and Lyssa Sauer's property. Please provide the department with one of the following:

1. A QuitClaim Deed from Wayne and Lyssa Sauer to Tony and Shyla Sauer for the portion of the water rights on their property.
Or
2. A letter from Wayne Sauer confirming that the water rights were not included with the sale of his property.

Because the Department cannot process the ownership change without proper documentation/fees, we will hold any action on your notice pending receipt of the necessary information/fees. If we do not receive the necessary information/fees within 30 days we will return your notice and all attachments and your notice will not be processed.

Please note that Section 42-248, Idaho Code, requires you or the owner of this water right to maintain current ownership and address records on file with the department. Forms to file a change of ownership of a water right and/or a change in the address of the water right owner are available from any department office, or at the department's website at: www.idwr.idaho.gov.

Please feel free to contact the Department if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jonie Barg
Technical Records Specialist

Enclosure(s)