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March 23, 2012

Susan Ireland  
Kootenai Tribe of Idaho  
Fish and Wild Life Department  
PO Box 1269  
Bonners Ferry, ID 83805

Re: Construction Start Date For Permit No. 98-7913

Dear Ms. Ireland:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources has reviewed your request to extend the construction start date for the fish hatchery covered by permit 98-7913 to September 30, 2013.

The Department agrees with the reasons stated in your request and approves the construction start date to September 30, 2013. The date which the Proof of Beneficial Use form is due will remain unchanged.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at this office.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Keith E Franklin  
Interim Program Manager

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