

**BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO**

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION)	
FOR TRANSFER # 75577 IN THE)	PRELIMINARY ORDER
NAME OF MICHAEL J. & LISA O.)	REJECTING APPLICATION
CONTRERAS)	
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FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On April 28, 2009, Michael J. and Lisa O. Contreras filed an application for transfer with the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR). The application was submitted by attorney Brian Peterson of Hall, Friedly and Ward, on behalf of the applicant.
2. On April 28, 2009, IDWR sent a letter to the applicant, requesting additional information. A copy of the letter was also sent to the attorney. A sixty (60) day deadline from the date of the letter was set.
3. To date, IDWR has received no response from the applicant or the attorney.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Idaho Code (IC) § 42-204 and the Rules and Regulations of IDWR state that if an applicant does not submit the requested information to IDWR within the allotted time frame, IDWR may reject the application.
2. The applicant and/or the attorney failed or refused to provide the requested information to IDWR. The application should be rejected.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Application for Transfer # 75577 in the name of Michael J. and Lisa O. Contreras be REJECTED.

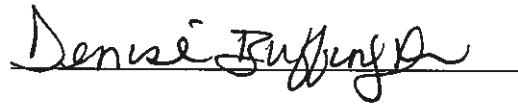
Date this 31st day of March, 2010



John Westra
Manager, Western Regional Office

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 1st day of April, 2010, I mailed a true and correct copy of the foregoing **PRELIMINARY ORDER** to the person(s) listed below:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Denise Buffington", is written over a horizontal line.

Denise Buffington
Administrative Assistant

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