

October 7, 2009

MINERAL CANYON LLC
PO BOX 455
SAGLE ID 83860

RE: Change of Ownership for Water Right 96-9287 and 96-9173

Dear Water Right Holders:

The department acknowledges receipt of correspondence changing ownership of the above referenced water right to you. The department has modified its records to reflect the change in ownership **of 96-9173 only** and has enclosed a computer-generated report for your records.

Updating the ownership record for a water right does not reconfirm the validity of the right. When processing an ownership change notice, the department does not review the history of water use to determine if the right has been deliberately abandoned or forfeited through five years or more of non-use. To read more about water right forfeiture, including how to protect a water right from forfeiture, please see Sections 42-222 and 42-223, Idaho Code.

Water right 96-9287 is a permit and requires an Assignment of Permit form be submitted before ownership can be changed. I have enclosed a form for your use. You can also print a copy from our web site at www.idwr.gov. Click on Forms, then Water Rights.

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. If we do not receive the necessary information 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 this office if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure