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IDWR Eastern Region
C/O Ernie Carlsen
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Dear Mr. Carlsen:

United States Department of Interior Bureau of Land Management Challis Field Office requests a hearing at IDWR's earliest convenience pursuant to Idaho Statute §42-203A in the matter of Western Watersheds Protest of application 73-12167.

Sincerely,

David Rosenkrance
Field Manager

CC: Western Watersheds Project
C/O Jeremy Greenberg
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