

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

IN THE MATTER OF PERMIT	)	
NO. 74-15450 IN THE NAME OF	)	REINSTATEMENT ORDER
US DEPT OF INTERIOR	)	
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT	)	
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This matter having come before the Idaho Department of Water Resources ("Department"), the Department makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On May 30, 2005, the Department issued the above-captioned permit with the condition that proof of construction of works and application of water to beneficial use (proof of beneficial use) be submitted to the Department on or before June 1, 2007. The permit bore the priority date of May 27, 2004.
2. On April 19, 2007, the Department received a Request for Extension of Time ("extension request") which was granted giving the permit holder until June 1, 2009 to submit proof of beneficial use.
3. On March 31, 2009, the Department notified the permit holder by certified mail that proof of beneficial use was due and instructed the permit holder of the steps to be taken to submit the proof or extension of time.
4. On June 1, 2009, the permit lapsed since the Department had not received an acceptable proof of beneficial use statement or extension of time from the permit holder.
5. On June 8, 2009, the Department sent a lapse notice to the permit holder since the Department had not received an acceptable proof of beneficial use statement or extension of time request.
6. On August 6, 2009, the permit holder filed a Statement of Completion for submitting proof of beneficial use ("proof") with the appropriate license examination fee.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Section 42-218a, *Idaho Code*, provides that the Department may reinstate a permit upon a showing of reasonable cause by the permit holder within sixty days of the date of notice of lapsing.

The permit holder has provided a reasonable showing why the permit should be reinstated, by submitting an acceptable proof of beneficial use. The permit shall be reinstated based upon the August 6, 2009 filing date.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Permit No. 74-15450 is **REINSTATED** and the permit's priority date is advanced to August 1, 2004.

DATED this 11th day of August, 2009.



JEFF PEPPERSACK, Chief
Water Allocation Bureau