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Re: Application for Transfer for Bill and Shirleanne Abbott

Dear Mr. Barker:

The transfer application filed for your clients was received earlier this month. I wanted to let you know that a \$100 refund will be issued to your firm under separate cover for the fee submitted with the application.

The refund is warranted by the previous \$100 payment made by the applicants in their original ownership change filed in August 2007. My September 4, 2007 letter to the Abbotts discussed how the fee paid in August could be applied to a transfer application. The transfer process will incorporate the ownership change in this case. Only one fee is needed to accomplish the task.

I will assume by your October 16, 2007 letter to me that you represent the Abbotts in the transfer process. Therefore, you will be contacted instead of the applicants if any questions occur when processing the application. Please let me know at your earliest convenience if this assumption is not correct.

Please contact me at 334-2190 if you need more information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Steve Lester".

Steve Lester
Water Rights Supervisor