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Governor

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Director

DON AND JANE BETTS
PO BOX 102
DRIGGS ID 83422

RE: Notice of Protest of Transfer #74017 Acknowledgement

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Betts:

On February 12, 2008, the Department of Water Resources (Department) received your Notice of Protest form in the matter of Transfer #74017, Mountain Legends (aka Peacock Properties LLC) transfer of water right 22-13327. The protest was received via fax after business hours on February 11 therefore the Department recognizes the received date as February 12.

At this time the Department would like to acknowledge receipt of the protest and apologize for the delay in responding to your notice.

Pursuant to Idaho Code §42-203A a Notice of Protest shall be received within 10 days from the last date of publication of such notice together with the statutory filing fee as provided in §42-221. In order for a protest to be timely in the case of Transfer #74017, the protest should have been received on or before the business day of February 11, 2008 with the \$25 statutory filing fee.

A copy of the protest will be retained in water right file 22-13327 however, the original will be returned to you without any further action by the Department.

Please let me know if you have any further questions regarding this matter at (208) 287-4944.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Cherie Padilla". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Cherie Padilla
Water Resource Agent
Water Allocation Bureau

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