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Mr. Allen Merritt  
Idaho Department of Water Resources  
1341 Fillmore Street, Suite 200  
Twin Falls, ID 83301

Re: Application for Transfer – 37-22255 / Peter Trust, LP

Dear Allen:

The enclosed application seeks to add one point of diversion to water right 37-22255. This right is an irrigation right from the Big Wood River allowing 67.2 acres within property known as River Grove Ranch. The right has been recommended in the SRBA and no objections to the right have been filed. The additional point of diversion will be a pump station located on the east bank of the river as shown on the attached aerial map. The diversion will be located slightly outside the applicant's property on land owned by Orlando Ferrante. Mr. Ferrante has agreed to allow water right 37-22255 to list this point of diversion, and will be signing a document indicating such. I expect this document within a few days and will forward it to you.

Operationally, the additional point of diversion will likely be used in a supplemental fashion in order to minimize pumping costs. When the diversion rate authorized from the original point of diversion does not reach the applicant's property by flowing across Flying Heart Road, the river pump will be operated to make up the difference.

My understanding is that both Tim Luke and Kevin Lakey have discussed this transfer with the applicant and are generally supportive. If approved, this transfer could reduce or eliminate the long-standing difficulty in delivering this right as it currently stands.

No other modifications are sought to this water right.

Cordially,

Charles G. Brockway, P.E.

Enc. Transfer Application and Supporting Documents  
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