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Travis Bullock
PO Box 1189
Challis, ID 83226

RE: App For Permit 72-16772; Your Letter Dated 9-9-08

Dear Mr. Bullock;

Per your letter, I have produced a corrected application to include the storage components of your proposed water system. Since you did not mention a diversion rate to storage, I have used the total rate that you have already applied for. If the corrected application is acceptable, please sign it and return it to me for processing; there will be no additional fee.

With regard to your use of geothermal water for irrigation BEFORE it is used for heat-related purposes, my supervisor feel that your letter satisfies the public-interest requirement of Sec. 42-233(1) of the Idaho Code. In order to satisfy the other two criteria of this section, you will need to submit a formal request that addresses these two items. A copy of the code section is included for your information. If you have questions, feel free to contact me.

I understand that you may be out of town until the middle of November, so respond when you are able.

Regards,

James E. Stanton
Sr. Water Resource Agent