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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

TO: 45-13402 Licensing Exam File

FROM: Jana Reeder

DATE: September 25 2008

SUBJECT: Licensing Exam Correction

During the review of recently filed application for permit 45-14138 it was discovered that the stock water & wildlife system described by permit 45-13402 and SRBA recommendation 45-2810A includes existing stock water troughs located within the NENW of Section 20 (T16S, R22E). Steve Davis of the BLM indicated that these troughs have been there "for a long time", but were missed in the various filings. Discussions with Jeff Cooper (agent who conducted the 45-13402 licensing exam) indicated that these troughs located within the NENW of Section 20 (T16S, R22E) were not looked at during the 45-13402 licensing exam because they were not included as part of the 45-13402 permitted place of use. It is recommended that the NENW of Section 20 (T16S, R22E) be included as part of the place of use of 45-13402 via the licensing amendment process. *Note that the licensing exam report for 45-13402 recommends a licensing amendment to correct the place of use of one of the trough locations (SWSW of Section 18 vs. NWNW of Section 19), so adding an additional place of use could be accomplished via the same amendment.*

On a side note, Steve Davis of the BLM indicated that he was preparing a transfer application to add the NENW of Section 20 (T16S, R22E) as an authorized place of use for SRBA recommendation 45-2810A. The same transfer application will also correct the place of use of one of the trough locations (SWSW of Section 18 vs. NWNW of Section 19).