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Gary Spackman, Presiding Officer
Idaho Department of Water Resources
322 E. Front Street
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Re: In the Matter of Application for Permit No. 96-9253

Dear Mr. Spackman:

I received your response letter of February 1, 2008, regarding the Notice of Settlement and Conditional Motion to Withdraw Protest jointly submitted by Kootenai Land and Trust and Kootenai Environmental Alliance. Your response letter included a draft Order Granting Conditional Motion to Withdraw Protest and Canceling Hearing, which you indicated you intended to issue by February 19, 2008, if there were no objections to the same. A review of my file in the above-referenced matter shows that I have not yet received a copy of that executed Order and I am writing to request a copy for my file.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

Dictated But Not Signed To Avoid Delay

Michael A. Ealy

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