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Dickie Lee Patton
12722 W. Shadow Hills Dr.
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Re: Application For Permit to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Idaho

Dear Mr. Patton:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources is returning your recently submitted application for additions and/or corrections.

Item # 4 Purpose of Use

Since the lapsed permit was issued to Michael Hinson the department is taking a different approach to permitting ponds. In addition to the size of the pond the annual seepage and evaporation volumes must be taken into account. You propose a pond that is approximately 150' X 60' X 8', which is approximately 1.6 acre-feet in size. The approximate evaporation and seepage for a pond of this size, soil type and climate is estimated to be 2.4 acre-feet per year. Therefore, the appropriation request for the different storage uses would be 4 acre feet instead of the 2 as shown on your application.

Item # 7 Development Period

Please complete this section. An Applicant has between 1 and 5 years by which to perfect a permit. Please indicate when your project would be ready for a field review or inspection.

Item # 8 Description of Use

Under 8 (e) please fully describe the uses, such as recreation will be for swimming, fishing and boating. Fish propagation will be for fishing, etc.

Item # 9 Place of Use

Please complete this section by designating the appropriate use in the corresponding quarter quarter.

Item # 10

Please list other water rights that are on the property used for the same purpose. If none exist, please indicate none.

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I have enclosed an example application containing all of the corrections and additions listed above for your consideration. If you agree, please complete the new application form and resubmit within the next 30 days, so as not to delay processing. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at this office.

Sincerely,

Keith E. Franklin
Senior Water Resources Agent

Enclosure

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