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Idaho Department of Water Resources
1341 Fillmore Street, Suite 200
Twin Falls, ID 83301-3380

**Re: Barrie Family Partners - Application for Transfer of
Water Right 37-332
Our File No.: 750/010067**

Dear Corey:

Enclosed you will again find the original Water Right Transfer Application referenced above together with our check for the \$250 filing fee. The additional information provided by this cover letter should address the deficiencies you described in your December 1, 2005 letter to me.

First, the Barrie Family Partners is a general partnership organized under the laws of the state of California. As with the General Partnership Act for the state of Idaho, California does not require that a partnership agreement be signed in order to validly organize and create a partnership. In this case a partnership agreement has never been signed. However, I am representing to you that Christine Barrie is one of the general partners and that she does have the authority to sign the Application and other documents on behalf of the partnership.

Second, I have outlined in black on the aerial photograph which you sent to me the land owned by the Applicant. The place of use for the water right in question lies within these property boundaries. This place of use overlaps the places of use for groundwater rights 37-2639D and 37-13371. Once the point of diversion for 37-332 is changed pursuant to this Application, the irrigation system will be reworked so that the groundwater diversions become supplemental and not turned on until the surface right is cut for priority purposes.

Finally, as we discussed, the examination of the actual irrigation use of water right no. 37-332 must be limited to the five or more years preceding the filing of the claim for this right in the SRBA in 1988. I understand this issue will be analyzed by your agents conducting the review of claims filed in the SRBA. Please let me know as soon as possible the results of this investigation.

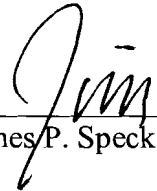
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Kindly have your secretary receipt date stamp the enclosed copy of the Application and return it to me in the postage prepaid, self addressed envelope I am again including for that purpose. Please let me know immediately if you have any additional questions or require further information before you can begin processing this Application.

Thank you. **Merry Christmas!!**

Sincerely yours,

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By: 
James P. Speck

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