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SOUTHERN REGION

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Governor

DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR.
Interim Director

February 22, 2007

Big Sky Farms No. 72435

RE: APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER NO. 72435 (Big Sky Farms Partnership)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

It appears that attempts to resolve the concerns regarding the above referenced application have been without success. Therefore, this office is attempting to schedule the matter of protest for a Pre-Hearing Conference either in March or April. **Please notify us within 10 days** with the dates within that time frame that you are available. Notices formally setting the hearing time and place will be mailed at a later date.

Please note that the application is considered a contested case and subject to the Rules of Procedure adopted by the Department. Rules 302 & 417 require that any written communication between parties be sent to all parties in the case.

If you need a copy of these rules, please contact this office. The Rules of Procedure are also available on the Internet by using the IDWR Homepage at the following electronic address:

<http://www.idwr.state.id.us/apa/idapa37/0101.htm>

If you are no longer have an interest in the above referenced matter, please submit a written withdrawal to this office. If you have any questions or if this office can be of further assistance, please feel free to contact us.

Very truly yours,

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Southern Region Manager

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cc: List of parties

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