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RE: CORRECTIONS TO APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Dear Mr. Cleveland and Ms. Pettit:

On 6/5/2006 you filed an application for permit with the Idaho Department of Water Resources for irrigation of an acre of ground from the Middle Fork of the Payette River. In this application you requested 0.20 cfs for this use. Idaho State law limits irrigation use on 5 acres and less parcels to 0.03 cfs per acre or 1-1/2 inches. Therefore, you will need to reduce the amount requested before we can continue processing your application to 0.03 cfs in sections 4 and 5 of the application.

You also asked for 20 years to complete this project. Idaho law also does not allow water rights to be filed for speculation purposes. Therefore, we limit the amount of time to complete a project to 5 years. If you start the project and can't finish it in the 5-year time limit you can file an extension of time for an additional 5 years if needed. Please correct section 7 of the application so you don't exceed the 5-year limitation.

Please make all the needed corrections on your original application enclosed with this letter. Initial and date all changes and return it to the address above.

Please submit the requested information to allow final evaluation of your application to be completed. You may seek additional time to provide the information by making a written request to delay or interrupt processing. **Your written response including the requested information, or a request for more time to seek the information must be received by January 8, 2007.** The application will be voided without a timely reply.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at the above address.

Respectfully,

Daniel A. Nelson
Sr. Water Right Agent