



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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Director

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CLAYTON ID 83227

RE: PERMIT NO. 72-7573

Dear Permit Holder:

I have enclosed a copy of the approved Request for Extension of Time ("request") you submitted to the department in connection with the above referenced permit, which extends the time to submit proof of beneficial use to **October 1, 2007**. Please note that the department granted this extension based on evidence of **due diligence**. It is important that you work diligently toward the completion of this project during the construction period allowed.

Section 42-248, Idaho Code requires you or the owner of this water right to maintain current ownership and address records on file with the department. Please contact any office of the department for the proper form to file a change of ownership of a water right and/or a change in the address of the owner. Additionally, these forms can be found on our website at: <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov>

If you have any questions regarding this matter, contact me at (208) 287-4942.

Sincerely,

Deborah J. Gibson
Administrative Assistant
Water Allocation Bureau

Enclosure

Cc: Scott Campbell, Moffatt Thomas