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JAMES E. RISCH, GOVERNOR
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July 6, 2006

Mr. James Bolen
9190 Aquarius
Boise, Idaho 83709

RE: Water Rights Application Comments

Dear Mr. Bolen:

The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality ("Department") has reviewed our existing water quality information near your proposed project site identified in Application 72-16687.

The Department does not have any existing water quality information near your proposed point of diversion.

The Department does, however, wish to discuss the use of this water right for public water supply. Please contact Carlin Feisthamel, drinking water engineer, to see if this well and delivery system meet the definition of a public system. He may be contacted at 208.528.2650. If your system does qualify as a public water system, you may need to safeguard your system to ensure safe drinking water supply and delivery.

We do not have any other substantive comments at this time.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 208.528.2650 for additional information we may be able to provide.

Thank you for the opportunity to review your application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Troy Saffle", is written over a horizontal line.

Troy Saffle
Regional Water Quality Manager
Idaho Falls Regional Office

c: Shelly Keen, IDWR
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