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Mr. Gary Spackman
Idaho Department of Water Resources
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Re: Application for Transfer No. 71254 - Mickelsen Properties, LLC

Dear Mr. Spackman:

We trust it is not inappropriate for us to inquire about the status of the above referenced matter. It appears from our file that after our hearing last July, we were able to locate copies of water pumping and transport agreements which eventually resolved the protest of Big Lost River Irrigation District. Following the formal withdrawal of the protest by Big Lost River Irrigation District, and pursuant to request, we filed a Petition to Augment the Record with copies of the water pumping and transport agreements. In October, it appears that opportunity was given to Mr. Babcock and his group to object to the petition, but apparently no objection was filed. The last thing in our file is a copy of an order granting the Petition to Augment the Record, dated December 7, 2005.

We are wondering whether there is anything further we need to do before the decision on this application can be issued. Please let us know if we can be of assistance in any manner.

Yours very truly,



Kent W. Foster