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Re: Conditional Withdrawal of Protest, Amended Application for Permit No. 78-12245

Dear Gentlemen:

The amended application for permit and the signed settlement agreement were recently received. Thank you for your efforts in completing those steps. Application processing will proceed.

The next item you should receive will be a preliminary order approving the application subject to certain conditions of approval. The exact language of the conditions might vary somewhat from the agreement but should capture the intent of the agreement.

Please note the limited time period to appeal the preliminary order once you receive it. A preliminary order automatically becomes a final order without further correspondence from the department if an appeal is not filed by the specified deadline.

Thanks again for your good work. IDWR forms and information are available on the Internet at www.idwr.idaho.gov. Please contact me at 208-334-2190 if you need more information or have any questions.

Sincerely,

Steve Lester
Water Rights Supervisor