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Department of Water Resources
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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION)
FOR TRANSFER NO. 72385)
(in the name of City of Blackfoot))
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NOTICE OF JOINT PROTEST

A & B IRRIGATION DISTRICT, AMERICAN FALLS RESERVOIR DISTRICT #2,
BURLEY IRRIGATION DISTRICT, MILNER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, MINIDOKA
IRRIGATION DISTRICT, NORTH SIDE CANAL COMPANY, and TWIN FALLS CANAL
COMPANY AND NORTHSIDE CANAL COMPANY (hereinafter "Surface Water Coalition"),
by and through their respective attorneys of record, hereby file this *Notice of Joint Protest* to the

NOTICE OF PROTEST (application for transfer no. 72385)

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R#5028453

approval of the above-numbered application for transfer filed by the City of Blackfoot

("Applicant"). The initial basis for the Coalition's protest is as follows:

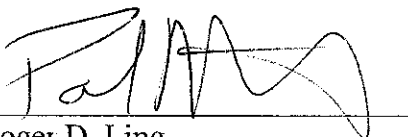
1. The application fails to provide sufficient evidence regarding the proposed change in the place of use and nature of use for the subject water right.

3. The application violates the criteria of I.C. § 42-222; and

4. For such other and further reasons as may be discovered or set forth at the hearing on this matter.

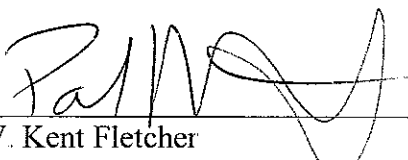
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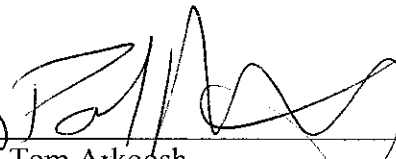
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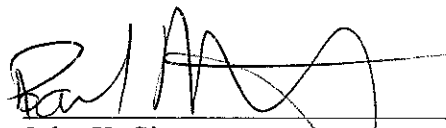
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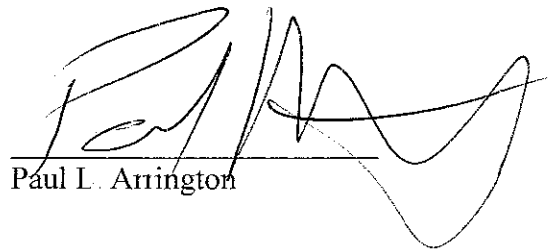

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 6th day of March, 2006, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Notice of Protest*, by depositing same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the following:

City of Blackfoot
157 N. Broadway
Blackfoot, Idaho 83221



Paul L. Arrington