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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region

Affidavit of Publication
STATE OF IDAHO)
COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS) SS.

I, Ruby Aufderheide, being first duly sworn upon oath, depose and say that I am Legal Clerk of the TIMES-NEWS, published daily at, Twins Falls, Idaho, and do solemnly swear that a copy of the notice of advertisement, as per clipping attached, was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper, and not in any supplement thereof, for two consecutive weeks, commencing with the issue dated 16th day of February, 2006 and ending with the issue dated 23rd day of February, 2006

And I do further certify that said newspaper is a consolidation, effective February 16, 1942, of the Idaho Evening Times, published theretofore daily except Sunday, and the Twin Falls News, published theretofore daily except Monday, both of which newspapers prior to consolidation had been published under said names in said city and county continuously and uninterruptedly during a period of more than twelve consecutive months, and said TIMES-NEWS, since such consolidation, has been published as a daily newspaper except Saturday, until July 31, 1978, at which time said newspaper began daily publication under said name in said city and county continuously and uninterrupted.

And I further certify that pursuant to Section 60-108 Idaho Code, Thursday of each week has been designated as the day on which legal notice by law or by order of any court of competent jurisdiction within the state of Idaho to be issued thereof Thursday is announced as the day on which said legal will be published.

STATE OF IDAHO
COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

On this 23rd day of February, 2006, before me,

a Notary Public, personally appeared Ruby Aufderheide, known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by me first duly sworn, he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Linda Capps McGuire
Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at Twin Falls, Idaho.

My commision expires: 5-19-09

LINDA CAPPS-MCGUIRE
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF IDAHO

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO WATER RIGHTS
Notice is hereby given that an Application for Transfer has been filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources for changes to water rights within Minidoka County. **A & B IRRIGATION DISTRICT, PO BOX 675; RUPERT ID 83350** filed Application No. **72566** on 1/17/06. Transfer application proposes adding a new well, to be drilled, and adding an existing drain well, to be converted to a production well, to a system presently consisting of 186 wells. The system is covered by 12 water rights that total 1100 cfs for irrigation of 66,686.2 acres. The new well, to be drilled, will be located approximately 7.25 miles north and 2.3 miles east of Rupert. The existing drain well that will be converted to a production well is located approximately 6.0 miles north and 2.6 miles east of Rupert. The wells are being added to maintain overall production capacity of the A & B Irrigation District system. For specific details regarding an application, please contact IDWR Southern Regional Office at 208-736-3033 or visit www.idwr.idaho.gov with detail provided under "New Water Right Applications". Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Protests against approval must be filed with IDWR, Southern Region, 1341 Fillmore St.-Suite 200; Twin Falls, ID 83301 with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before March 6, 2006. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.
Karl J. Dreher, Director
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