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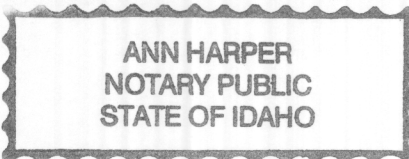
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Ruth Anne Holmes

STATE OF IDAHO)
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On this 20th day of February, 2006, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Ruth Anne Holmes, know or identified to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.



Ann Harper

Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at Burley, 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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