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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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THOMAS T NICHOLSON
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MERIDIAN ID 83680-0690

RE: Change in Ownership for Water Right No. 63-10379

Dear Mr. Nicholson:

The Department of Water Resources acknowledges receipt of your Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership. Our review of your notice indicates that additional information is required before we can process the change. The information required is indicated below:

 X **Evidence of Water Right Ownership:** copy of Warranty Deed, Title Policy, Contract of Sale, or other legal document indicating your ownership of the property and/or water rights in question

During our review of the documentation you submitted we found some discrepancies between that documentation and the legal description of the place of use for the water right indicated in your notice. The legal descriptions on the deeds you provided do not cover the entire place of use listed on the water right. I have enclosed a computer report of the water right for your reference, with the missing property highlighted.

Because the Department cannot process the ownership change without proper documentation, we will hold any action on your notice pending receipt of the necessary information. If we do not receive the necessary information **within 30 days** we will return your notice and all attachments and your notice will not be processed.

Please note that water right owners are required to report any change in water right ownership and/or mailing address to the Department within 120 days of the change. Failure to report these changes could result in a \$100 late filing fee. Contact any office of the Department or visit the Department's homepage (<http://www.idwr.state.id.us>) on the Internet to obtain the proper forms and instructions.

Please call Kari Lynn Townsend at 208-287-4952 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kandice L. McDermott
Records Analyst

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Enclosure