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PROOF ACKNOWLEDGMENT LETTER

RE: PERMIT NO. 67-8026

Dear Permit Holder:

The department acknowledges receipt of the proof of beneficial use form (proof) submitted for the above referenced permit. However, during my review of your proof and verification against the permit, I would like to clarify the discrepancy. Permit no. 67-8026 is for irrigation of 30 acres with a maximum diversion rate of 0.60 cfs. It appears you have developed 25 acres with a total rate of diversion of .15 cfs, which are acceptable. However, you also stated that you are using the water for 60 head of sheep. Be aware that the stockwater use is not covered under this permit, and that you should have a water right to allow stockwater use.

The next step in the process of developing a water right is for the department to contact you to schedule a field examination to determine and confirm the use of the water, and that it meets the permitted beneficial use.

Also, be advised that Section 42-248, Idaho Code requires you or the owner of this water right to maintain current ownership and address records on file with the department. Forms to file a change of ownership of a water right and/or a change in the address of the water right owner are available from any department office or from the department's website at idwr.idaho.gov.

If you have questions concerning the field examination or my review of this permit, please contact either the **Western** Regional Office of the department in Boise at (208) 334-2190, or me at (208) 287-4942.

Sincerely,

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Encl.

c: IDWR - Regional Office