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April 22, 2005

SENT VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Idaho Department of Water Resources
Eastern Region
900 N. Skyline, Suite A
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

Re: Notice of Protest - Double Springs Ranch, LLC
Our File No.: 1214/010028

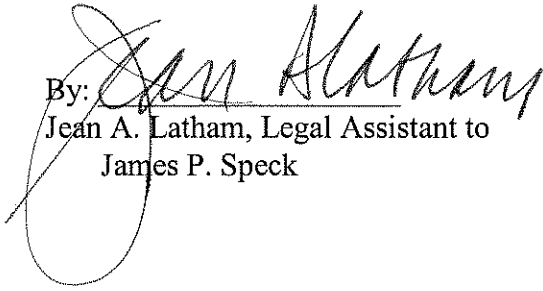
Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find the original and one copy of Double Springs Ranch, LLC's Notice of Protest to Application for Permit No. 73-12039 together with the required fee of \$25. Please date receipt stamp the copy and return it to us in the enclosed postage prepaid envelope.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

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By: 

Jean A. Latham, Legal Assistant to
James P. Speck

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Department of Water Resources
Eastern Region

November 26, 1999

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PROTEST

This form may be used to file a protest with the department under sections 42-108B, 42-203A, 42-203C, 42-211, 42-222 and 42-224, Idaho Code. The department will also accept a timely protest not completed on this form if it contains the same information.

1. Matter being protested Application for Permit No. 73-12039

2. Name of protestant Double Springs Ranch, LLC

3. Protestant's Representative for service (If different than protestant)

James P. Speck

4. Service mailing address Post Office Box 987, Ketchum, Idaho 83340

5. Service telephone no. (208) 726-4421

6. Basis of protest (including statement of facts and law upon which the protest is based)

Diversion of water pursuant to the requested water right will reduce the quantity of
water under existing water rights and the water supply itself is insufficient for
this purpose and it will conflict with the local public interest.

(additional pages may be attached to describe nature of the protest)

7. What would resolve your protest? Denial of the Application

I hereby, acknowledge that if I, or my designated representative, fails to appear at any regularly scheduled conference or hearing in the matter of which I have been notified at the address above, the department may issue a notice of proposed default against me in this matter for failure to appear. I also verify that I have served a copy of this protest upon the applicant.

Signed this 22nd day of April, 2000.

Protestant

Protestant's Representative



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