



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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RE: Change in Ownership Water Right 65-3386

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Vanleuven:

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:

☒ **Filing Fee** of \$25 per water right

☒ **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

☒ **Legal Description of Property**

During our review of the documentation you submitted we found that the Last Will and Testament of C. Orlan Vanleuven is not sufficient in showing your ownership of the water right in question. The Testament does not convey any property to you and does not give a legal description of any property. In addition, no evidence was provided that the Last Will and Testament of C. Orlan Vanleuven has been put in effect.

We cannot process your notice until we receive documentation that proves you are the current owners of the property associated with the water rights. The proof must also be accompanied by a corresponding legal description of the property.

Effective July 1, 2000, the legislature enacted House Bill No. 545 requiring a filing fee for a change in water right ownership. The fee is \$25 per water right, except for ownership changes resulting in the division of a water right, which is \$100 per water right. All ownership change notices received after June 30, 2000 must include the appropriate filing fees in order to be processed. We have determined that the filing fee for your notice will be **\$25**.

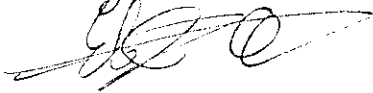
Because the Department cannot process the ownership change without proper documentation and fees, we will hold any action on your notice pending their receipt. If we do not receive the necessary information and fees within **30 days** we will return your notice and all attachments and your notice will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

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call Kari Lynn Townsend at 208-327-7941.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. Aldridge", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

E. Justin Aldridge
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