



State of Idaho
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

900 N. Skyline Dr., Suite A, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402-1718 - (208) 525-7161- Fax (208) 525-7177

RECEIVED

AUG 23 1999

Department of Water Resources

EASTERN REGION

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

KARL J. DREHER
DIRECTOR

August 17, 1999

JR SIMPLOT COMPANY
PO BOX 27
BOISE ID 83707

RE: Application for Transfer No.: 5485

Dear Applicant:

Enclosed please find copies of the protests filed against the above referenced application for transfer of a water right. You should be aware that the following are the items we can consider at a conference and/or hearing in either approving or denying an application for transfer:

- 1) Are other water rights injured by the transfer?
- 2) Does the change constitute enlargement in the use of the original water right?
- 3) Is the change consistent with the conservation of water resources within the state of Idaho?
- 4) Does the change conflict with the local public interest?

The applicant must be prepared to present evidence and/or testimony addressing each of the four items should an additional hearing be necessary. You will be notified at a later date as to the time and place set for conference and/or hearing.

If we may be of further assistance, please contact us.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD W. JONES
Water Rights Supervisor

HWJ:sc

cc: IDWR State Office