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March 19, 2004

Lend Lease Agri-Business  
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Rabo Agrifinance, Inc.  
St. Louis, MO

DIRK KEMPTHORNE  
Governor

KARL J. DREHER  
Director

RE: Application For Transfer 70569, Jeff Weber

Dear Mr. Smith;

Attached is a copy of Mr. Weber's proposed water transfer for your review. The transfer just re-arranges the place of use for irrigation on the Weber property due to changes in his delivery system. He tried to do this same thing in 2002 under previous applications, but was forced to withdraw those due to problems with the Bureau of Land Management (he farms some of their land under the Sykes Act). You previously granted approval for those transfers, and the new application differs only slightly. Jeff said that he had trouble obtaining the previous approval, so I am trying to expedite this matter. If the new proposal is satisfactory, please provide a new approval letter on your letterhead and with your notarized signature, to this office at your earliest convenience.

If you have questions, feel free to contact me.

Regards,

James E. Stanton  
Sr. Water Resource Agent