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Mr. Allen D. Merritt, P.E.
Regional Manager, Southern Region
Idaho Department of Water Resources
1341 Fillmore Street, Suite 200
Twin Falls, ID 83301-3380

Re: Withdrawal of Protest by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game to
Application for Transfer No. 71010 - Diamond A Livestock, Inc.

Dear Mr. Merritt:

At the pre-hearing conference on Friday, April 2, 2004, the representatives of the Idaho Department of Fish Game stated that the Department would make a decision by today about the status of its protest to the above-entitled application. The Department has decided to withdraw its protest in this matter.

Sincerely,

David Parrish
Magic Valley Regional Supervisor

DJB/DP

Cc: Diamond A Livestock, Inc.
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