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That the notice, of which a copy is hereto attached and made a part of this affidavit, was published in said Post Register for 2 consecutive (days) weeks, first publication having been made on the 14TH day of FEBRUARY 2002, last publication having been made on the 21ST day of FEBRUARY 2002 at the said notice was published in the regular and entire issue of said paper on the respective dates of publication, and that such notice was published in the newspaper and not in a supplement.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO WATER RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given that two Applications for Transfer were filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources on 12/22/2000 by PICABO LIVESTOCK CO. INC., PO BOX 748, PICABO ID 83348 for changes to water rights within Blaine County.

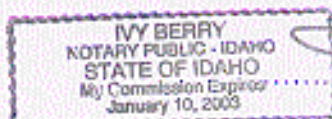
Application No. 69624 proposes to divert a combined total of 16.83 cfs from ground water (three existing wells) and Application No. 69626 proposes to divert a combined total of 72.78 cfs from Loving Creek tributary to Silver Creek and Silver Creek tributary to Little Wood River.

The purpose of the transfers is to modify the permissible place of use to include recently purchased ground. A total of 2711.3 acres within a 2881.3 acre irrigated permissible place of use is located on both sides of HWY 20 from 1 mile East to 4 miles West of Picabo, ID.

For specific details regarding the application(s), please contact IDWR Southern Regional Office at 208-796-3033 or visit www.idwr.state.id.us with detail provided under "New Water Right Applications". Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Protests against approval must be filed with IDWR, Southern Region, 1341 Fillmore St. Suite 200; Twin Falls, ID 83301 with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before March 4, 2002. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

Karl J. Dreher, Director
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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27TH day of FEBRUARY 2002



Notary Public

My commission expires January 10, 2003

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GOOD MORNING!

333 Northgate Mile
Idaho Falls, ID 83401
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February 27, 2002

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
1341 FILLMORE STREET SUITE 200
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Legal Notice: NOTICE OF PROPOSED PICABO LIVESTOCK

T #69624, #69626

Please refer to Invoice # or Ad # 167807

PO #

TOTAL COST: \$65.78

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PLEASE INCLUDE ACCOUNT # AND AD # WITH YOUR
PAYMENT.

THANK YOU!