

Comment Report

Application ID 70533

1. jstanton 7/22/2003 10:34:47 AM Special Administration Area Notes

Comment: Special Administration Areas : Raft River CGWA

Exempt: N

Reason:

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Explanation:

2. jstanton 7/22/2003 10:35:38 AM Additional Information Notes

Comment: Reviewed by Adjudication Staff: N/A

Mitigation Plan or acceptance form: N/A

Municipal Rights Anticipated Horizon Information: N/A

3. jstanton 7/22/2003 Comment/Analysis

Comment: This application proposes to dry up 5 pivot corners that were decreed as irrigated in the SRBA, moving the water to another section about 3 miles north that already has 10 acres of decreed ground water in order to allow a small pivot to be installed in that section. The water will be pumped from an existing well. The transfer appears to be approvable.

Authority To File: All rights involved in the transfer were decreed to the applicant. The applicant is registered with IDSOS as required.

Water Right Validity: These rights were recently decreed in the SRBS, so forfeiture does not appear to be an issue.

Injury To Other Rights: None expected. The land in Sec. 14 was previously irrigated with a pivot, but was put into CRP in about 1987. In 2000, most of the water right was transferred to other land not owned by the applicant.

Enlargement of Use: None requested based the SRBA decrees.

Local Public Interest: No issues identified.

Beneficial Use/Conservation of Water Resource: No issues identified. Water will be applied through sprinklers for maximum efficiency of use.

Review of the application finds that there is no clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Sec. 42-222 I. C. preventing processing of this application. At least prior to advertising, no other issues have been identified that would require further review or submittal of additional data by the applicant.

4. jstanton 7/22/2003 Legal Notice Remarks

Comment: This application proposes to move decreed groundwater rights from 5 pivot corners in order to allow the installation of a small pivot on previously-irrigated land about 3 miles north of the present property. The new pivot will be located about 3 1/2 miles north & 1/4 mile west of the Hwy. 77/81 interchange at Malta.

**Transfers 70533 & 70710
Bushman Farm & Livestock Co LP**

Proportionate Splits of Rights 43-10796A, B & 43-10149.

				/ 2.92 cfs	146.1 acres	584.4 af
43-10796A	3.20 cfs	160 acres	640 af	\ 0.28 cfs	13.9 acres	55.6 af
				/ 3.56 cfs	178.1 acres	712.4 af
43-10796B	3.90 cfs	195 acres	780 af	\ 0.34 cfs	16.9 acres	67.6 af
				/ 1.00 cfs	70.3 acres	-----
43-10149	(1.10 cfs)	77 acres	-----	\ 0.10 cfs	6.7 acres	-----
Enlargement Rt.						
Combined				/ 3.56 cfs	178.1 acres	712.4 af
Limits (2 rts)	3.90 cfs	272 acres	780 af	\ 0.34 cfs	16.9 acres	67.6 af
Combined		Transfer 70710 Total	/ 5.49 cfs		394.5 acres	1296.7 af
Limits (3 rts)	6.01 cfs	432 acres	1420 af	\ 0.52 cfs	37.5 acres	123.3 af
		With 43-2354A	0.15 cfs		10.0 acres	40.0 af
		Transfer 70533 Total	0.67 cfs		47.5 acres	163.3 af