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October 11, 2000

Harold Jones
Eastern Region Office
Idaho Department of Water Resources
900 North Skyline Drive, Suite A
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

RE: Amended Transfer #5441 Filed by Vance Hawley (related to water right numbers 33-10095 & 33-10096)

Dear Mr. Jones:

By this letter I state that I have the authority to act on behalf of the United States, Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management (U.S.D.I., BLM), with myself as its agent, to the matters discussed herein. I understand that Vance Hawley wishes to transfer water under the above water right from federal public property to land which he owns as private property. The federal public property legal descriptions are as follows:

T.06N, R.28E, S.14 NENE (0.6 acres)
T.06N, R.28E, S.14 NWNE (1.7 acres)
T.06N, R.28E, S.14 SWNE (8 acres)
T.06N, R.28E, S.14 SESE (1.8 acres)
T.06N, R.28E, S.24 NESW (7.2 acres)
T.06N, R.29E, S.14 NWSW (3.4 acres)
T.06N, R.29E, S.14 SESW (1.6 acres)
T.06N, R.29E, S.15 SWNE (2.6 acres)
T.06N, R.29E, S.15 SENE (1.6 acres)

I understand that the Idaho Department of Water Resources cannot complete such a transfer of water under a water right without the notarized consent of the land owner where the water right describes land not owned by the transfer applicant.

On behalf of the United States and the U.S.D.I., BLM, my notarized signature below provides the necessary consent to facilitate the transfer, which will result in the discontinuance of water being applied to federal public land. The United States' non-opposition to the application for transfer does not represent recognition by the United States of the claim elements nor their validity.

If there are questions regarding any statements above, please do not hesitate to contact Deena Teel at (208) 524-7533 or at the address provided above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Joe Kraayenbrink". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" being more prominent and the last name "Kraayenbrink" written in a continuous, flowing script.

Joe Kraayenbrink
Field Manager

SUBSCRIBED [redacted] SWORN to before me this 11th day of [redacted] October, 2000.

STATE OF IDAHO

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) ss:

COUNTY OF BONNEVILLE

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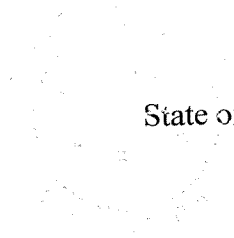
On this 11th day of October, 2000, personally came before me, a notary public in and for said County and State, the within-named JOE KRAAYENBRINK, to me personally known to be the identical person(s) described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same as their free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in certificate first above written.

Sandra S Hoffer

[Handwritten Signature]

Notary public in and for the



State of Idaho,

County of Bonneville

Residing at Shelley, ID

My commission expires: 11-25-2002