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R. J. Smith Chairman Water District 74 PO Box 1065 Tendoy, ID 83468 Department of Water Resource: Eastern Region

RE: LEMHI RIVER WATER SUPPLY BANK SURCHARGE FEE

Dear Mr. Smith:

The purpose of this letter is to inquire when the Lemhi Water Rental Committee plans to submit the ten (10) percent surcharge fee to the Department of Water Resources ("Department") for rental of water from the Lemhi River Water Supply Bank ("bank") by the United States Bureau of Reclamation ("USBR") for use during 2003.

My files show that during 2002, the USBR paid a total of \$245,485 for the rental of water from the bank. In early July 2002, the committee paid the Department the administrative fee of \$21,007.80. In its May 21, 2003 letter to you, the USBR again offered to rent the same amount of water during 2003 for the same total price as for 2002. If the committee rented the same amount of water to the USBR, the administrative fee payable to the Department would again be \$21,007.80.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at (208) 327-7910.

Sincerely.

L. GLEN SAXTON, P.E. Administrator Water Management Division

c: JDWR - E. Region Gail McGarry - USBR DIRK KEMPTHORNE Governor KARL J. DREHER Director



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FEBRUARY 3, 2003

RICK SAGER 985 HWY 28 SALMON ID 83467

Dear Mr. Sager:

Enclosed are copies of Temporary Permits #TP-74-11 and TP-74-12 which have been issued to the U.S. Forest Service.

Sidcerely, Jacold W. Jones

Harold W Jones Water Right Supervisor

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Enclosures