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RE: Change in Ownership Water Right No. 27-7098, 27-10987

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Department of Water Resources acknowledges receipt of your Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership.

Our review of your notice indicates that additional information is required before we can process the change. The information required is indicated below:

**** **Evidence of Ownership:** Please supply a copy of the recorded Warranty Deed or other legal document indicating your ownership in the property and/or water right. The department acknowledges a copy of the buy/sell agreement received with your application, however in order to update ownership a deed is required, unless the buy/sell agreement specifically addresses updating ownership prior to the deed being recorded.

**** **Question Ownership/Additional Fee:** Water right number 27-10987 is for domestic and stockwater, no property is owned in one of the quarter quarters covered by the water right, the POU in SESW Section 30 Township 2 South Range 36 East, is not covered by your legal description. There is ownership in SWSE Section 30, Township 2 South Range 36 East however with the portion cutout in your legal in the corner there is some question weather or not you would own any of the domestic and stockwater. If you own a portion of that water right please supply an additional fee to split the water right. The filing fee for a split ownership change is \$100.00 per water right (an additional \$75.00 would be required). If you do not believe you own any portion of that water right please notify the department and we will update ownership for the other water right and refund the fee for this one.

Because the Department cannot process the ownership change without proper documentation/fees, we will hold any action on your notice pending receipt of the necessary information/fees. If we do not receive the necessary information/fees within 30 days we will return your notice and all attachments and your notice will not be processed.

Please note that Section 42-248, Idaho Code, requires you or the owner of this water right to maintain current ownership and address records on file with the department. Forms to file a change of ownership of a water right and/or a change in the address of the water right owner are available from any department office; or at the department's website at: www.idwr.idaho.gov.

Please feel free to contact the Department if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jonie Barg
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