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January 22, 2003

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Re: United Water Idaho—IMAP
Our File No. 30-71

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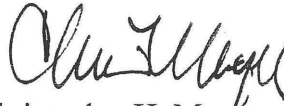
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chris Meyer", written in a cursive style.

Christopher H. Meyer

cc: Charles Honsinger
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RE: United Water Idaho - Integrated Municipal Application Package
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MESSAGE:

Please see attached.

— Chris

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