

Bird, Cindy

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Sent: Tuesday, January 16, 2007 1:47 PM
To: Bird, Cindy
Subject: FW: Water Right 27-2168.

From: Conrad, Vic
Sent: Tuesday, November 14, 2006 10:00 AM
To: Ernest Carlsen (ernie.carlsen@idwr.idaho.gov)
Cc: Elese Teton (eteton@shoshonebannocktribes.com); fred_price@blm.gov
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Ernie,

As you requested, I researched Simplot's use of water from the spring described under this water right. This water right was originally licensed for industrial mining & manufacturing purposes. The use changed to watering livestock at some point before 1970. After the nature of use was changed, we have used this source to water 1,000 head of ewes & lambs beginning May 1 thru October 31 each year. Based upon your standard quantity allowed for sheep (2 gallons per head per day), the total annual volume used during the 184 day season of use is 1.13 acre feet ((184 days x 1,000 hd x 2 gallons per day) ÷ 325,850 gallons/acre foot = 1.13 acre feet per year).

I am copying Elese Teton (Shoshone-Bannock Tribes) and Fred Price (BLM) who are both objectors to the IDWR's recommendation for claim no. 27-2168. I am assuming that adding a condition limiting the annual volume available under this water right to no more than 1.13 acre feet per year for stockwater will be acceptable to Ms. Teton and Mr. Price. However, if they have any concerns about this annual volume limit, either can let us know in response to this email.

If the 1.13 acre foot annual volume is acceptable, please prepare an SF5 for the signature of all parties involved. Thank you.

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