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Herald S. Nokes, M.D.  
Secretary, Water District 65-K  
1270 Elo Road  
McCall, ID 83638

RE: REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT AS LOCAL COMMITTEE TO RENT WATER

Dear Mr. Nokes:

I have reviewed your recent submittal in connection with the above referenced matter. You have submitted the following items for review:

1. Revised draft Rental Pool Procedures
2. Draft form titled Lease of Water to Rental Pool
3. Draft form titled Agreement to Rent Water From Rental Pool
4. Information required by Water Supply Bank Rule 40

Based on the revisions you have made to the draft rental pool procedures which I sent you, I have revised the draft and am forwarding a copy to you for further review. I have some questions and comments relative to your markings on the first draft as follows:

Rule 3.4 - You questioned whether "contingency basis" in the rule means "if it fills". The answer is yes.

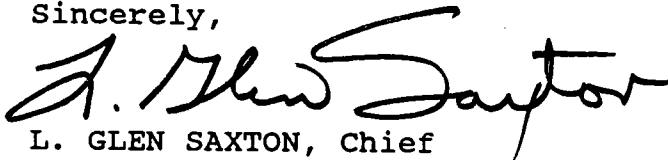
Rule 3.6 - You have shown a question mark by this rule. The purpose of the rule is to provide protection in the following year for waterusers within a water district who choose not to lease their storage water in the prior year, Under this rule, those who do not lease their water will be entitled to fill their storage space in the following year before those who lease their water. If the storage capacity completely refills each year, this rule has no effect on any of the users.

Rule 8.2 - You question the term "annual watermaster's report". This annual report is different from and is on a different form than the report and form which the department will annually provide for completion by the rental pool.

Also returned are revised forms, the caption of which I have changed to read Lease of Water to Rental Pool and Agreement to Rent Water From Rental Pool.

Please review the revised procedures and forms and advise me if they now are satisfactory or need more changes. Upon completion of your review, please return the revised forms to me and any additional changes you wish made to the procedures. I will revise and prepare a final copy of the procedures here if you wish. Upon completion of all revisions, I will forward the information to the Idaho Water Resource Board for their consideration to designate rental pool 65-K even though you have advised that the need for the rental pool likely will be in 1998 rather than 1997. If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at phone (208) 327-7955.

Sincerely,



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