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Richard L. Beckstead
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Dear Mr. Beckstead,

Thank you for contacting our office regarding your concerns about the water rights for the Jorgensen Farms' feedlot operation. An investigation is currently being conducted into this matter. Enclosed is a copy of our most recent correspondence with Mr. Jorgensen. I learned today that Mr. Jorgensen has scheduled an appointment with our Eastern Region office on March 1st to discuss the water rights issues related to his feedlot operation. We are hoping for a timely resolve to this matter.

I've added your letter to our files and will try to keep you informed as this matter progresses. Feel free to contact our office at 327-7907 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tim Luke". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Tim Luke
Water Distribution

Enclosure (1)

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cc: Harold Jones, Eastern Region