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Carol C. Pope 2398 Highway Dr. Arco, ID 83213

RE: Letter of July 18, 2004; Mitigation Proposal

Dear Mrs. Pope:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) received your letter regarding ground water use for irrigation. In your letter, you stated that you have not, or do not plan to use your well for irrigation, and any continued use will be for domestic purposes only. Domestic use of ground water does not fall under the requirements of the July 12, 2004 letter regarding *Mitigation for Curtailment of Ground Water Rights ... Located in Water District 34*, *Big Lost River*. As such, you are not required to take any further action, or curtail ground water use after July 23, 2004.

Please contact myself, or Jennifer Berkey at the IDWR state office (208-327-7900) if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully,

Steve Burrell

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Robert Duke, Watermaster, Water District 34

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