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## VIA FACSIMILE, E-MAIL, AND EXPRESS MAIL

Sharla Cox Idaho Department of Water Resources Eastern Division 900 North Skyline Drive, Suite A Idaho Falls, ID 83402

Re: Intalco Aluminum Corporation's Protest of Application for Permit No. 75-13977 in the Name of Formation Capital Corporation

Dear Ms. Cox:

I am submitting the attached Intalco Aluminum Corporation's timely Notice of Protest of Application Permit No. 75-13977 in the name of Formation Capital Corporation. A check for the \$25.00 protest fee for Intalco's Notice of Protest was delivered earlier today to the state office by Bruce M. Smith. A copy of the check and the letter from Mr. Smith transmitting the check on behalf of Intalco are attached to this letter. In addition to the undersigned, please also copy M. Michael Sasser, Intalco's Idaho counsel, at the address below on all future correspondence relating to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Theodore L. Garrett William C. Boyd

Attachments

cc:

Formation Capital Corporation 812 Shoup Street Salmon, ID 83467

M. Michael Sasser, Esq. Sasser & Inglis, P.C. 3100 S. Vista Avenue, Suite 200 P.O. Box 16488 Boise, ID 83715 RECEIVED

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