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February 1, 2007

RE: Water Rights in Basin 79
Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)

Dear Water Right Claimant(s):

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (Department) mailed recommendations for the water right claims in Basin 79 on October 23, 2006. The Director's Report for Basin 79 was filed with the SRBA District Court on October 24, 2006. It was recently discovered that the General Provisions for Basin 79 were not included in the prior mailing. Therefore, you will find enclosed a one-page document entitled ***Basin 79 General Provisions***.

To give sufficient notice and time for those desiring to object to these General Provisions, the objection deadline in Basin 79 will be continued from February 28, 2007 to **June 13, 2007**. The response deadline will be continued from April 30, 2007 to **August 13, 2007**. Additionally, the SRBA District Court has agreed to continue the hearing on the uncontested recommendations to **September 18, 2007**.

If you have any questions, please contact the Northern Regional Office at: 208-762-2800; or the adjudication staff at the State Office at: 1-800-451-4129.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Donald V. Shaff', is written over a circular stamp or seal.

Donald V. Shaff
Adjudication Bureau Chief

Enclosure

cc: Northern Regional Office
SRBA District Court

BASIN 79 GENERAL PROVISIONS

The Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources recommends to the Snake River Basin Adjudication District Court that the following general provisions be included in the decree determining rights to water from Basin 79.

The following water rights from the following sources of water in Basin 79 shall be administered separately from all other water rights in Basin 79 in accordance with the prior appropriation doctrine as established by Idaho law:

<u>Water Right No.</u>	<u>Source</u>
None	None

The following water rights from the following sources of water in Basin 79 shall be administered separately from all other water rights in the Snake River Basin in accordance with the prior appropriation doctrine as established by Idaho law:

<u>Water Right No.</u>	<u>Source</u>
None	None

Except as otherwise specified above, all other water rights within Basin 79 will be administered as connected sources of water in the Snake River Basin in accordance with the prior appropriation doctrine as established by Idaho law.