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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

RICHARD PARROTT,
Petitioner,

vs.

THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER
RESOURCES and GARY SPACKMAN, in
his capacity as Director of the Idaho
Department of Water Resources,

Respondents.

Case No. CV-42-2015-4552

**MOTION FOR STATUS
CONFERENCE**

COME NOW Respondents, the Idaho Department of Water Resources (“the Department”) and Gary Spackman, in his capacity as Director of the Department, by and through their undersigned attorney of record, and ask the Court to set a status conference to discuss timing of settlement of the transcript and record in this matter.

This motion is based upon the following:

1. Pursuant to this Court's Order of December 14, 2015, the agency record and transcript in this matter is due to be lodged with the Department on or before December 28, 2015. The settled record and transcript is due to be lodged with the Court no later than January 25, 2016.

2. The Department has commenced preparation of the record. However, the transcript for the hearing held before the agency was not requested by the Petitioner prior to the filing of the Petition for Judicial Review. The Department contacted the Petitioner and provided him with an estimated cost of preparing the transcript. The Petitioner stated he would like to seek a less expensive reporter to prepare the transcript. Because of the delay in preparing the transcript, the Department will not be able to lodge the record and transcript with the Department by December 28, 2015. Because of the delay, it is unlikely that the Department will be able to lodge the record and transcript with the Court on January 25, 2016.

3. Given the uncertainty associated with when the transcript will be ready for filing with the Department, the Department requests a status conference to establish a deadline for finalization of the transcript by Petitioner and to establish new deadlines for lodging of the transcript and record.

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DATED this 23RD day of December, 2015.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 23rd day of December, 2015, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing document to be filed with the Court and served on the following parties by the indicated methods:

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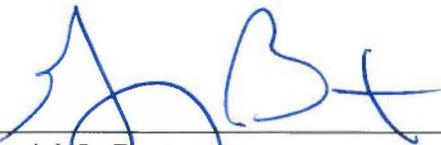
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