#### **BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

### OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR DELIVERY CALL OF A & B IRRIGATION DISTRICT FOR THE DELIVERY OF GROUND WATER AND FOR THE CREATION OF A GROUND WATER MANAGEMENT AREA

DOCKET NO. 37-03-11-1

STIPULATION AND JOINT MOTION TO AMEND PRE-HEARING SCHEDULE

COMES NOW, A&B IRRIGATION DISTRICT, and the undersigned parties (hereinafter

collectively referred to as "parties"), by and through their undersigned counsel of record (where

applicable), and hereby stipulate to the following and jointly move the Hearing Officer to enter

an Order approving the same without further notice of hearing, to-wit:

1. That the existing pre-hearing deadlines be revised and the following schedule be

adopted:

Deadline Description	A&B Hearing	
Deadline to file petition contesting the Director's material injury order and request a hearing on the Order pursuant to I.C. § 42-1701A(4)	1/30/08	
Deadline for updating expert reports previously disclosed; deadline for pre-filed direct testimony (required for retained consultants / optional for others), and all exhibits to be used at hearing with experts	2/19/08	
Deadline for rebuttal reports, pre-filed rebuttal testimony and all exhibits to be used in rebuttal	3/03/08	
Deadline to disclose all lay witnesses / identify all exhibits to be used at hearing with lay witnesses (as well as any pre-filed direct testimony for lay witnesses, if desired)	2/06/08	
Deposition deadline / discovery completed deadline	3/04/08	

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Written opening brief / trial brief (if desired)	3/05/08
Pre-hearing conference and hearing on pre- hearing motions	3/06/08
Hearing	3/18 - 4/4/08

2. The above proposed schedule assumes the Director will issue his material injury order on January 15, 2008. If the order is issued prior to that date, the parties may move to amend the pre-hearing schedule accordingly.

3. No party to this stipulation will seek a continuance of the above schedule, unless for death, illness, or similar circumstances beyond their control.

4. The parties to this stipulation agree to cooperate in good faith to timely complete pre-hearing discovery.

5. That the Director or Hearing Officer enter an Order approving this Stipulation and Joint Motion for Rescheduled Hearing and Order without oral argument or hearing.

6. This Stipulation and Joint Motion for Rescheduled Hearing and Order is made upon the grounds and for the reasons that the foregoing Stipulation will amend the pre-hearing schedule to allow the parties to review the Director's forthcoming order and identify issues and file any petitions and expert reports and testimony on that order for purposes of the hearing.

DATED this 26 day of November, 2007.

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DATED this 12th day of December, 2007.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 2007, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Stipulation and Joint Motion to Amend Pre-Hearing Schedule** was delivered by the methods indicated below, and addressed to each of the following:

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