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#### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

IN THE MATTER OF ACCOUNTING FOR DISTRIBUTION OF WATER TO THE FEDERAL ON-STREAM RESERVOIRS IN WATER DISTRICT 63 BEFORE THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES.

BALLENTYNE DITCH COMPANY, BOISE VALLEY IRRIGATION DITCH COMPANY, CANYON COUNTY WATER COMPANY, EUREKA WATER COMPANY, FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE DITCH COMPANY, MIDDLETON MILL DITCH COMPANY, MIDDLETON IRRIGATION ASSOCIATION, INC., NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT, NEW DRY CREEK DITCH COMPANY, PIONEER DITCH COMPANY, PIONEER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, SETTLERS IRRIGATION DISTRICT,

#### Supreme Court Docket No. 44745-2016

Ada County District Court No. CV-WA-2015-21376 (Consolidated Ada County No. CV-2015-21391)

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SOUTH BOISE WATER COMPANY, and THURMAN MILL DITCH COMPANY,

Petitioners,

VS.

BOISE PROJECT BOARD OF CONTROL, and NEW YORK IRRIGATION DISTRICT,

Petitioners-Appellants-Cross Respondents,

VS.

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

Respondents,

and

SUEZ WATER IDAHO, INC.,

Intervenor-Respondent-Cross Appellant.

COME NOW the parties to this matter, through their attorneys, and pursuant to Rules 34(e) and 46 of the Idaho Appellate Rules, and hereby stipulate and jointly move this Court to extend the deadline for filing Appellants' opening brief to May 26, 2017.

Counsel for the Department contacted counsel for the other parties to request an extension of time for filing its Appellants' brief in the companion appeal, Supreme Court Docket No. 44746-2016. Counsel did not oppose, but also asked that the Department broaden its request to apply to the briefing schedule in this appeal (44745-2016) and in the companion appeal, Supreme Court Docket No. 44677-2016, so that there will be uniformity in the briefing schedules. Accordingly, the

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parties request an extension of time for the filing of Appellants' opening brief to May 26, 2017, and will, by separate motion, request an extension of time for the filing of briefs in Supreme Court Docket Nos. 44677-2016 and 44746-2016. The Department has not previously requested an extension of time for filing briefs in this matter.

This motion is based upon the affidavit of counsel for the Department filed herewith.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 1st day of May 2017.

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