BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

IN THE MATTER OF THE NORTH SNAKE AND MAGIC VALLEY GROUND WATER IRRIGATION DISTRICTS' 2009 JOINT MITIGATION PLAN TO COMPENSATE BLUE LAKES TROUT FARM, INC. CM-MP-2009-001

IN THE MATTER OF THE A & B IRRIGATION DISTRICT'S 2009 MITIGATION PLAN TO COMPENSATE BLUE LAKES TROUT FARM, INC. CM-MP-2009-002

IN THE MATTER OF SOUTHWEST AND GOOSECREEK IRRIGATION DISTRICT MITIGATION PLAN CM-MP-2009-003

ORDER

(Water Right Nos. 36-02356a, 36-07210, and 36-07427)

On December 22, 2009, the interim director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources issued an *Order Granting Motion to Limit Scope of Hearing; Denying Motion to Strike Clear Springs' Protest; and Scheduling Order* ("Order Limiting Scope of Hearing"). On February 9, 2010, Blue Lakes Trout Farm, Inc. ("Blue Lakes") petitioned the interim director to reconsider his decision to limit the scope of the hearing. On February 23, 2010, the North Snake Ground Water District, the Magic Valley Ground Water District, and the City of Pocatello filed responses to Blue Lakes’ petition for reconsideration.

Having reconsidered the petition for reconsideration, the documents accompanying the petition, and the responses, the interim director finds the petition for reconsideration and supporting arguments to be unpersuasive, and reaffirms the previous decision.
ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the petition for reconsideration filed by Blue Lakes is Denied.

Dated this ___ day of April, 2010.

[Signature]

GARY SPACKMAN
Interim Director
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