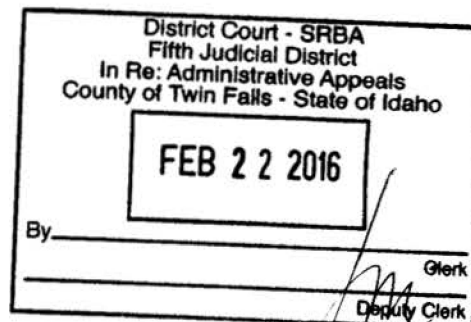


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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE  
 STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ADA**

**BALLENTYNE DITCH COMPANY, et al.;**

**Petitioners,**

**vs.**

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

**Respondents.**

**Case No. CV-WA-2015-21376  
 (Consolidated Ada County Case  
 No. CV-WA-2015-21391)**

**AFFIDAVIT OF DANIEL V.  
 STEENSON IN SUPPORT OF  
 STIPULATED MOTION FOR  
 EXTENSION OF BRIEFING  
 DEADLINES**

**IN THE MATTER OF ACCOUNTING FOR  
 DISTRIBUTION OF WATER TO THE FEDERAL  
 ON-STREAM RESERVOIRS IN WATER  
 DISTRICT 63**

STATE OF IDAHO )  
 ) ss.  
 County of Ada )

**Daniel V. Steenson, having been duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states as follows:**

1. I am over the age of 18 years, and make this affidavit based upon my personal knowledge.

**AFFIDAVIT OF DANIEL V. STEENSON IN SUPPORT OF  
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2. I am one of the attorneys representing the Ditch Companies in the above-captioned action.

3. The current briefing schedule, pursuant to *Procedural Order Governing Judicial Review of Final Order of IDWR*, dated December 23, 2015, is:

Petitioners' brief: February 23, 2016

Respondents' brief: March 22, 2016

Reply brief: April 12, 2016.

4. This is my first request for an extension of time.

5. A two-week extension of the current briefing schedule is requested because my wife will begin chemotherapy treatment for breast cancer next week when Petitioners' brief is currently due. The necessity and timing of this treatment was just recently determined, and my wife's healthcare during this time. Additionally, I was preoccupied with a two week trial which ran during the last week of January and the first week of February.

6. The briefing schedule proposed by this request is:

Petitioners' brief: March 8, 2016

Respondents' brief: April 5, 2016

Reply brief: April 26, 2016

7. I have contacted counsel for the Idaho Department of Water Resources, Suez Water Idaho, Inc. and Boise Project Board of Control and they have stated they have no objection to the briefing deadline schedule extension. A stipulated motion for extension of time is filed herewith.

8. This extension will provide adequate time to prepare and file the Ditch Companies' brief under the circumstances.

Further your affiant sayeth naught.

*Daniel Steenson*  
Daniel V. Steenson

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016.



*Deborah L. Long*  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2016, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing **AFFIDAVIT OF DANIEL V. STEENSON IN SUPPORT OF STIPULATED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF BRIEFING DEADLINES** to be served by the method indicated below, and addressed to the following:

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