

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

IN THE MATTER OF THE THIRD AMENDED  
MITIGATION PLAN FILED BY THE IDAHO  
GROUND WATER APPROPRIATORS FOR THE  
DISTRIBUTION OF WATER TO WATER RIGHT  
NOS. 36-02551 & 36-07694 IN THE NAME OF  
RANGEN, INC.

Docket No. CM-MP-2014-005

**ORDER AUTHORIZING  
DISCOVERY**

On June 10, 2014, the Director (“Director”) of the Idaho Department of Resources (“Department”) received a *Stipulation and Joint Motion to Authorize Discovery* (“Joint Motion”). In the Joint Motion, Rangen, Inc. (“Rangen”) and the Idaho Ground Water Appropriators, Inc. (“IGWA”) move the Director, pursuant to the Department’s Rule of Procedure 521, for an order authorizing discovery in this proceeding following the protest deadline which is July 7, 2014.<sup>1</sup> Rangen and IGWA further agreed to submit a request for a scheduling order after they have consulted with all those who have filed a protest in this matter.

**ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that parties to the above-titled mitigation plan are authorized to engage in discovery following the protest deadline of July 7, 2014.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that following the protest deadline of July 7, 2014, Rangen and IGWA shall confer with any additional protestants and submit a proposed scheduling order to the Director for consideration.

Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2014.

  
GARY SPACKMAN  
Director

<sup>1</sup> The Joint Motion states that the protest deadline is anticipated to be July 14, 2014. The notice was submitted to newspapers this week and publication is anticipated to start the following week. This would make the protest deadline July 7, 2014.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014, I served a true and correct copy of the *ORDER AUTHORIZING DISCOVERY* on the persons listed below by the method indicated.

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