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**BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO**

IN THE MATTER OF ROTATION  
CREDIT IN WATER DISTRICT 34,  
BIG LOST RIVER BASIN

**BLRID'S PETITION TO INTERVENE**

Big Lost River Irrigation District (BLRID), an irrigation district organized and operating pursuant to the laws of the State of Idaho, petitions the Director pursuant to Rules 350 through 354 of the Rules of Procedure of the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) to enter an order authorizing BLRID to intervene in the above entitled matter.

BLRID does not own natural flow water rights that are rotated into storage at Mackay Reservoir. However, BLRID storage rights are stored in Mackay Reservoir, and the manner in which natural flow rights are delivered can materially affect the delivery of storage rights and accounting for the delivery of natural flow and storage rights. BLRID is the only irrigation district located on the Big Lost River and has a direct and substantial interest in the outcome of this proceeding.

This petition is filed more than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for formal hearing. For the purposes of this proceeding the name and address of BLRID shall be:

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Counsel for BLRID will be out of town on May 26, 2016 and will not be able to participate in the pre-hearing conference scheduled that day, although other representatives of BLRID may be present for the pre-hearing conference. Counsel for BLRID is available on June 22, 2016, the date scheduled for the hearing in this matter.

Wherefore, BLRID requests that the Director enter an order granting this Petition and authorizing the intervention of BLRID into this proceeding.

Dated May 20, 2016



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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this 20 day of May, 2016, served the foregoing PETITION TO INTERVENE upon all parties of record in this proceeding, by mailing a copy thereof, properly addressed with postage prepaid, as follows:

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