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

IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST FOR)
ADMINISTRATION IN WATER DISTRICT 120)
AND THE REQUEST FOR DELIVERY OF WATER)
TO SENIOR SURFACE WATER RIGHTS BY)
A&B IRRIGATION DISTRICT,)
AMERICAN FALLS RESERVOIR DISTRICT #2,)
BURLEY IRRIGATION DISTRICT,)
MILNER IRRIGATION DISTRICT,)
MINIDOKA IRRIGATION DISTRICT,)
NORTH SIDE CANAL COMPANY, AND)
TWIN FALLS CANAL COMPANY)

**POCATELLO'S REPLY TO
RESPONSES TO
POCATELLO'S MOTION TO
EXTEND DEADLINES AND
POCATELLO'S REPLY IN
SUPPORT OF IGWA'S
SEPARATE MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME**

The City of Pocatello ("Pocatello") submitted a Motion for Extension of Deadlines and to Reset Hearing on April 27, 2006. May 2, 2006, the Idaho Ground Water Appropriators, Inc. ("IGWA") responded to Pocatello's motion and filed a separate motion for extension of time. See IGWA's Response to Pocatello's Motion for Extension of Time and IGWA's Separate Motion for Extension of Time (May 2, 2006). The Surface Water Coalition ("SWC") responded

to IGWA's and Pocatello's motions, proposing a different schedule. See SWC's Response to IGWA/Pocatello Extension Motions and Request for Status Conference (May 8, 2006). Thus, the Director has three different proposed schedules in front of him for consideration. For the following reasons, Pocatello adopts IGWA's schedule proposal:

1. IGWA's expert witnesses may be unavailable during part of the time period Pocatello proposed for hearing in this matter. Pocatello's witnesses and counsel are available for a 30-day hearing beginning September 5, 2006, as suggested by IGWA in its motion.
2. A hearing should begin as soon as possible. Additional time is not needed; all parties will have ample time to prepare for this hearing.

Respectfully submitted this 12th day of May 2006.

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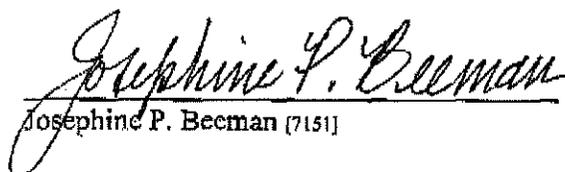
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