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

IDAHO GROUND WATER  
APPROPRIATORS, INC.,

Petitioner,

vs.

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER  
RESOURCES, and MATHEW WEAVER in his  
capacity as the Director of the Idaho Department  
of Water Resources.

Respondents.

Case No. CV01-24-10821

**STIPULATED  
MOTION TO EXTEND STAY**

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISTRIBUTION  
OF WATER TO VARIOUS WATER RIGHTS  
HELD BY AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF 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.

Intervenors.

IN THE MATTER OF IGWA'S SETTLEMENT  
AGREEMENT MITIGATION PLAN

Petitioner Idaho Ground Water Appropriators, Inc. (“IGWA”), Respondents Mathew Weaver and the Idaho Department of Water Resources (“IDWR”), and Intervenor American Falls Reservoir District No. 2, Minidoka Irrigation District, A&B Irrigation District, Burley Irrigation District, Milner Irrigation District, North Side Canal Company, and Twin Falls Canal Company (collectively, the “SWC”), hereby jointly move this Court for an order extending the stay of the above-captioned matter until November 1, 2024.

On July 8, 2024, the parties filed a *Stipulated Motion for Stay* requesting a stay of proceedings in this appeal. The motion was granted pursuant to the *Order Granting Stipulated Motion for Stay* entered July 12, 2024.

The parties requested a stay to enable them to focus their attention on cooperative negotiations to determine groundwater management and mitigation measures for 2025 and future years, and for the purpose of judicial economy. The parties have worked diligently to achieve this, holding numerous negotiating meetings since the stay was entered. The parties are currently working through final details of long-term mitigation plan that can be submitted to their respective boards for approval, and they desire to extend the stay of litigation in this matter until November 1, 2024, to enable them to complete that process.

Therefore, the parties respectfully move the court to extend the stay of this appeal until November 1, 2024.

RACINE OLSON, PLLP

October 1, 2024

Date



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OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

October 1, 2024

Date

/s/ Garrick L. Baxter

Garrick L. Baxter

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Date

/s/ Travis L. Thompson

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Burley Irrigation District, Milner Irrigation  
District, North Side Canal Company and Twin  
Falls Canal Company*

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October 1, 2024

Date

/s/ W. Kent Fletcher

W. Kent Fletcher  
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No. 2 and Minidoka Irrigation District*

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2024, I caused the foregoing document to be filed and served on the persons below via iCourt:

  
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