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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF UNITED WATER IDAHO INC. FOR)
AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES) CASE NO. UWI-W-04-04
AND CHARGES FOR WATER SERVICE IN)
THE STATE OF IDAHO)
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IDAHO RIVERS UNITED'S REPLY ON PETITION TO INTERVENE

Idaho Rivers United ("IRU") timely sought intervention in the above-captioned matter. United Water Idaho ("UWI") did not object to IRU's intervention, but stated: "United infers that IRU is interested in the Company's conservation practices and policies. If granted, IRU's petition should be restricted to that issue." UWI Response to Intervention Petitions at 3.

IRU does not object to limited intervention, but believes UWI's suggestion is too narrow. IRU intends to participate in this proceeding in regard UWI's rate design proposals as well as the Company's conservation practices and policies, including its funding and execution of conservation programs.

IRU respectfully requests that its petition to intervene be granted.

Dated: January 5, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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William M. Eddie, Attorney
Advocates for the West

On behalf of Idaho Rivers United

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 5th day of January 2005, true and correct copies of the foregoing IRU'S REPLY RE: PETITION TO INTERVENE were delivered to the following persons via the method of service noted:

Via Hand-Delivery:

Commission Secretary (Original and seven copies provided)
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