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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

| CASE NO. UWI-W-05- <u>0</u> 4 |
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| APPLICATION and REQUEST FOR MODIFIED PROCEDURE |
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COMES NOW, UNITED WATER IDAHO INC., hereinafter referred to as "Applicant" or "United Water" and, pursuant to Idaho Code Section 6 1-526 and IPUCRP 112 and 201, applies to the Commission to amend and revise its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity No. 143, as amended, to include areas located in Ada County and Canyon County, Idaho, as hereinafter set forth, and in support of this Application respectfully shows as follows, to-wit:

I.

Applicant is a public utility water corporation within the meaning of the Idaho Public Utility Law, is duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Idaho and engaged in conducting a general water business in and about Boise City, Ada County, Idaho and in Canyon County, having its principal office and place of business at 8248 West Victory Road, Boise, Idaho 83707.

II.

Communications in reference to this application should be addressed to:

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III.

A certified copy of Applicant's Articles of Incorporation, together with all amendments to date, is on file with the Commission.

IV.

For over 100 years, Applicant, together with its predecessors in interest, has owned and operated and now owns and operates an extensive and integrated water system in Boise City, Idaho, and in certain territory within Ada County in the vicinity of, but outside the present corporate limits of said Boise City, and renders general water service within such territory and to the inhabitants thereof.

V.

Applicant's current Certificate is Amended Certificate No. 143.

VI.

By this Application, United Water seeks to add seven (7) areas to its certificated service territory. The seven areas, each more fully discussed below, are depicted on the map with is attached hereto as Exhibit A and are denominated as follows:

- 1. Cloverdale Road;
- 2. Eagle & McMillan;

- 3. Hidden Springs/Cartwright Ranch;
- 4. LDS Church at Eagle Road;
- 5. LDS Church at Linder Road;
- 6. Lexington Meadows Subdivision;
- 7. Iron Horse;

With respect to each of the areas, none are within the authorized territory of any other public utility water corporation under the jurisdiction of the Commission. The extensions requested herein will not interfere with the operations of any other water utility corporation under the jurisdiction of the Commission. There are no known public entities, persons or corporations with whom the expansion is likely to compete. United Water will provide service to all the areas pursuant to its Tariff No. 1, General Metered Service, as the same exists or may hereafter be amended. In all respects service will be provided pursuant to United Water's Rules and Regulations as the same are now approved by the Commission or may hereafter may be amended.

VII.

Cloverdale Road. As more fully depicted on the map which is Exhibit B attached hereto, this expansion extends United Water's service boundary slightly to the west of its existing location. As residential development has occurred in the area, United Water has extended its lines and facilities into the area and is currently providing domestic water service in the area pursuant to its standard rules and regulations. The area is described in Exhibit C attached hereto.

VIII.

<u>Eagle & McMillan.</u> As more fully depicted on the map which is Exhibit D attached hereto, this expansion extends United Water's service boundary slightly west of its existing

boundary along Eagle Road. As residential development has occurred in the area, United Water has extended its lines and facilities into the area and is currently providing domestic water service in the area pursuant to its standard rules and regulations. The area is described in Exhibit E attached hereto.

IIX.

Hidden Springs/Cartwright Ranch. As more fully depicted on the map which is Exhibit F attached hereto, this expansion is adjacent to United Water's existing service territory encompassing the Hidden Springs planned community. Attached hereto as Exhibit G is the request by the developers of Hidden Springs for extension of water service into the area. Water service facilities will be extended into the area pursuant to United Water's Rules and Regulations governing extensions. The area is described in Exhibit H attached hereto.

IX.

LDS Church at Eagle Road. As more fully depicted on the map which is Exhibit I attached hereto, this expansion is located west of Eagle Road and south of Lake Hazel Road. Attached hereto as Exhibit J is the request on behalf of the LDS church for expansion into the area. Water service facilities will be extended into the area pursuant to United Water's standard Water Main Extension Agreement. The area is described in Exhibit K attached hereto.

X.

LDS Church at Linder Road. As more fully depicted on the map which is Exhibit L attached hereto, this expansion is located west of Linder Road and south of Columbia road. It is adjacent to United Water's existing non-contiguous Danskin service area. Exhibit J, attached hereto, is the request on behalf of the LDS church for expansion into the area. Water service

facilities will be extended into the area pursuant to United Water's standard Water Main Extension Agreement. The area is described in Exhibit M attached hereto.

XI.

Lexington Meadows. As more fully depicted on Exhibit N attached hereto, this expansion is west of McDermott Road and south of Overland Road in Canyon County, Idaho. Exhibit O, attached hereto is the request of the Lexington Meadows developer for expansion into the area. Water service facilities will be extended into the area pursuant to United Water's standard Water Main Extension Agreement. The area is described in Exhibit P, attached hereto.

XII.

Iron Horse As more fully depicted on Exhibit Q attached hereto, this expansion extends the boundaries of United Water's Danskin non-contiguous service area to include a proposed subdivision known as Iron Horse, the developer of which has requested service from United Water. The area is described in Exhibit R, attached hereto.

XIII.

The Applicant submits that the extension into these areas are consistent with the public convenience and necessity.

XIV.

Applicant does not believe that the public interest requires a hearing on the issues presented hereby and requests that the matter be processed by Modified Procedure.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests of the Commission:

- 1. That the Commission determine that a hearing is not required herein and process the matter by Modified Procedure.
 - 2. That the Commission approve the expansion of Applicant's service areas as herein

requested;

3. That the Commission authorize the preparation and filing of an Amended Certificate No. 143 to include the areas described herein; and

4. That the Commission grant such other and further relief as the Commission may determine proper herein.

DATED this 2 day of October, 2005.

UNITED WATER IDAHO INC.

By: Colly VM

Attorney for Applicant