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Thank you for participating in the Short-Term Instream Leasing Program. I want to express appreciation for your cooperation in helping to improve stream flows for fish and aquatic life. You will find that the Department did identify that we were not able to lease the full portion of Certificate 2650 you requested in the lease application. Based upon review of the information you provided to show that the water right was not subject to forfeiture due to enrollment in the Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP), the Department identified that part of the application was incomplete. A portion of the footprint for Certificate 2650 appears to be outside the boundaries covered by the CREP contract and associated map. We were, however, able to lease the portion of the right that appears to be inside the CREP boundaries.

Enclosed is a copy of the final order approving instream lease IL-1363.

If you have any questions, please call me at (503) 986-0884.

Sincerely,

Laura Wilke
Flow Restoration Program Coordinator

cc: Greg Silbernagel, Watermaster District 5
File IL-1363

Enclosure