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SUBJECT: Ground Water Registration Modification T-12483

Please find enclosed the Preliminary Determination indicating that, based on the information available, the Department intends to approve application T-12483. This document is an intermediate step in the approval process; water may not be used legally as proposed in the ground water registration modification application until a Final Order has been issued by the Department. Please read this entire letter carefully to determine your responsibility for additional action.

A public notice is being published in the Department's weekly publication and in the Oregonian newspaper, simultaneously with issuance of the Preliminary Determination. The notice initiates a period in which any person may file either a protest opposing the decision proposed by the Department in the Preliminary Determination or a standing statement supporting the Department's decision. The protest period will end 30 days after the last date of newspaper publication, whichever is later.

If no protest is filed, the Department will issue a Final Order consistent with the Preliminary Determination. You should receive a copy of the Final Order about 30 days after the close of the protest period.

If a protest is filed, the application may be referred to a contested case proceeding. A contested case provides an opportunity for the proponents and opponents of the decision proposed in the Preliminary Determination to present information and arguments supporting their position in a quasi-judicial proceeding.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 503-986-0814 or Jessica.L.Joye@oregon.gov, if I may be of assistance.

Sincerely,



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cc: GR Modification T-12483
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Encl.