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From: Dwight French, Water Rights and Adjudications Division Administrator

Date: July 2, 2007

RE: Fees for Hefferman Family Trust Ground Water Application

ORS 536.050 states, before describing what the fees are for each type of application, that the Department "may" collect the following fees in advance.

Because the Hefferman's attempted to have their application filed before the deadline (originally received in Salem on June 22, 2007) and then had the completed form and materials at the Baker City office on Friday, June 29, 2007 (the last day before the fee increase), the Department will exercise its authority to allow an applicant to pay a reduced fee in this case. For this application, the fee schedule in effect as of June 29, 2007, will be followed.

Approximately 13.6 cfs:

\$300 base \$200 1st cfs \$1300 additional cfs (\$100 for each additional cfs) \$250 permit recording fee \$2050 1046