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Mr. Robert L. Morgan, State Engineer  
Utah Division of Water Rights  
1636 West North Temple Street, Suite 220  
Salt Lake City, UT 84116

Re: Administration of 1958 Pot Creek Agreement

Dear Mr. Morgan:

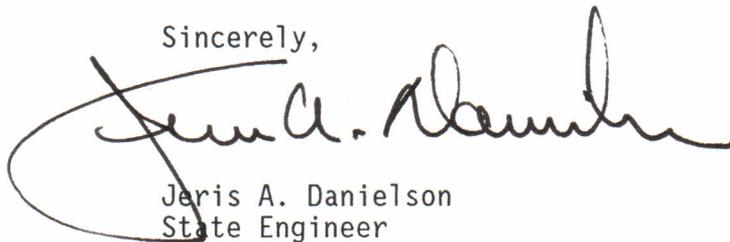
I am enclosing a copy of a letter dated August 27, 1990, which was sent to me by Mr. Dave Karren and others. These persons are owners of water rights on Pot Creek in Colorado and, as is clear, allege mis-administration by Utah officials of the waters of Pot Creek pursuant to the 1958 agreement between our two states.

I fully recognize that we have had severe drought in the region and that shortages of supply have occurred in many of our drainages; however, two elements brought out by Mr. Karren are of concern to me, particularly if they are true. Those items are the allegation that certain storage facilities in Utah have been enlarged without obtaining water rights and the fact that the person responsible for administration of Pot Creek is, in fact, an employee of the junior water rights owner that is benefiting from the alleged mis-administration, namely, the Utah Division of Wildlife.

I would respectfully request that you look into this matter and that you take whatever steps are necessary to assure the delivery to Colorado of her rightful entitlement.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Jeris A. Danielson  
State Engineer

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Enclosure (a/s)  
cc: Dave Karren (w/o enclosure)  
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