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Mayfield Irrigation Company
c/o Allen J. Frandsen, President
Centerfield, Utah

Twin Lakes Reservoir Company
Centerfield, Utah

New Field Reservoir Company
Centerfield, Utah

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to our meeting in Manti last month this office has reviewed the award to the Twin Lakes Reservoir Company set out on pages 172 and 173 of the Sevier River Decree.

We would suggest the following interpretation of the decree. The storage in the New Field, Dry Hole, and Twin Lakes reservoirs is tied to the physical channel on which they are located. Storage can be made from October 1 to July 1 in any year but since the decree provides that this award is to be a supplemental supply to irrigate the lands of the Twin Lakes Reservoir Company under the Mayfield Irrigation Company we are of the opinion that no storage could be made in these three reservoirs until Mayfield's prior direct flow right beginning April 1, is satisfied. However, this storage right of the Twin Lakes Reservoir Company bears an earlier priority than the storage rights of Mayfield in the Town and Bear Hole Reservoir, therefore, this award would be the first to store should water be available in a quantity in excess of the prior direct flow rights of Mayfield.

If any further discussion on this matter is desirable we would be glad to meet with you at a future time.

Yours very truly,

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