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Dear Sir:

Thank you for your letter dated July 11, 1994. We are pursuing purchasing or transferring of water rights to the Division of Wildlife.

Our original inquires to the Cedar City office questioned the amount of water being diverted to users. Although our measurement procedure was suspect, it still appeared that too much was being diverted. Our concern is that with no bubbler or other accurate measuring device present, adjustment at the control gates is arbitrary. Also with the varied flow of the river, corrections should possibly be made more frequently. A spillway off the main diversion canal set to the proper height might be a better solution than a gate.

We welcome your comments and will provide what resources we can to assure at least a minimum flow of water to the river below to diversion area. We are also seeking advice as to what the minimum flow should be to maintain wildlife and growth of vegetation.

Thank you continued help.

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