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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

**IN RE: THE GENERAL
ADJUDICATION OF RIGHTS TO
THE USE OF WATER FROM THE
KOOTENAI RIVER BASIN WATER
SYSTEM**

Case No. 89576

STATE OF IDAHO'S STATUS UPDATE

The State of Idaho hereby respectfully submits this Status Update based on the Court's September 19, 2025 Order denying the United States' and Idaho's *Joint Motion to Adopt Proposed De Minimis Procedures*. Based on the Court's Order, the State now reasserts its support of the *Petition to Commence Kootenai River Basin Adjudication* as

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set forth in its *Prehearing Statement and Memorandum of Law* filed with the Court on June 26, 2025.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of December 2025.

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