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OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES LICENSING BOARD**

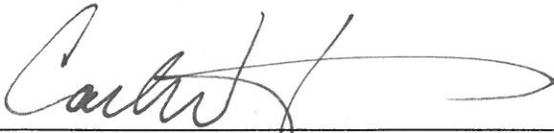
**SPECIAL MEETING
October 10, 2001**

A special teleconference meeting of the Idaho Outfitters and Guides Licensing Board was called to order at 7:55 AM, Wednesday, October 10, 2001. Members present via telephone included Chairman Wayne Hunsucker, Vice Chairman Scott Farr, Ray Lyon, Bill Bernt, and Will Judge. Executive Director Dean Sangrey and Board Counsel Steve Scanlin participated from the Board office in Boise.

Chairman Hunsucker opened the meeting and presented an overview of the discussion held in Riggins on Friday, September 28th. That meeting involved the Riggins area outfitters and representatives from the Bureau of Land Management, Idaho Department of Fish & Game, Idaho Outfitters and Guides Association, Board members Wayne Hunsucker and Ray Lyon, and Executive Director Sangrey.

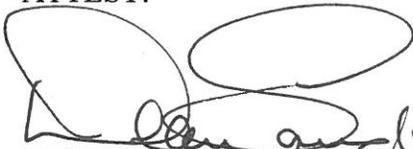
Ray Lyon expressed concerns about accepting the petition and whether that action would set a precedent for other areas. Bill Bernt asked about the history of special approvals granted by the Board in past years such as the action taken earlier this spring with the special opportunity for spring chinook fishing in this same area of the Salmon River at Riggins. Scott Farr and Will Judge expressed their general support for opening additional opportunity for other outfitter businesses if it can be accomplished without having a detrimental impact on the three existing businesses. The Board needs to determine the extent of support, or lack thereof, from the other affected agencies.

Following this discussion, MSC (Judge-Bernt) TO ACCEPT THE PETITION FILED WITH THE LICENSING BOARD BY FIVE RIGGINS-AREA BOATING OUTFITTERS AND THAT THE BOARD SOLICIT FORMAL COMMENT FROM THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT AND THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF FISH & GAME. UPON RECEIPT OF RESPONSES FROM THOSE AGENCIES, A DECISION WILL BE MADE REGARDING FURTHER RESEARCH AND PUBLIC SCOPING EFFORTS.



WAYNE HUNSUCKER, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:



DEAN SANGREY, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR