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Mr. David Barfield, P.E. Chief Engineer Division of Water Resources – KDA 1320 Research Park Drive Manhattan, Kansas 66502

RE: Hay Water Transfer

Dear Chief Engineer Barfield

I am writing today to ask that you do not sign into effect the Master Change Order until you have had a chance to review in detail the presentation by Dr. Andrew Keller at the June 21<sup>st</sup> meeting in Greensburg.

In particular I would like you to take a new look at the Consumptive Use Ananlysis on the R-9 Ranch. I would like you to sit down and discuss the new material with Dr. Keller. You will find him very easy to talk with and quite interesting to listen to. He's very knowledgeable on water issues and has world wide experience. I'm sure you will enjoy his open minded and broad based views as do many of us who share an engineering background. In short, he's brilliant, listen to him.

Let's work together to find a sustainable solution to Hay's and Russell's water issues.

Respectfully Yours,

Leroy Wetze

cc: Richard Wenstrom