

CHAPTER 228
(H.B. No. 258)

AN ACT
RELATING TO RATIFICATION OF THE FORT HALL INDIAN WATER RIGHTS AGREEMENT OF 1990 AND AUTHORIZATION FOR PAYMENT OF FILING FEES AND TO PROVIDE A CONTINGENCY IF THE AGREEMENT DOES NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. RATIFICATION OF FORT HALL INDIAN WATER RIGHTS AGREEMENT OF 1990. The 1990 Fort Hall Indian Water Rights Agreement executed by the Governor, the Attorney General and the Idaho Water Resource Board on July 5, 1990, and approved by the United States as Pub. L. No. 101-602, 104 Stat. 3059 (1990), is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed.

SECTION 2. AUTHORIZATION FOR PAYMENT OF FILING FEES. The Attorney General is hereby authorized to pay the filing fees required by the provisions of Section 42-1414, Idaho Code, for those water rights to be decreed as a part of the 1990 Fort Hall Indian Water Rights Agreement from the Attorney General's special litigation account upon approval of the Agreement by the general membership of the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes. In the event that the Agreement does not become effective as provided in Section 18 of the Agreement, any moneys paid pursuant to this section shall be refunded to the Attorney General's special litigation account.

Approved April 2, 1991.