## **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

## RS28555 / H0186

This bill amends Idaho Code 42-1409 and Idaho Code 42-1411 to create a presumption that (1) the priority date for stock water rights is the date of the original federal grazing authorization and (2) the current base property relates back to the base property associated with the original federal grazing authorization. The bill also amends information required to identify the legal description of stock water rights on federal grazing allotments and adds technical corrections.

## FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund or any dedicated fund nor does it require changes to the Idaho Department of Water Resources appropriations.

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