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**Colorado Water Conservation Board**

Department of Natural Resources

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**TO:** Bob Hurford, Division Engineer  
Division of Water Resources, Water Division 4

**FROM:** Robert Viehl, Stream and Lake Protection Section  
Colorado Water Conservation Board

**RE:** Request for Administration of the CWCB's Instream Flow Water Right on the Slate River

**DATE:** July 19, 2018

On behalf of the Colorado Water Conservation Board, I hereby request the water officials of the State of Colorado to administer in the priority system the Board's instream flow water right on the following segment of the Slate River, Water District 59, to preserve the natural environment to a reasonable degree.

Case No.	WDID	Upper Terminus	Lower Terminus	Amount (cfs)	Appropriation Date
80CW0092	5901506	confluence Coal Creek	confluence East River	12 (12/1 - 3/31) 23 (4/1 - 11/30)	03/17/1980

The SLATE R AB BAXTER GL @HWY 135 NR CRESTED BUTTE gage is in the reach and has been used to determine flow conditions are below the minimum for the decreed water right. The Board is hereby placing a written call for said instream flow water right to ensure that the full decreed amount of this water right is made available for the decreed beneficial use of preserving the natural environment to a reasonable degree. The effective date of this call is July 19, 2018 and the call is to be in effect until the end of the current irrigation year.

Signed:

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**CC:** Jason Ullmann, Assistant Division Engineer  
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