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July 28, 2011

Scott Raine, Chairman
Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners
1100 Valley Road
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Dear Chairman Raine:

We are writing this letter in response to your correspondence regarding our re-auctioning of a California Bighorn Heritage Tag. It should be noted that, although your correspondence was dated June 7, 2011, we did not receive it until July 13, 2011 via e-mail, so we consider this response timely. The NBU Board of Directors, with the advice of legal counsel, has a different interpretation of Nevada Law and has voted, therefore, to deny your request for payment of these funds to the Heritage Account. However, the NBU Board has also voted to allocate these funds for specific use in support of NDOW's trap and transplant program once the Board of Wildlife Commissioners has acted upon the same.

We would like to thank you for your acknowledgement of NBU's past contributions to NDOW and the Heritage Fund. We also look forward to continued work in the future with the Wildlife Commission and NDOW on behalf of Nevada's wildlife. Should the Commission have additional questions regarding this correspondence please contact us.

Sincerely,

Nevada Bighorns Unlimited

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steven W. Field". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Steven W. Field
President

cc: Members of the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners
Ken Mayer, NDOW – Director
County Advisory Boards to Manage Wildlife