WHEREAS, beginning on August 8, 2013 and continuing there is an imminent threat to life and property as a result of wildfires, within the State of Idaho; and

WHEREAS, very dry fuels, lightning, high winds and smoke have created this perilous situation; and

WHEREAS, damage to public property constitutes a significant threat to the life, property and the environment within the impacted wildfire areas;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho, by virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 46-1008 of the Idaho Code do hereby find and therefore proclaim and declare;

1. That a state of disaster emergency described in Section 46-1008, Idaho Code exists in the State of Idaho.

   (a) The nature of the emergency is the occurrence and imminent threat to public safety and property arising from wildfires.

   (b) The areas threatened by the disaster include Blaine, Boise, Camas, Custer, Elmore and Oneida counties.

   (c) The area subject to this shall be Blaine, Boise, Camas, Custer, Elmore and Oneida counties.

2. The state of disaster emergency proclaimed and declared on August 12, 2013, shall exist for a period of thirty days unless terminated, modified or unless extended for thirty-day increments.

3. This Proclamation, No. ID-01-2013 Idaho Wild Fires serves pursuant to section 46-1008, Idaho Code, as authorization for the resources of state government to assist in efforts to deal with the disaster emergency of wildfires due to severe heat, lightning and winds.

4. That the state of disaster emergency proclamation No. ID-01-2013 Idaho Wild Fires shall include Blaine, Boise, Camas, Custer, Elmore and Oneida counties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 12th day of August, in the year of our Lord two thousand and thirteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-eight and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred twenty third.

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER
GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE