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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

Klamath Project

EASEMENT FOR ACCESS ROAD

THIS INDENTURE, is made this 17 day of _____ 19 82, in accordance with the Act of Congress approved June 17, 1902 (32 Stat. 388) and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, all such acts being commonly known and referred to as the Federal Reclamation Laws, by and between the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, herein called the "United States," represented by the officer executing this instrument on its behalf, which officer, his successor and duly authorized representative are hereinafter severally called the "Contracting Officer" and VIRGINIA LEA LISKEY hereinafter styled "Grantee."

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, because no other access is available to Grantee's property, Grantee has requested that the United States grant them an easement to cross the United States land for purposes of ingress and egress; and

WHEREAS, the United States has, at this time, no objection to such use and has determined that the grant of such an easement will not be incompatible with the purpose for which said parcel was acquired and is being administered;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The United States hereby conveys to Grantee, without warranty of title, a permanent, nonexclusive right, privilege, and easement to construct, operate, and maintain an access road in, on, over and across that portion of United States withdrawn land described as follows:

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A strip or parcel of land in the Northeast quarter (NE4) of Section Six (6) and the Northwest quarter (NW4) of Section Five (5), Township Forty-one (41) South, Range Nine (9) East, W.M., County of Klamath, State of Oregon; said strip or parcel having a uniform width of Thirty (30) feet, where measured at right angles or radially, lying within Fifteen (15) feet on each side of the following described centerline:

Beginning at a point on the North line of said Section Six (6) distant South 89018'10" East 5,250.35 feet from the Northwest corner of said section; said point also being in the existing centerline of the westerly operating road of the Klamath Straits Drain; thence along the centerline of said operating road as follows: South 0º19'20" West 1,345.5 feet to the beginning of a curve concave to the Northeast having a radius of 633.7 feet; thence southerly and southeasterly 631.86 feet along said curve through a central angle of 57007'50"; thence South 56048 30" East 1,385.66 feet to the South line of the Northwest quarter of said Section Five (5). The sideline boundaries are to be lengthened or shortened, as the case may be, so as to begin in said North line and to terminate in said South line. Containing an area of 2.32 acres, more or less.

and as shown on the print of United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Reclamation Drawing No. 12-201-5300, marked "Exhibit A," attached hereto and made a part hereof.

2. The rights herein granted are subject to the right of the United States to use said access road and to existing rights in favor of the public or third parties for highways, roads, railroads, telegraph, telephone and electric transmission lines, canals, laterals, ditches, flumes, siphons, and pipelines.

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3. All construction, reconstruction, operation and maintenance of said access road shall be done in accordance with good engineering standards and in keeping with plans approved in advance by the Contracting Officer and shall be constructed, operated and maintained in such a manner as not to interfere with existing or future uses made by the United States of said land.

4. Grantee hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the United States, its agents and employees, from any loss or damage and from any liability on account of personal injury, death, or property damage of any nature whatsoever and by whomsoever made arising out of the Grantee's activities under this easement.

5. The waiver of a breach of any of the provisions hereof shall not be deemed to be a waiver of a subsequent breach of the same provision or of any other provision hereof.

6. This easement is granted for and limited to the specific purposes set forth in Article 1 hereof, and the issuance of this instrument shall not constitute nor be construed as a surrender or subordination to Grantee of the jurisdiction or supervision of the United States, its successors and assigns, over the remaining interests of the United States in the land herein described.

7. The terms and provisions of this agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and assigns of the parties hereto.

8. If Grantee ceases to use the easement for an access road herein conveyed, such easement shall terminate and the Grantee may be required, at the discretion of the United States, to remove all structures and restore the land to its original condition.

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9. The Grantee warrants that no person or agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure this conveyance upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee excepting bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial agencies maintained by the Grantee for the purpose of securing business. For breach or violation of this warranty, the United States shall have the right to annul this conveyance without liability or in its discretion to require Grantee to pay full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage or contingent fee to the United States.

10. No member of or delegate to Congress or resident Commissioner shall be admitted to any share or part of this conveyance or to any benefit that may arise herefrom, but this restriction shall not be construed to extend to this conveyance if given to a corporation or company for its general benefit.

11. The attached statement marked "Exhibit B" entitled <u>Reclamation</u> <u>Land-Use Stipulation</u>, is by reference incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this instrument to be executed as of the date first above written.

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

By Regional Director ino

Mid-Pacific Region Bureau of Reclamation

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)) ss. County of Sacramento)

On this 17 day of ______, 19 <u>82</u>, before me, <u>Melba E. Nakungs</u>, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared <u>M. A. Catino</u>

Regional Director, Bureau of Reclamation, Mid-Pacific Region, personally (known to me) (proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Notary Public in and for the Count of Sacramento, State of California





EXHIBIT "B"

LAND-USE STIPULATION

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The United States has granted this easement for special use as a(n)access road____.

The United States retains the right of full possession and use of the lands located in the easement, while it remains in effect, to the extent that the United States does not interfere with the right of special use granted to the holder of this easement.

As part of the United States continuing noninterfering possession and use of the easement, the United States will not be liable for any minor damage or wear to the easement, or to the easement holder's personal property which can normally be expected because of reasonable uses which the United States may carry out on the easement.

If the United States damages or causes unreasonable wear to the easement lands, or the easement holder's personal property used on the easement, the United States will repair or replace the damage at its own expense.

The United States reserves the right to terminate this easement, or part of it, when easements lands are needed for the construction, operation and maintenance of structures and works needed for the <u>Klamath</u> Project.

Some examples of structures and works include lands, wasteways, laterals, ditches, roadways, electrical transmission lines, dams, dikes, reservoirs, pipelines, telephone and telegraph lines, communication structures, sub-stations, switchyards and powerplants, but there may be others.

Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph, as an alternative to terminating the easement, the United States will, in all appropriate situations, use its best efforts to cooperate with the easement holder in order to adopt modified construction or use plans which will not interfere with and result in the termination of the easement. If the United States construction or use costs are increased because of these modifications, the easement holder agrees to pay the reasonable increased costs. However, the easement holder may reduce or eliminate the United States increased costs by agreeing to appropriate modifications of the easement.

Should a difference of cpinion arise between the United States and the easement holder regarding the rights which the United States has reserved by this stipulation, then both parties agree that the Secretary of the Interior shall act as arbitrator and his decision will be final and binding on all parties.

STATE OF DRESCN; COUNTY OF KLAMATH; SS.

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