

BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

Umatilla County

IN THE MATTER OF AN EXTENSION  
OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO BEGIN  
AND COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION AND  
MAKE COMPLETE APPLICATION OF  
WATER UNDER PERMIT NO. R-584  
AND NO. 7400 IN THE NAME OF  
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

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EXTENDING TIME LIMITS

The United States of America, Bureau of Reclamation, is the holder of permit No. R-584 for the storage of 75,000 acre feet of water from McKay and Birch Creeks and permit No. 7400 for the appropriation of the stored water for supplemental irrigation.

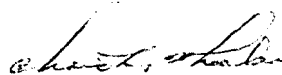
The Bureau has advised the State Engineer that the appropriation described in the permits has not been made, but it is its desire to preserve the right for this development.

Planning studies on the Umatilla Basin have been completed, and construction of McKay Dam and Reservoir, with the exception of diversion from Birch Creek to the reservoir, has also been completed. Definite plans as to the Birch Creek diversion will not be available until December 1967.

It is believed that it will be consistent with public interest to grant the extension for which application has been made.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that the time limits for beginning of construction, completion of construction and for complete application of water under the terms of permits numbered R-584 and 7400 be extended to October 1, 1968.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 6th day of July 1966.



CHRIS L. WHEELER  
State Engineer