BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

Deschutes County

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF PORTLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY FOR)
THE APPROVAL OF A CHANGE IN PLACE)
OF USE OF WATER FROM DESCHUTES)
RIVER)

ORDER

APPROVING APPLICATION

On September 25, 1962, Portland Mortgage Company of Portland, Oregon, filed an application in the office of the State Engineer for the approval of a change in place of use of water from Deschutes River, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

By decree of the Circuit Court for Deschutes County, Oregon, entered September 50, 1958, In the Matter of the Determination of the Relative Rights to the Use of the Waters of Deschutes River and its Tributaries, a water right was established in the name of Deschutes Reclamation and Irrigation Company for the irrigation of, among other lands, 11.0 acres in the SE½ NE½, Section 18, Township 17 South, Range 12 East, W. M., with a date of priority of September 1, 1899, said 11.0 acres being tabulated in the name of Ralph Cake.

The applicant herein, owner of 5 acres of the land above described, proposes to transfer the water right therefrom without loss of priority to 2 acres in the E_2^1 SW $_2^1$ NW $_3^1$ and 3 acres in the SE $_2^1$ NW $_3^1$, Section 29, Township 16 South, Range 12 East, W. M., owned by James A. Elder.

Notice by publication as provided by ORS 540.520 was not given in connection with this application for the reason that said section provides notice is not required on an application for a change in place of use of water only.

The linds involved herein are within the boundaries of the Deschutes Reclamation and Irrigation Company and the Board of Directors of said Company approved the proposed change in place of use of water at a regular meeting held September 10, 1962.

No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed change in place of use of water from Deschutes River may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the proposed change in place of use of water be and the same is approved and that the water right hereinbefore described as appurtenant to 5.0 acres in the SEZ NEZ, Section 18, Township 17 South, Range 12 East, W. M., owned by Portland Mortgage Company, with a date of priority of September 1, 1899, be severed therefrom and simultaneously and without loss of priority transferred to 2 acres in the Et SWt NWt and 3.0 acres in the SEt NWt, Section 29, Township 16 South, Range 12 East, W. M., owned by James A. Elder.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1963, or within such extension of time as may be granted by the State Engineer for good cause shown.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that upon receipt of proof satisfactory to the State Engineer of complete application of water to beneficial use on the lands to which the water is transferred hereby, certificate of water right shall be issued to Deschutes Reclamation and Irrigation Company at the time certificate is issued to the Company confirming other transfers within the Company.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 8th day of October, 1962.

Noted on Decree V.1.16, p.171

Cert. # 29054

CHRIS L. WHEELER

State Engineer