

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF CANCELLATION)
OF A PORTION OF A WATER RIGHT)
IN THE NAME OF FRED C. PARR)

O R D E R

The Water Resources Department (Department) received an affidavit from the owners of lands stating that they have abandoned the water right appurtenant to their land and requesting the cancellation of the certificate. Whenever the owner of a perfected and developed water right abandons the right, an order canceling the right shall be entered. The Water Resources Director has reviewed the affidavit and makes the following disposition of the request:

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Department received an affidavit from Kenneth and Deborah M. Quintal. The affidavit states they are the owner of lands and the water right appurtenant as evidenced by a portion of Certificate 13115, State Record of Water Right Certificates. The affidavit further states that portion of the right has been abandoned and requests its cancellation.

Certificate 13115 allows for the use of water from the Little Walla Walla River for irrigation of 9 acres with a date of priority of 1908 and 1 acre with a date of priority of 1885.

The portion of Certificate 13115 which has been abandoned is for the use of water from the Little Walla Walla River for irrigation of 2.44 acres under a priority date of 1908 within the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 35 East, WM.

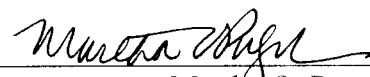
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Whenever the owner of a perfected and developed water right certifies under oath to the Water Resources Commission that the water right has been abandoned by the owner and that the owner desires cancellation thereof, the Commission shall enter an order canceling the water right (ORS 540.621).

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the right described by Certificate 13115, State Record of Water Right Certificates, allowing for the use of water from the Little Walla Walla River for irrigation of 2.44 acres described above is canceled and a new certificate of water right describing that portion of the water right not canceled by the provisions of this order be issued.

Dated March 22, 1999



Martha O. Pagel, Director