BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

Linn County

IN THE MATTER OF)						
THE CANCELATION OF A WATER RIGHT)		0	<u>R</u>	D	E	<u>R</u>

On February 14, 1972, Frank R. and Lois Ann Lewis submitted an affidavit that they are the owners of a water right and the lands to which the right is appurtenant; that they have abandoned any and all interest in and to said water right and request the same to be canceled.

The water right in question is for the use of not to exceed 0.15 cubic foot per second of the waters from Hamilton Creek for the irrigation of 0.5 acre in SEŁ NWŁ and 11.0 acres in NEŁ SWŁ, Section 25, Township 12 South, Range 1 West, W.M., with a date of priority of May 27, 1953, and is evidenced by certificate of water right recorded at page 21344, Volume 15, State Record of Water Right Certificates.

That part of the water right evidenced by said certificate for the appropriation of not to exceed 0.18 cubic foot per second of the waters of Hamilton Creek for irrigation of 14.6 acres in NW½ SE½, Section 25, Township 1 South, Range 1 West, W.M., with a date of priority of May 27, 1953, is not in question.

ORS 540.621 provides: "Whenever the owner of a perfected and developed water right certifies under oath to the State Engineer that the water right has been abandoned by him and that he desires cancelation thereof, the State Engineer shall enter an order canceling the water right."

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the right for the use of not to exceed 0.15 cubic foot per second of the waters of Hamilton Creek for the irrigation of 0.5 acre in SE½ NW½ and 11.0 acres in NE½ SW½, Section 25, Township 12 South, Range 1 West, W.M., with a date of priority of May 27, 1953, is canceled.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 30th day of March 1972.

CHRIS L. WHEELER State Engineer