

**BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OF THE
STATE OF OREGON**

In the Matter of the Proposed Short-Term)	DETERMINATION and
Lease of Existing Water Rights for Instream)	FINAL ORDER ON
Use, Certificate 76358, Deschutes County,)	PROPOSED INSTREAM
Oregon)	LEASE

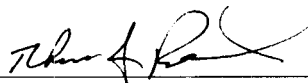
Short-term Lease Agreement number 142 which proposed to lease a portion of Certificate 76358 for instream purposes was submitted to the Department by:

Lessor:
Central Oregon Irrigation District
2598 North Highway 97
Redmond OR 97756

The reach of the instream right created by this agreement will be in the Deschutes River from river mile 165 (North Canal Dam), downstream to river mile 120 (Lake Billy Chinook). The rate is 0.441 cubic feet/ second. The total volume to be leased is 144.83 acre feet.

The lease is effective until October 31, 2001. The Department concludes that the lease is consistent with the requirements of ORS 537.348 and OAR Chapter 690, Division 77. Therefore, it is ORDERED that the Short-Term Lease described herein is APPROVED.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 13 day of July, 2000.



For Paul R. Cleary
Director

This is a final order in other than contested case. This order is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60 day time period specified by ORS 183.484(2). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-080 and OAR 690-01-005 you may either petition for judicial review or petition the Director for reconsideration of this order.