## BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

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IN THE MATTER OF EXTENSION OF
TIME WITHIN WHICH TO BEGIN
CONSTRUCTION, COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION AND MAKE COMPLETE
APPLICATION OF WATER UNDER
PERMIT NO. R-877 AND PERMIT
NO. 17783, IN THE NAME OF
CITY OF EMPIRE

ORDER

EXTENDING TIME

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The City of Empire, Oregon, is the holder of Permit No. R-577, granting a right to the construction of a reservoir and the storage of 52.34 acre feet of water in Upper and Middle Empire Lakes, and Permit No. 17763, granting a right to the use of 2.0 cubic feet of water per second from Upper and Middle Empire Lakes for municipal use.

The time limits for beginning of construction according to the terms of the permits expired, July 3, 1948.

The City of Empire has submitted to the State Engineer two applications for extension of time indicating that although funds needed to proceed with construction under the permits are not available at this time, it is its desire to preserve the rights in question so that when the necessary moneys are available, probably within two years, construction can proceed.

It is considered by the State Engineer that the preservation of the water right in question is consistent with the public interest and

IT IS THEREFORE HEREFY ORDERED that the time limits under Permit No. R-877 and Permit No. 17783, in the name of the City of Empire, be and the same are hereby extended as follows: for beginning of construction until October 1, 1950, for completion of construction until October 1, 1951 and for complete application of water until October 1, 1952.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 25th day of August, 1948.

CHAS. E. STRICKLIN

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State Engineer