BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

DESCHUTES COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF CANCELLATION)	
OF PORTION OF WATER RIGHTS)	ORDER
IN THE NAMES OF R.M. WRIGHT AND)	
MARION E. BURKHARDT)	

On August 27, 1981, Charles R. Topping submitted an affidavit that he is the owner of certain water rights and the lands to which the water rights are appurtenant; that he has abandoned any and all interest in and to the said water rights and requests the same be canceled.

The water rights in question were established by Decree of Circuit Court for Crook County, entered May 1, 1911, and September 19, 1914, in the Matter of the Determination of the Relative Rights to the Use of the Waters of Squaw Creek, tabulated in the name of R.M. Wright, at page 127, Volume 1, Order Record of the Water Resources Director, and described by the certificate recorded at page 302, Volume 1, State Record of Water Right Certificates, for irrigation of 13.0 acres in NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 26, Township 15 South, Range 10 East, WM, with a date of priority of November, 1904; and tabulated in the name of Marion E. Burkhardt at page 475, Volume 1 of said Order Record, and described by the certificate recorded at page 850, Volume 1, said Record of Water Right Certificates, for irrigation of 12.0 acres in said NW 1/4 NE 1/4, with a date of priority of 1904.

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

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that the said water rights, being portions of the rights described by the certificates recorded at pages 302 and 850, Volume 1, State Record of Water Right Certificates, are canceled.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 9th day of February, 1982.

JAMES E. SEXSON,

Director