BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) OF WALTER DUDA FOR THE APPROVAL) OF A CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE OF

CRDER APPROVING TRANSFER NO. 2628

On April 12, 1972, Walter Duda filed an application in the office of the State Engineer for the approval of a change in place of use of water from Butte Creek, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530. The Control of the Miller Seat

Certificate of water right recorded at page 33193, Volume 25, State Record of Water Right Certificates, confirmed a right to the appropriation of 0.37 c.f.s. of water from Butte Creek for the irrigation of 34.9 acres with a date of priority of April 12, 1961. On July 24, 1970, an order was entered wherein the rights become appurtenent to the fellowing lands: 4.5 acres in NEW NEW, 18.3 acres in SWK NEX. 7.1 acres in SEK NEX. D.5 acres in NEX NWX, and 4.5 acres in SEX NWX. Section 36, Township 5 South, Range 1 West, W.M. Satisfactory proof has been submitted to the State Engineer that water has been applied beneficially to these lands.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to transfer the water right appurtenant to 21.4 acres in SWK NEX. 4.5 acres in SEX NEX. and 2.2 acres in SEX NWK, Section 36, Township 5 South, Range 1 West, W.M., therefrom, without loss of priority, to 4.2 acres in NE% NE%, 10.6 acres in NWW NE%, 1.1 acres in SWA NEX. D.5 acres in SEX NEX. 1.5 acres in NEX NWX, and D.2 acres in SEX NUX. Section 36. Township 5 South, Range 1 West, W.M.

Notice by publication as provided by ORS 540.520 was not given in connection with this application for the reason that said section provides notice is not required on an application for a

change in place of use of water.

Mr. Mike Ricks, Watermaster of District 16, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed change in place of use of water may be made without injury to existing rights.

No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed change in place of use of water may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the proposed change in place of use of water is approved and the water right hereinbefore described as appurtenant to 11.4 acres in SWA NEW, 4.5 acres in SEM NEW, and 2.2 acres in SEM NEW, Section 36, Township 5 South, Range 1 West, W.M., with a date of priority of April 12, 1961, be severed therefrom and simultaneously and without loss of priority, transferred to 4.2 acres in NEW NEW, 10.6 acres in NEW NEW, 1.1 acres in SWM NEW, 0.5 acres in SEMNEW, 1.5 acres in NEW NEW, and 0.2 acres in SEM NEW, Section 36, Township 5 South, Range 1 West, W.M.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1973.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that no new certificate be issued as provided by the order entered July 24, 1970, and upon receipt of preof satisfactory to the State Engineer of application of water to beneficial use, a certificate of water right shall be issued to walter Duda confirming the extent to which the water has been applied beneficially and covering the balance of the lands not involved in this proceeding.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, whis 6th day of June, 1972.

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CHRIS L. WHEELER State Engineer