

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
JOSEPH M. TATONE (WEST EXTENSION)
IRRIGATION DISTRICT) FOR APPROVAL)
OF A CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE OF WATER)

ORDER APPROVING
TRANSFER 5157

On November 15, 1982, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Joseph M. Tatone for approval of a change in place of use of water from Umatilla River, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

The certificate recorded at page 10142, Volume 9, State Record of Water Right Certificates, in the name of U.S. Reclamation Service, describes a right which includes the use of water from Umatilla River, for irrigation of 6.0 acres in SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 10 and 19.5 acres in NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 11, Township 4 North, Range 25 East, WM, with a date of priority of 1909.

These lands also have a supplemental right under Permit 33883 for the use of water from Columbia River.

Water for the said right is diverted through the West Extension Ditch.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to sever the right therefrom and, without loss of priority, to irrigate in lieu thereof 25.5 acres in SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 23, Township 4 North, Range 24 East, WM.

Steven P. Applegate, Watermaster, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed change in place of use may be made without injury to existing rights.

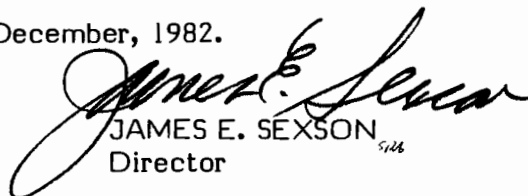
No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed change in place of use may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the requested change in place of use, as described herein, without loss of priority, is approved.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1984.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that upon proof satisfactory to the Water Resources Director of complete application of water to beneficial use on the lands to which the water is transferred hereby, a certificate of water right shall be issued to West Extension Irrigation District confirming this and prior changes within the District.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 20th day of December, 1982.


JAMES E. SEXSON
Director

NOTE: The approval of a water right transfer application does not confirm the status of the right in regard to the provisions of ORS 540.610 pertaining to forfeiture or abandonment.