

**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 49438, Benton County,)	PROPOSED INSTREAM
Oregon)	LEASE

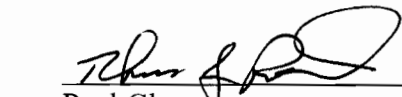
Short-term lease agreement number LA# 163 which proposed to lease all of certificate 49438 for instream purposes was submitted to the Department by:

Lessor
Jim & Irene Childears
28668 Lakeside Dr.
Corvallis, Or. 97333

Trustee
Oregon Water Resources Department
158 12th Street NE
Salem, Or. 97301

The lease will terminate on October 31st, 2000. 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 26 day of September, 2000.



Paul 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.