BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Application for Extension)	FINAL ORDER APPROVING AN
of Time for Transfer of Water Right)	EXTENSION OF TIME
T-4842, Klamath County, Oregon)	

Applicant.

Nevin Cattle Company 19646 Webber Road Klamath Falls, OR 97603

Findings of Fact

- 1. The Water Resources Department issued an order approving Transfer Application T-4842 in the name of Nevin Cattle Company, on October 26, 1981. The order was recorded in Special Order Volume 35, at Page 313. The order set a transfer completion date of October 1, 1983.
- 2. The Water Resources Department issued a proposed order to cancel the place of use due to failure to complete the transfer conditions in the transfer order. The proposed order was mailed December 22, 2010.
- 3. On March 11, 2011, the Department received an application for extension of time for transfer of water right T-4842 from Pat Venable for Nevin Cattle Company.
- 4. The transfer application was applied for by the original owners, however, the original owners have passed away and the heirs were unaware of the deficiencies associated with the transfer.
- 5. To fully complete the change, it will be necessary for the heirs to install a conveyance system for the amount of water permitted to the approved place of use and beneficially use the water allowed in the order.
- 6. The landowner has requested that the time for completion of beneficial use be extended to October 1, 2013.

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 137-004-0080 you may either petition for judicial review or petition the Director for reconsideration of this order. A petition for reconsideration may be granted or denied by the Director, and if no action is taken within 60 days following the date the petition was filed, the petition shall be deemed denied.

Conclusions of Law

Pursuant to OAR 690-380-6020, the Director of the Water Resources Department concludes the applicant has shown reasonable diligence to complete the transfer within the time period established by the order approving Transfer Application T-4842.

Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:

The time for completion of beneficial use authorized by T-4842 shall be extended to October 1, 2013.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 31 day of Murch, 2011

Dwight Brench, Water Rights Services Administrator for

PHILLIP C. WARD, DIRECTOR

Mailing date: _____ APR 0 1 2011