



STATE OF OREGON

GRANT COUNTY "CERTIFICATE NO. 62187"

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

This is to certify that I have examined APPLICATION 63944 and do hereby grant the same SUBJECT TO EXISTING RIGHTS INCLUDING THE APPROPRIATE MINIMUM FLOW POLICIES ESTABLISHED BY THE WATER POLICY REVIEW BOARD and the following limitations and conditions:

This permit is issued to Jack R. and Enola M. Benson of 413 SW Brent, John Day, Oregon 97845, phone 575-0669, for the use of the waters of Canyon Creek, a tributary of John Day River, for the PURPOSE of irrigation; that the PRIORITY OF THE RIGHT dates from August 24, 1982, and is limited to the amount of water which can be applied to beneficial use and shall not exceed 0.005 cubic foot per second measured at the point of diversion from the stream, or its equivalent in case of rotation with other water users.

The POINT OF DIVERSION is to be LOCATED: 1,290 feet South and 450 feet East from the Northwest Corner of the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 26, being within the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 26, Township 13 South, Range 31 East, WM, in the County of Grant.

A description of the PLACE OF USE under the permit, and to which such right is appurtenant, is as follows:

Township 13 South Range 31 East, WM Section 26 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 0.1 acre

The AMOUNT OF WATER used for irrigation, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, shall be limited to 1/40 of one cubic foot per second per acre, from direct flow and shall be further limited to a diversion of not to exceed 4.0 acre-feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year, and shall conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

Actual construction work shall begin on or before October 20, 1983 and shall thereafter be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before October 1, 1984.

Complete application of the water to the proposed use shall be made on or before October 1, 1985.

WITNESS my hand this 20th day of October, 1982.

/s/ JAMES E. SEXSON

WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR