BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF OREGON

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In the Matter of Transfer Application T-7507, Grant County, Oregon ORDER REVERTING POINT OF DIVERSION

Authority

OAR 690-380-6010(6) provides that a point of diversion or appropriation shall revert to the last authorized point of diversion or appropriation if the changes authorized under a transfer are not completed.

Applicant

Chouinard Family Trust Robert Chouinard Trustee 45944 Highway 26 Dayville, OR 97825

Findings of Fact

- 1. On February 22, 2000, Tara Trust filed an application to add points of diversion under Certificate 59122. The Department assigned the application number T-7507.
- 2. On June 16, 2011, the Water Resources Department issued an assignment from Tara Trust to Chouinard Family Trust/ Robert Chouinard Trustee.
- 3. On February 28, 2002, the Water Resources Department issued an order approving the proposed additional points of diversion. The order was recorded in Special Order Volume 56, Page 74.
- 4. On November 28, 2011, Robert Chouinard notified the Department that this change authorized under T-7507 would not be completed and requested that the authorized points of diversion revert back to the original point of diversion.

This is a final order in other than a 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 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.

Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:

The points of diversion authorized under Application T-7507 related to Certificate 59122 are reverted to the point of diversion authorized under the water right prior to the transfer. A superseding certificate for the rights affected by the transfer shall be issued.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 10 day of Gprif_____, 2012

Dwight French, Water Right Services Administrator, for PHILLIP C. WARD, DIRECTOR