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Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
Transfer Comment Form

OWRD

FAX 523-7866

Reference: Transfer # 8828

We have reviewed the application for transfer and provide the following comments:

Please check one of the boxes related to potential injury to water rights.☒ There does not appear to be a potential for injury to instream or other water rights as a result of the transfer.☐ We believe that the transfer would injure the instream or other water right(s) on _____, tributary to _____. The nature of the injury is as follows: _____

(Please attach any available supporting information.)

Please check one of the boxes related to requiring a fish screen or by-pass device.

- ☐
- Pursuant to ORS 540.525 or 540.532, a condition should be included in any order approving the transfer to require the installation of a fish screen or by-pass device to prevent fish from leaving (source) and entering the diversion. The existing point of diversion is:
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- ☐
- Equipped with an appropriate fish screening or by-pass device; or
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- ☐
- Included on the priority list of screening projects established pursuant to section 8, chapter 933, Oregon Laws 1989.

The applicant should contact the following person to obtain additional information on the plans and specifications for the required fish screen or by-pass device and to obtain information about ODFW's cost sharing program for screening and by-pass devices:

ODFW staff name: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Phone: (____) _____☒ A fish screen or by-pass device should not be required as a condition of approval of the transfer. *We are currently working with Mr. Novotny to screen diversions. This diversion will not in itself increase risk to fish but we would eventually like to have it screened as well as others on the property.*

Signature

Printed Name

Title

Please return this form to CARRIE JONES, Water Resources Department, 1995 THIRD ST SUITE 180, BAKER CITY OR 97814-3333 by July 15, 2001.

According to the map, the new point of diversion is on an existing Ditch. Therefore, screening would not be appropriate there. Screening would be more appropriate on the stream.