

**BEFORE THE DIRECTOR
OF THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OF THE STATE OF OREGON**

KLAMATH BASIN GENERAL STREAM ADJUDICATION

In the Matter of the Claim of the UNITED)	PARTIAL ORDER OF
STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR,)	DETERMINATION
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT)	
_____)	
	Water Right Claim 345

The GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT of the FINAL ORDER OF DETERMINATION is incorporated as if set forth fully herein.

A. FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On April 30, 1997, the United States Bureau of Land Management (BLM) (3040 BIDDLE RD, MEDFORD, OR 97504) filed this claim with the Oregon Water Resources Department (OWRD) pursuant to ORS chapter 539 in the Klamath Basin Adjudication, claiming a federal reserved water right under an Executive Order entitled Public Water Resource (PWR) No. 107, authorized by President Coolidge.

2. A letter dated August 2, 1999, from counsel for the Bureau of Land Management states: "This letter constitutes notice to the Oregon Water Resources Department of the withdrawal of the following twelve claims on behalf of the U.S. Bureau of Land Management in the Klamath Basin Adjudication, i.e.: Klamath Basin Adjudication claim nos. 326, 327, 336, 341, 342, 345, 356, 357, 359, 360, 361, and 367."

3. On October 4, 1999, following investigation of the evidence submitted, the Adjudicator issued a Summary and Preliminary Evaluation of Claims (Preliminary Evaluation) stating the claim was withdrawn and was of no force or effect.

4. No contests were filed to Claim 345 or to the Preliminary Evaluation of Claim 345.

B. DETERMINATION

Based on the file and record herein, including the withdrawal of Claim 345 by the United States Bureau of Land Management, IT IS ORDERED that Claim 345 is denied and is of no force or effect.

Dated at Salem, Oregon on March 7, 2013



Dwight French, Adjudicator
Klamath Basin General Stream Adjudication