CERTIFICATE OF ABANDONMENT

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On June 13, 1939, M. W. Beck conveyed an easement to the Secretary of the United States Department of Agriculture, which easement was recorded on January 17, 1940, in Book G, page 291, records of Skamania County, Washington.

Said easement provides that it is "for any and all purposes ... in connection with the control, administration or use of the national forests or the resources thereof."

Said easement also provides that it "shall be effective only as long as said easement shall be actually used ... but all right ... shall revert to the owner of the fee as soon as the said use thereof shall be abandoned and discontinued."

The Forest Service has no present or reasonably foreseeable future need for said easement and said easement is not now being used by the Forest Service and the use thereof has been discontinued.

An appraisal of said easement indicates that it has no market value and is of no value to the Forest Service. Under the circumstances, it would appear to be an unreasonable burden on the Forest Service to retain said easement on inventory and said easement is hereby declared abandoned by the Forest Service.

On this day personally appeared the above-named to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he signed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal this

day of

, 1965.

Notary Public in and for the State of Oregon

My Commission Expires 8/4/68

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