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possession of said lands, and that he will defend the title to the right, power, privilege and easement hereby granted and conveyed, as aforesaid, to the Government and its assigns, against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

And the said Grantor, in consideration of the above specified sum, also hereby releases the Government from all claims for damages that have accrued or may hereafter accrue to him by reason of the overflowing of the above described land.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said Grantor has hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal on this the day and year first above written.

Witness as to mark of
Joe Thomas

his
Joe x Thomas (Seal)
mark

A. B. Macpherson

1-50¢ Gov. documentary stamp
duly affixed and cancelled
J.T. 3-27-36.

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
COUNTY OF KICKITAT) ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 27th day of March, 1936, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared the within named Joe Thomas, a competent Indian and a widower, who is known to me to be the identical individual described in and who executed the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same freely and voluntarily.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and notarial seal the day and year last above written.

(Notarial seal affixed)

R. J. Bates
Notary Public for Washington
Residing in Bingen.
My commission expires: July 7, 1939.

Approved as to form and execution

J. W. McCulloch
Special Assistant U.S. Attorney General

Filed for record September 12, 1936 at 11-00 a.m. by Grantee.

Mabel J. Rose
Skamania County Clerk-Auditor.

#23007 T. E. Hooker and Myrtle M. Hooker to UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Flowage Easement (Office Chief of Engineers Jul 22 1936 6500 (Bonneville Dam) (Not Legible)

THIS INDENTURE, made this 9th day of July, 1936, between T. E. Hooker and Myrtle M. Hooker, husband and wife, hereinafter called the Grantors, and the United States of America, hereinafter called the Government, witnesseth:

THAT WHEREAS, the Government is constructing a dam across the Columbia River between the States of Oregon and Washington at Bonneville, Oregon, and upon the completion of said dam will operate and maintain a spillway, power house and ship lock; and

WHEREAS, under operating conditions, all lands abutting on either bank of said river from Bonneville to the Celilo Canal which are below the elevation of the backwater curve which begins at the dam at 72.0 feet above mean sea level (as determined by reference to the U. S. C. & G. S. bench mark, B. 24, situate about one mile east along the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company's track from Warrendale, Multnomah County, Oregon, in the north end of a concrete culvert, at elevation 72.533 feet) will be permanently flooded; and

WHEREAS, the Government in operating said structures, will increase periodically the