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### PACIFIC CREST TRAIL EASEMENT

THIS EASEMENT, dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1982, from Skamania County, Washington, hereinafter called "Grantor," to the United States of America, hereinatter called "Grantee,"

#### WITNESSETH:

Grantor, for and in consideration of One dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, does hereby grant and convey to Grantee and its assigns an easement for the Pacific Crest Trail, along and across a strip of land hereinafter defined as the "easement," over and across the following described real property:

N 1/2 Government Lot 2 in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4 of Section 6, T.2N., R.7E., W.M., and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 25, T. 3 N., R. 6 E., W.M.

Said easement shall be 20 feet in width, being 10 feet in width on each side of the centerline of the Pacific Crest Trail as it now exists or as now located and marked on the ground, with such additional widths as required for accommodation and protection of cuts and fills, said existing trail and marked location being approximately located and described as shown on Exhibits A and B which are attached hereto and made a part hereof. The tread width of the trail may vary within the right-of-way limits of said easement.

If the trail where not yet constructed is located substantially as described herein, the centerline of said trail as constructed is hereby deemed accepted by the Grantor and Grantee as the true centerline of the easement granted.

The acquiring agency is the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture.

Grantor and Grantee do hereby covenant and agree for themselves, their successors and assigns that they shall use and restrict the use of the easement as set forth below:

#### I. Use by Grantee

Grantee shall have the right to

- (a) Construct, reconstruct, improve, control, and maintain the Pacific Crest Trail within the easement area for use by Grantee and its assigns, including contractors, licensees, permittees, and easement grantees.
- (b) Reconstruct, operate, use and maintain any segment of said trail that may be destroyed through logging operations or otherwise.
- (c) Cut and clear timber and other vegetation in construction and development of the trail and related facilities.



2. Use by Grantor

- (a) No building, structure or improvement of any kind shall be constructed, erected or moved onto the easement area.
- (b) No signs, billboards, outdoor advertising structures or advertising of any kind will be erected or displayed on the easement area.
- (c) No trash, ashes, garbage, sewage, sawdust or any unsightly or offensive material shall be placed on the easement area.
- (d) Grantor's use of the trail on the easement for access to its lands shall be pursuant to the Regulations of the Secretary of Agriculture as provided for in the Act.

3. Reservations by Grantor

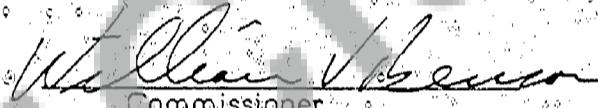
- (a) Grantor reserves to itself, successors, and assigns:

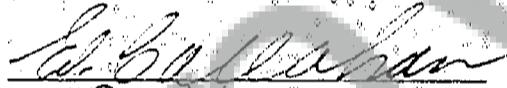
- (1) The right to grow and harvest timber crops on the easement area and to move logging equipment and skid logs across the trail and easement.
- (2) The right to cross and recross the easement at any point and for any purpose in such manner as will not materially interfere with the use of the trail.

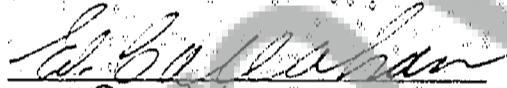
If at any time the Regional Forester determines that the trail, or any segment thereof, is no longer needed, the easement traversed thereby shall terminate. In the event of such determination, the Regional Forester shall furnish to the Grantor, its successors or assigns, a statement in recordable form evidencing termination.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has hereunto executed this easement on the day and  
year hereinabove written.

  
Clark V. Benson  
Commissioner  
Skamania County

  
John M. Anderson  
Commissioner  
Skamania County

  
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Commissioner  
Skamania County

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(Seal)

Attest:

*Stan M. Olson*  
Skamania County Auditor and Ex-Officio  
Clerk of the Board

State of WASHINGTON )  
County of SKAMANIA ) ss.

On this 30TH day of AUGUST, 1982, before me the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said county and State, personally appeared WILLIAM V. BENSON and ED CALLAHAN, known to me to be the INDIVIDUALS and COMMISSIONERS that executed the within instrument, known to me to be the persons who executed the within instrument on behalf of the COUNTY therein named; and acknowledged to me that such PERSONS executed the within instrument pursuant to its bylaws or a resolution of its BOARD.

WITNESS my hand and official seal,

*Shirley Ann Davis*  
Notary Public in and for said County and State.

My commission expires SEPTEMBER 1, 1985



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RIGHT OF WAY PLAT  
GIFFORD PINCHOT NATIONAL FOREST  
SEC. 6 , T. 2 N R. 7 E., W.M.  
SKAMANIA COUNTY  
WASHINGTON

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SCALE:

SEC. 6, T. 2 N., R. 7 E., W.M.

SKAMANIA COUNTY

## WASHINGTON

## SKAMANIA COUNTY

## Flat

PROJECT NAME  
PROJECT NUMBER  
SURVEYED BY  
DATE OF SURVEY  
METHOD OF SURVEY  
R/W ACRES  
R/W WIDTH

P.C.T. Table MTN Serial  
2000-D  
U.S. Forest Service  
July 1980  
Aramid Composite Cloth Tape  
1.2

Calculated  
to center of  
Crown, lot 2  
15 4832 ft.  
Projected N  
Com. of St.

WA. STATE DEPT. OF  
NATURAL RESOURCES

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## **EXHIBIT A**

RIGHT OF WAY PLAT  
GIFFORD PINCHOT NATIONAL FOREST

SEC. 25, T. 3 N., R. 6 E., W.M.

SKAMANIA COUNTY

WASHINGTON

SCALE:

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WILHELM BIRKENFELD TRUST  
SKAMANIA COUNTY

FEDERAL LAND  
REGISTRY SURVEY  
CITY OF VANCLEVE  
MARCH 1960 SURVEY  
H.W. A. HES  
B. W. WHITE

POST OFFICE BOX 800  
1960  
GOVERNMENT SERVICE  
1960  
ADJUSTED COMPASS & CLOTH TAPE  
1960

WILHELM BIRKENFELD, TRUST 3/4 INTEREST  
SKAMANIA COUNTY 1/4 INTEREST

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WILHELM BIRKENFELD TRUST

CALCULATED DISTANCE  
90° WEST "GLO" 190°

EXHIBIT B