AMENDMENT OF HIGHWAY EASEMENT DEED

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THIS AMENDMENT, made this 28th day of October 1983 by and between the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting by and through the DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION, hereinafter referred to as the DEPARTMENT, and the STATE OF WASHINGTON, hereinafter referred to as the STATE:

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the parties to amend sheets 2, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Exhibit "A" of that certain Highway Easement Deed dated March 9, 1993 and recorded June 25, 1993 in Book 136, pages 194 to 228 under Skamania County Auditor's File No. 116566. This is necessary because the description of the land as shown on these sheets of the original exhibit does not correctly locate the highway as constructed; and

WHEREAS, the STATE has filed application under the provisions of the Act of Congress of August 27, 1958, as amended (23 U.S.C. Section 317), for the right-of-way of a highway over certain land owned by the United States in the State of Washington, which is under the jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture - Forest Service: and

WHEREAS, this transfer is further authorized under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved October 15, 1966 (80 Stat. 931,937, Section 6(a)(1)(A); and

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WHEREAS, the Federal Highway Administrator, pursuant to delegations of authority from the Secretary of Transportation, has determined that an easement over the land covered by the application is reasonably necessary for right-of-way for State Route 504, Coldwater Lake Vicinity to Johnston Ridge; as revised October 4, 1993; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture, acting by and through the Forest Service, has agreed to the transfer by the DEPARTMENT of an easement over the land to the STATE;

Now THEREFORE, the DEPARTMENT, as authorized by law, does hereby grant to the STATE an easement for a right-of-way for the operation and maintenance of a highway including control of access thereto from adjoining land, and use of the space above and below the established grade line of the highway pavement for highway purposes on, above, across, in and upon the following described land of the United States of America within the Gifford Pinchot National Forest, County of Skamania, State of Washington:

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Sec. 5, S 1/2

Sec. 6, S 1/2

Sec. 7, NE 1/4

Sec. 8, N 1/2

Sec. 9, NW 1/4 NW 1/4

being those portions of the above described land lying within the right of way limits (shown as Highway Easement Lines) of State Route 504, Coldwater

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Lake Vicinity to Johnston Ridge, sheets 2, 9, 10, 11 and 12 AS REVISED October 4, 1993, as shown on Exhibit A, attached hereto and made a part hereof, subject, however, to the terms, conditions and covenants found in that certain Highway Easement Deed recorded June 25, 1993 in Book 136 pages 194 to 228 under Skamania County Auditor's File Number 116566.

The purpose of this instrument is to correct and supersede sheets 2, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Exhibit "A" of the above referenced Highway Easement Deed. The remainder of the original exhibit "A" is unchanged. It is understood and agreed that all of the terms and conditions of the original Highway Easement Deed apply to the land shown on the attached exhibit. Except as herein amended, said original Highway Easement Deed and its terms and provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I Robert B. Rutledge, Regional Counsel, Pursuant to delegations of authority from the Secretary of Transportation, the Federal Highway Administrator, the Regional Federal Highway Administrator, and Chief Counsel, Federal Highway Administration, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, have hereunto subscribed my name as of the day and year first above written.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

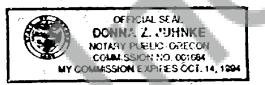
Robert B. Rutledge

Regional Counsel

STATE OF <u>Oregon</u>) ss:

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Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of Cotober 1993.



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Notary Public

My commission expires Ct. 14, 1994.

In compliance with the conditions set forth in the foregoing instrument, STATE certifies, and by the acceptance of this instrument, accepts the right-of-way over certain land herein described and agrees for itself, its successors and assigns forever to abide by the conditions set forth in said instrument.

Director, Real Estate Services

WASHINGTON STATE

DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION

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STATE OF WASHINGTON)
COUNTY OF THURSTON)

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I, Tom A. Da Ja., Notary Public in and for said County and State, hereby certify that Joachim Pestinger, whose name as Director, Real Estate Services is signed to the foregoing conveyance and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the conveyance, he in his capacity as Director, Real Estate Services executed the same voluntarily on this day.

Given under my hand and seal of office this /57 day of Nersader, 1993.

US NBITC & S. HOLISA

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington Residing at Elman

My commission expires 5/12/96

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