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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR THE COUNTY OF YAKIMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE DETERMINATION (A) OF THE RIGHTS TO THE USE OF THE (ACCE) NO SURFACE WATERS OF THE YAKIMA RIVER (A) OF THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 90.03, (A) OF THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 90.03, (B) OF THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 90.03, (B) OF THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 90.03, (C) OF THE PROVISIONS OF CONTROL 90.03, (C) OF THE

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY.

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JAMES J. ACQUAVELLA, et al.,

Defendants.

NO. 77-2-01484-5

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) CONDITIONAL FINAL ORDER
) AS A FINAL JUDGMENT
) PURSUANT TO CR 54(b)
) AND RAP 2.2(d), AND
) PRETRIAL ORDER NUMBER 8
) AS AMENDED

) R. S. & C. IRRIGATION) COMPANY, INC., COURT) CLAIM NO. 2084

THIS MATTER has come on regularly before the Court with R. S. & C. Irrigation Company having had its evidentiary hearing on February 13 through 16, 1995. The Court filed its Report of the Court Concerning the Water Rights for R. S. & C. Irrigation Company, Inc., Vol. 40, on October 27, 1997. Thereafter, the Court held the hearing on exceptions March 11 through 13, 1998. Joe Falk, Jr., attorney, represented the defendant R. S. & C. Irrigation Company, Inc.. Maria A. Iizuka, attorney with the Department of Justice, represented the defendant United States, Bureau of Reclamation. Jeffrey Schuster, attorney, represented the defendant Yakama Nation. Jo Messex Casey, Assistant Attorney General, represented the Plaintiff State of Washington, Department of Ecology.

The Court, after reviewing the exceptions and other materials filed, and after having heard argument and being fully advised, filed it's Supplemental Report of the Court Concerning the Water Rights for R. S. & C. Irrigation

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Company, Inc., Volume 40A, Part II, on February 14, 2003. The Court now enters this Conditional Final Order based upon said initial Report and Supplemental Report of the Court. This Conditional Final Order will ultimately be incorporated into a final decree that determines and integrates all of the rights of the parties in this adjudication, at which time it shall be forwarded to the Director of the Department of Ecology for issuance of Certificates of Adjudicated Water Right.

Based on the foregoing, IT IS:

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the final decree shall include the following in regards to R. S. & C. Irrigation Company, Court Claim No. 2084:

- 1. The point of diversion is located approximately 2,500 feet north and 100 feet west of the southeast corner of Section 9, being within the NE4SE4 of Section 9, T. 13 N., R. 18 E.W.M.
- 2. The priority date is June 30, 1873.
- 3. The purpose of use is irrigation of 104 acres of residential, commercial and agricultural land.
- 4. The place of use is described in RSC 18 and identified on COY 15G-1 (Upper RS&C) and COY 15H-1 (RS&C).
- 5. The season of use is April 1 through October 31.
- 6. R.S. & C. is authorized to divert from the Naches River into the Fruitvale Canal 1,746 acre-feet per year with the following schedule of delivery:

April through August September October 5.3 cfs 3.56 cfs 2.66 cfs

R.S. & C. is authorized to divert from the Fruitvale

Canal into its ditch 1,231 acre-feet per year with the following schedule:

 $\frac{\text{April through August}}{3.85 \text{ cfs}} \qquad \frac{\text{September}}{2.58 \text{ cfs}} \qquad \frac{\text{October}}{1.93 \text{ cfs}}$

The Court finds the following,

- 1. R. S. & C.'s claim to an unauthorized or defacto change in point of diversion is denied.
- 2. R. S. & C.'s claim to a standby or reserve supply is denied.
- 3. R. S. & C.'s claim to a municipal supply is denied.
- 4. R. S. & C.'s water right pursuant to the unassigned shares is relinquished for failure to put water to beneficial use or supply a sufficient cause for nonuse.

In accordance with RCW 90.03.240, Certificate of Adjudicated Water Right shall be issued as quantified and described above.

This Conditional Final Order, relating to the confirmation of water rights to R. S. & C. Irrigation Company, Inc. constitutes a final order for purposes of appeal [see RAP 2.2(d)], except for purposes of final integration of all confirmed rights as provided in Section XII of Pretrial Order No. 8, procedures for Claim Evaluation, dated March 3, 1989, of this Court.

DATED this 10th day of April , 2003.

WALTER A. STAUFFACHER, JUDGE