



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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DEPARTMENT WITHDRAWS TULELAKE "TAKE BACK" ORDER

The Department of the Interior announced today the withdrawal of its notice issued December 11, 1959, under which it proposed to take back operation of certain project facilities heretofore transferred to the Tulelake Irrigation District of the Klamath Reclamation project.

The action followed receipt of a telegram from the president of the Tulelake Irrigation District in California assuring Secretary Seaton that the District will comply with modified rules and regulations for the operation of the Tule Lake Sump promulgated by the Department on February 10.

The rules and regulations were outlined in a letter to the District released by the Department on February 1.

The telegram of the District and of Acting Secretary of the Interior Fred G. Aandahl withdrawing the December 11 notice follow.

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BOARD GREATLY APPRECIATE YOUR SUBMISSION OF RULES AND REGULATIONS OF FEB 10 1960 FOR OPERATION OF KLAMATH PROJECT WORKS AND MAKING MAURICE LANGLEY AND REGIONAL OFFICE PERSONNEL AVAILABLE TO DISCUSS AND EXPLAIN THEM WITH TULELAKE BOARD ITS ENGINEER AND ATTORNEY. BOARD ADOPTED RESOLUTION THAT DISTRICT WILL COMPLY WITH SAID REGULATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH HYDROLOGICAL CRITERIA SET FORTH THEREIN.

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MR. SAM ANDERSON
PRESIDENT
TULELAKE IRRIGATION DISTRICT
TULELAKE, CALIFORNIA

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR TELEGRAM OF FEBRUARY 11 ADVISING
SECRETARY SEATON THAT THE DISTRICT WILL COMPLY WITH THE
MODIFIED RULES AND REGULATIONS OF FEBRUARY 10, 1960.
ON THE BASIS OF THAT ASSURANCE, THE ACTING SECRETARY'S
NOTICE OF DECEMBER 11, 1959, IS WITHDRAWN

/s/ Fred G. Aandahl
Acting SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

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