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GRAZING LEASE **AMENDMENT**

APPLICANT:

Milton A. Blair

P. O. Box 5

Essex, California 32332

AREA, TYPE LAND AND LOCATION:

15,162 acres of State school land in San

Bernardino County.

LAND USE:

Grazing.

TERMS OF ORIGINAL LEASE:

10 years from August 1, 1979. Initial period:

None. kenewal options:

Surety bond:

None.

Public liability insurance: \$100,000 per

occurrence for bodily injury and for property

damage.

Consideration:

\$621 per annu, with 5-year rent review.

TERMS OF PROPOSED LEASE:

Initial period:

10 years from August 1, 1979.

Surety bond:

None.

Public liability insurance: None.

Special:

Except for the elimination of the provision requiring

liability insurance in the amount of \$100,000, all the terms and conditions

shall remain in full force and effect.

CONSIDERATION:

\$621 per annum with the State reserving the right to fix a different rental on each fifth anniversary of the lease.

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BASIS FOR CONSIDERATION:

Pursuant to 2 Cal. Adm. Code 2005.

PREREQUISITE TERMS, FEES AND EXPENSES:

Filing fee and first year's rent have been received.

STATUTORY AND OTHER REFERENCES:

A. P.R.C.: Div. 6, Parts 1 & 2; Div. 13.

B. Cal. Adm. Code: Title 2, Div. 3; Title 14, Div. 6.

BACKGROUND:

The State Lands Commission approved the current lease during its meeting on February 19. 1980. The lease required the lessee to provide a certificate of insurance in the amount of \$100,000. The lessee was advised of the Commission's action and the requirement for liability insurance on March 26, 1980. The staff has, on at least six occassions, requested that the lessee provide the required documentation.

The lessee has advised that, after contacting several insurance agents, he has been unable to arrange for the required liability insurance without paying a fee that would equal or exceed the cost of the annual rental. The high cost of insurance appears to reilect the fact Mr. Blair does not own any property to which the insurance can be tied.

The lessee currently leases lands from the Eureau of Land Management and the Southern Pacific Railr ad. The Bureau of Land Management alrotment contains 118,000 acres and completely surrounds the subject school lands. The Southern Pacific Railroad lease contains 42,000 acres which are intermingled with the school land. It has been determined by the Bureau of Land Management and Southern Pacific Railroad that there is no reason nor necessity for liability insurance on grazing leases in this vicinity.

OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. This activity is exempt from CEQA because it is not a project.

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Authority: P.R.C. 21065, 14 Cal. Adm. Code 15037 and 15060, and 2 Cal. Adm. Code 2903(d).

2. This project is situated on Ecate land identified as possessing significant environmental values pursuant to P.R.C. 6370.1, and is classified in a use category, Class A and B, which suthorizes Restricted and Limited Use, respectively.

Staff has coordinated this project with those agencies and organizations which nominated the site as containing significant environmental values. They have found this project to be compatible with their nomination.

EXHIBITS:

A. Land Description.
B-1 through B-4. Location Map.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

- 1. DETERMINE THAT AN ENVIRONMENTAL DECUMENT HAS NOT BEEN PREPARED FOR THIS ACTIVITY AS SUCH DOCUMENT IS NOT REQUIRED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF P.R.C. 21065, 14 CAL. ADM. CCDI. 15037 AND 15060 AND 2 CAL. ADM. CODE 2903(d).
- 2. AUTHORIZE ELIMINATION OF THE LIABILITY INSURANCE PROVISION OF GRAZING LEASE PRC 5808.2 AS DESCRIBED ON EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED AND BY REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF.

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LAND DESCRIPTION

Twenty-four parcels of California State School Lands, situated in San Bernardino County, California, and described as follows:

Section 16, T4N, R17E, SBM Section 36, T4N, RTZE, SBM Section 16, T4N, R18E, SBM Section 36, T4N, R18E, SBM Section 16, T5N, R17E, SBM Section 36 T5N, R17E, SBM Section 36, T5N, RT/E, SBM Section 16, T5N, R18E, SBM 7. Section 36, T5N, R18E, SBM Section 36, T6N, R17E, SBM Section 36, T6N, R17E, SBM Section 16, T6N, R18E, SBM Section 36, T6N, R18E, SBM Section 36, T6N, R18E, SBM 9. 10. 11. 12. Section 16, T6N, R19E, SBM 13. W 1/2 Section 36, W 1/2 of E 1/2 Section 36, Lots 1-4 Section 14. 36, all in T6N, R19E, SBM # 1/2 Section 36, N 1/2 of SW 1/4 Section 36, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 15. Section 36, all in T7N, RIGE, SBM Section 16, T7N, R17E, SBM 16. 17. Section 36, T7N, R17E, SBM 18. Section 16, T7N, R18E, SBM
19. Section 36, T7N, R19E, SBM
20. Section 36, T8N, R17E, SBM
21. Section 16, T8N, R18E, SBM
22. Section 16, T8N, R18E, SBM Section 16, TEN, R19E, SBM 22. 23. Section 36, T8N, R19E, SBM Section 36, T9N, R19E, SBM 24.

END OF DESCRIPTION

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