MINUTE ITEM

This Calendar Item No. 25 was approved as Minute Item No. 5 by the California State Lands Commission by a vote of 2 to 2 at its 2 18 35 meeting.

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RECREATIONAL PIER LEASE

APPLICANT:

Janet E. Cooper, Trustee of the Janet E. Cooper Trust, dated November 12, 1993

AREA, LAND TYPE, AND LOCATION:

Sovereign lands in Lake Tahoe, near Meeks Bay, El Dorado County.

AUTHORIZED USE:

Continued use and maintenance of an existing pier, boathouse, and one mooring buoy, as shown on Exhibit A.

LEASE TERM:

Ten years, beginning October 17, 2005.

CONSIDERATION:

No monetary consideration pursuant to Public Resources Code section 6503.5.

SPECIFIC LEASE PROVISIONS:

Insurance:

Liability insurance in the amount of no less than \$300,000.

Other:

This lease is conditioned on the Applicant obtaining authorization from the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency (TRPA) for the mooring buoy within two years after the adoption of the Lake Tahoe Shorezone Amendments-Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and approval of the ordinances based on the EIS.

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OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. Applicant owns the upland adjoining the lease premises.

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- 2. On October 17, 1995, the Commission authorized a Recreational Pier Lease to Janet E. Cooper, Trustee. That lease expired on October 16, 2005. The Applicant has now submitted an application for a new Recreational Pier Lease.
- 3. Applicant qualifies for a Recreational Pier Lease because the Applicant is a natural person who has improved the littoral land with, and uses the upland for, a single-family dwelling.
- 4. Pursuant to the Commission's delegation of authority and the State CEQA Guidelines (Title 14, California Code of Regulations, section 15061), the staff has determined that this activity is exempt from the requirements of the CEQA as a categorically exempt project. The project is exempt under Class 1, Existing Facilities; Title 2, California Code of Regulations, section 2905 (a)(2).

Authority: Public Resources Code section 21084 and Title 14, California Code of Regulations, section 15300 and Title 2, California Code of Regulations, section 2905.

5. This activity involves lands identified as possessing significant environmental values pursuant to Public Resources Code sections 6370, et seq. Based upon the staff's consultation with the persons nominating such lands and through the CEQA review process, it is the staff's opinion that the project, as proposed, is consistent with its use classification.

FURTHER APPROVAL REQUIRED:

Buoys: Tahoe Regional Planning Agency

EXHIBIT:

A. Site And Location Map

RECOMMENDED ACTION: IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

CEQA FINDING:

FIND THAT THE ACTIVITY IS EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CEQA PURSUANT TO TITLE 14, CALIFORNIA CODE OF

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REGULATIONS, SECTION 15061 AS A CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT PROJECT, CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES; TITLE 2, CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, SECTION 2905 (a)(2).

SIGNIFICANT LANDS INVENTORY FINDING:

FIND THAT THIS ACTIVITY IS CONSISTENT WITH THE USE CLASSIFICATION DESIGNATED BY THE COMMISSION FOR THE LAND PURSUANT TO PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTIONS 6370, ET SEQ.

AUTHORIZATION:

AUTHORIZE ISSUANCE TO JANET E. COOPER, TRUSTEE OF THE JANET E. COOPER TRUST, DATED NOVEMBER 12, 1993, OF A TEN-YEAR RECREATIONAL PIER LEASE, BEGINNING OCTOBER 17, 2005, FOR THE CONTINUED USE AND MAINTENANCE OF AN EXISTING PIER, BOATHOUSE, AND ONE MOORING BUOY ON THE LAND SHOWN ON EXHIBIT A ATTACHED AND BY THIS REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF; NO MONETARY CONSIDERATION PURSUANT TO PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 6503.5; LIABILITY INSURANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF NO LESS THAN \$300,000.

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