

THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR
Washington

ORDER NO. 3269

SIGNATURE DATE: March 8, 2007

Subject: Delegation of Authority for the Removal of the Chiloquin Dam

Sec. 1 **Purpose.** The purpose of this Order is to delegate such additional authority as is necessary to permit the Bureau of Reclamation to carry out construction management activities during the removal of Chiloquin Dam and construction and reoperation of the Modoc Point Irrigation District water delivery facilities. The construction management activities are a part of the Department's efforts to conserve endangered fish species in the Klamath Basin. These activities will not interrupt water delivery to the Modoc Point Irrigation District.

Sec. 2 **Authority.** This Order is issued in accordance with the authority provided to the Secretary by Section 2 of Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1950 (64 Stat. 1262), 5 U.S.C. App.

Sec. 3 **Delegation.** So much of the Secretary's authority as may be necessary under Section 1 of the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act, 16 U.S.C. § 661, is delegated through the Assistant Secretary - Water and Science to the Commissioner of Reclamation to carry out construction management activities during the removal of Chiloquin Dam and the construction of a pumping plant. This authority may be further delegated.

Sec. 4 **Expiration Date.** This Order is effective immediately. It will remain in effect until its provisions are converted to the Departmental Manual or until it is amended, superseded, or revoked, whichever occurs first. In the absence of any of the foregoing actions, the provisions of this Order will terminate and be considered obsolete on January 31, 2010.

/s/ DIRK KEMPTHORNE
Secretary of the Interior

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