MINUTE ITEM
This Calendar Item No. C8.
was approved as Minute Item
No. 8 by the State Lands
Commission by a vote of 2
to 0 at its 7-24-80
meeting.

CALENDAR ITEM

C8.

7/80
W 21068
Graham
PRC 5763

RECISSION OF PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FOR
ISSUANCE OF A SALVAGE PERMIT

PERMITTEE: The Brother Jonathan Company
c/o Frazer-Yamor Insurance
2nd and H Streets
Crescent City, California 95531

AREA, TYPE LAND AND LOCATION:
A 4.0-acre parcel of tide and submerged land in the Pacific Ocean near Crescent City, Del Norte County.

LAND USE: Selective salvage of artifacts from the British freighter Queen Christina that sank in 1907.

TERMS OF LEASE: Initial period: 1 year from December 1, 1979.

Renewal option: 1 successive period of 1 year.

Public liability insurance: $100,000/$300,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and $50,000 for property damage.

Consideration: 25% of the net salvage value of $25,000 or less, and 50% of the net salvage in excess of $25,000 due on the first of the month following the sale and bear interest at the rate of 7% per annum if not paid within 15 days of the due date.

BASIS FOR CONSIDERATION:
Article 2.5 Cal. Adm. Code 2052(c).

STATUTORY AND OTHER REFERENCES:
A. P.R.C.: Div. 6, Parts 1 & 2.

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OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. The applicant originally proposed to selectively remove artifacts from the 1907 wreck of the British freighter Queen Christina. Removal of material from the site was to be performed largely by hand with the possible aid of small air-lift devices.

2. All items to be removed from the site were to be catalogued and become the property of the State until their origin had been determined. The applicant proposed to retain all salvaged items in a private museum for the maritime history of the northern California Coast.

3. Staff coordinated this project with the Office of Historic Preservation and was to keep them apprised of the recovery of all material removed from the site.

4. The Commission authorized the issuance of the subject permit on November 20, 1979, Minute Item No. 17.

5. Due to time delays and financial constraints, the applicant now wishes to withdraw its application. The applicant stated that they may reapply at a future date.

EXHIBITS: A. Land Description. B. Location Map.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

1. DETERMINE THAT AN EIR HAS NOT BEEN PREPARED FOR THIS ACTIVITY AS SUCH REPORT IS NOT REQUIRED UNDER PRC 21065, 14 CAL. ADM. CODE 15037 AND 15060 AND 2 CAL. ADM. CODE 2903(d).

2. RESCIND AUTHORIZATIONS MADE UNDER MINUTE ITEM NO. 17 ON NOVEMBER 20, 1979.

EXHIBIT "A"

LAND DESCRIPTION W 21068

A circular parcel of submerged land in Del Norte County, California, near Pt. St. George, situate in the Pacific Ocean, and more particularly described as having a radius point located at 41° 46' 46".5 North Latitude and 124° 15' 25" West Longitude; said circular parcel having a radius of 235.50 feet.

END OF DESCRIPTION

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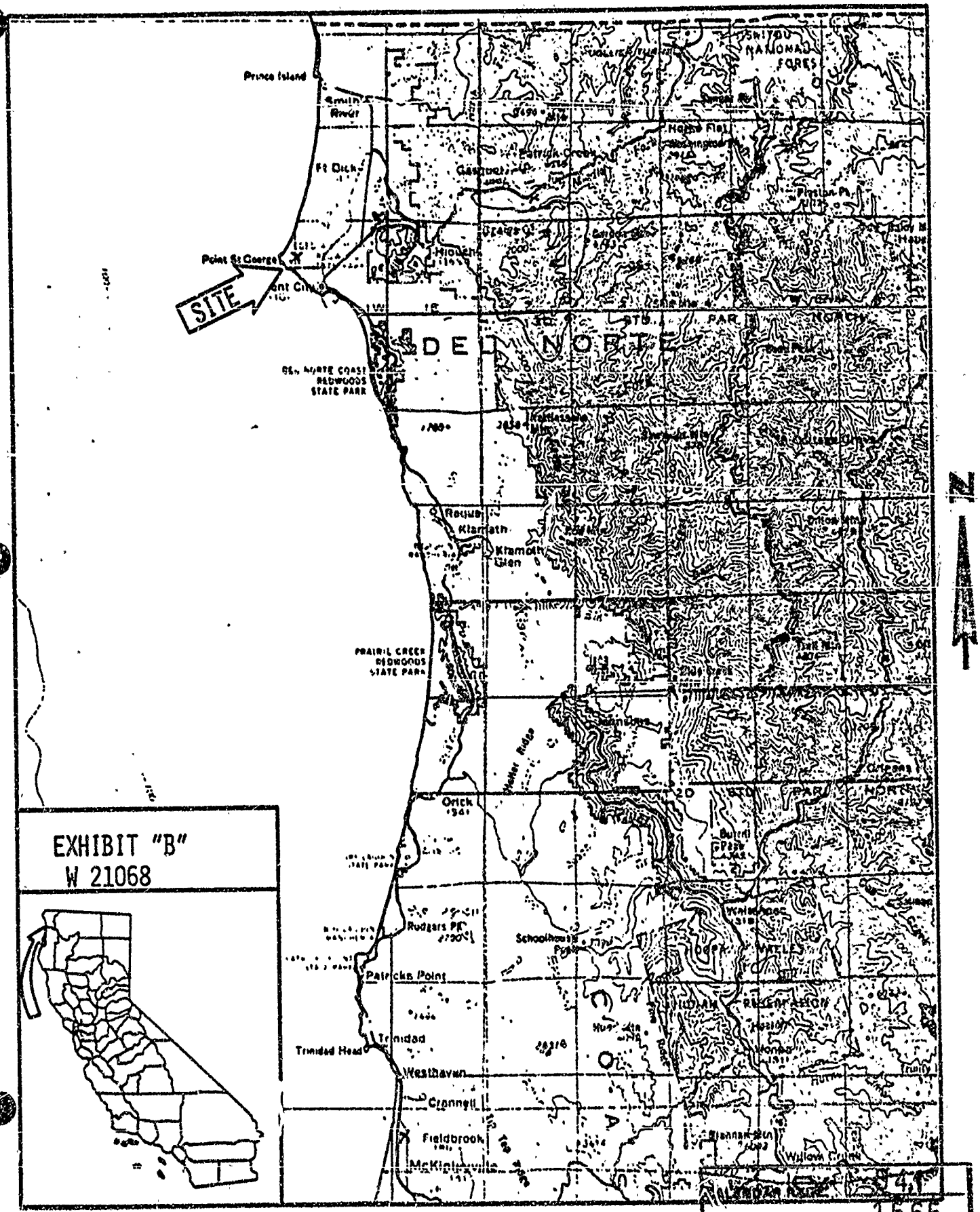

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