MINUTE ITEM
This Calendar Item No. C17
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No. 12 by the State Lands
Commission by a vote of 3
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AMENDMENT OF CONSTRUCTION LIMITING DATES
GENERAL PERMIT - PUBLIC AGENCY USE

LESSEE: U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
Yuma Projects Office
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BACKGROUND:

On December 23, 1986 (Minute Item 9) the State Lands Commission authorized the issuance of a General Permit - Public Agency Use, to the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, to construct a flood control levee extension along 3.4± miles of the Colorado River. The lease provides that construction was to commence March 1, 1987, and be completed by September 30, 1988.

PRESENT SITUATION:

The Bureau has informed staff that it has been unable to begin the project as scheduled due to budget cuts and delays in securing the right to construct the levee from adjacent landowners. Funds have now been allocated to begin construction in the fiscal year 1988. The Bureau has advised that delays in obtaining the required right-of-ways from the adjacent landowners should be resolved in time to begin construction this autumn. Staff recommends that the construction limiting dates be amended to provide for construction beginning date of November 1, 1988, and construction completion date of September 30, 1989.

BASIS FOR CONSIDERATION:
Pursuant to 2 Cal. Adm. Code 2003.

STATUTORY AND OTHER REFERENCES:

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

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

AB 884: N/A.

OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. This activity involves lands identified as possessing significant environmental values pursuant to P.R.C. 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.

2. The State Lands Commission, in authorizing issuance of the lease, found that the Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) that was prepared and adopted by the Federal Bureau of Reclamation met the requirements of CEQA, and adopted the Federal document in place of a Negative Declaration.

EXHIBITS:

A. Land Description.
B. Location Map.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

1. FIND THAT THE STATE LANDS COMMISSION PREVIOUSLY DETERMINED THAT THE FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT (FONSI) ADOPTED BY THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF RECLAMATION FOR THIS PROJECT MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CEQA, FIND THAT ITS ANALYSES ARE STILL APPLICABLE TO THE PROPOSED ACTION.

2. DETERMINE THAT THE PROJECT AS APPROVED, WILL NOT HAVE A SIGNIFICANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT.

3. AUTHORIZE AN AMENDMENT OF THE 25-YEAR GENERAL PERMIT - PUBLIC AGENCY USE, PRC 7028.9, TO U.S. BUREAU OF RECLAMATION, TO PROVIDE FOR A NEW CONSTRUCTION BEGINNING DATE OF NOVEMBER 1, 1988, AND CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION DATE OF SEPTEMBER 30, 1989, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FLOOD-

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CONTROL LEVEE EXTENSION ON THE LAND DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED AND BY REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF.

EXHIBIT "A" **PRC 7028.9**

LAND DESCRIPTION

All those California State lands in San Bernardino County, California, along the west bank of the Colorado River lying immediately beneath a levee and riprap placed for bank protection as shown on the United States Bureau of Reclamation design sheet entitled "Nevada Levee Extension, Sta. 0+00 to Sta. 344+71.21" No. 423T-303-463, a copy of which is on file with the State Lands Commission.

END OF DESCRIPTION

REVIEWED AUGUST 1, 1988 BY BIU 1.

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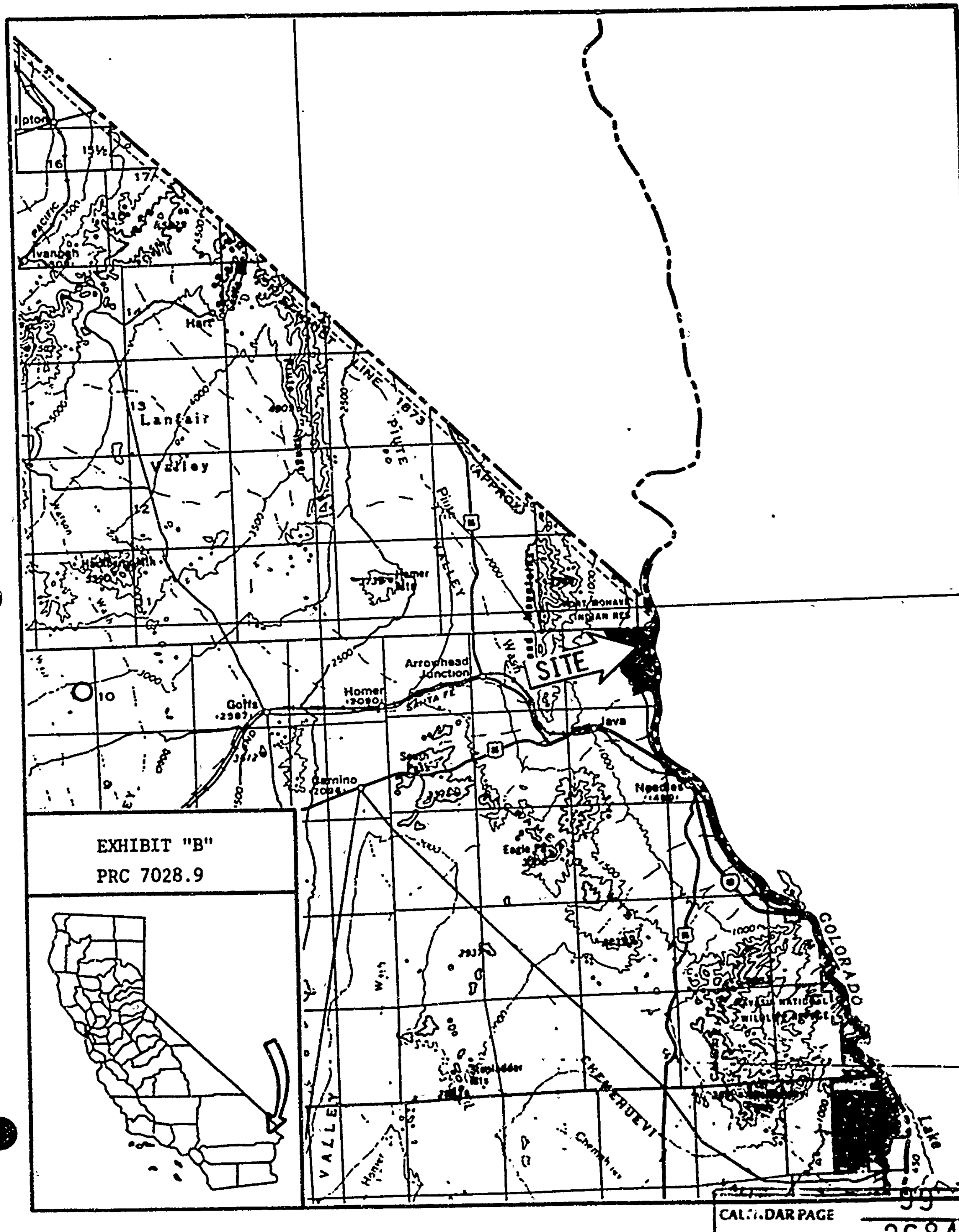

EXHIBIT "B"
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