

CERTIFICATE OF ADJUDICATION

CERTIFICATE OF ADJUDICATION: 03-4838 OWNER: International Paper Company
P. O. Box 870
Texarkana, Texas 75504

COUNTY: Cass PRIORITY DATE: November 17, 1975

WATERCOURSE: Grassy Creek, tributary BASIN: Sulphur River
of Cypress Slough, tribu-
tary of the Sulphur River

WHEREAS, by final decree of the 202nd Judicial District Court of Bowie County, in Cause No. 86-C1702-202 In Re: The Adjudication of Water Rights in the Sulphur River Basin dated December 17, 1986 a right was recognized under Permit 3250 authorizing the International Paper Company to appropriate waters of the State of Texas as set forth below;

WHEREAS, owner maintains an existing dam across Grassy Creek creating a 52 acre-foot capacity reservoir which is exempt pursuant to Section 11.142 of the Texas Water Code. The dam being located in the B.B.B. & C. RR Survey, Abstract 130, Cass County, Texas;

NOW, THEREFORE, this certificate of adjudication to appropriate waters of the State of Texas in the Sulphur River Basin is issued to the International Paper Company, subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. USE

Owner is authorized to use the water impounded in the aforesaid reservoir for recreation purposes with no right of diversion.

2. PRIORITY

The time priority of owner's right is November 17, 1975.

3. SPECIAL CONDITION

Owner shall maintain a suitable outlet in the aforesaid dam recognized herein to allow the free passage of water that owner is not entitled to impound.

The locations of pertinent features related to this certificate are shown on Page 13 of the Sulphur River Basin Certificates of Adjudication Maps, copies of which are located in the office of the Texas Water Commission, Austin, Texas.

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This certificate of adjudication is issued subject to all terms, conditions and provisions in the final decree of the 202nd Judicial District Court of Bowie County, Texas, in Cause No. 86-C1702-202 In Re: The Adjudication of Water Rights in the Sulphur River Basin dated December 17, 1986 and supersedes all rights of the owner asserted in that cause.

This certificate of adjudication is issued subject to senior and superior water rights in the Sulphur River Basin.

This certificate of adjudication is issued subject to the obligations of the State of Texas pursuant to the terms of the Red River Compact.

This certificate of adjudication is issued subject to the Rules of the Texas Water Commission and its continuing right of supervision of State water resources consistent with the public policy of the State as set forth in the Texas Water Code.

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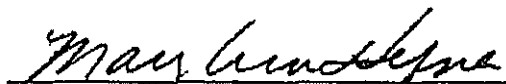


Paul Hopkins, Chairman

DATE ISSUED:

MAR 31 1987

ATTEST:


Mary Ann Wefner, Chief Clerk