

Office of General Counsel

Attention: James B. Minor

December 10, 1948

Director, Nonindustrial Division - PNI

Office of Real Property Disposal

Transfer of a portion of Fort Huachuca (W-Ariz-48) to State of Arizona Game and Fish Commission pursuant to Public Law 537, 80th Congress.

In accordance with memorandum dated December 10, 1948, copy attached, the Deputy Administrator/PD has determined that approximately 37,752.56 acres of land and other improvements at subject facility are suitable and chiefly valuable for utilization for wildlife conservation purposes, and has approved subject disposal in accordance with the terms of attached memorandum, pursuant to P. L. 537.

By memorandum dated December 6, 1948, the General Counsel for Real Property was requested to prepare necessary documents of transfer to effect the subject transfer. Such transfer documents when completed are to be furnished direct to your office.

Upon receipt of copies of the unexecuted instrument of transfer referred to above, it is requested that:

- (1) an appropriate order for the signature of the Administrator be prepared for publication in the Federal Register, which shall designate which of the purposes of Public Law 537 the property to be transferred shall be used and establishing the effective date of availability of the property;
- (2) you advise the San Francisco Regional Office, the Budget Division and the Organization and Methods Division of the Office of Management, and this office of the date of publication of the order; and
- (3) the transfer instrument be put in final form for the signature of the Administrator.

At the time the notice is sent to the San Francisco Regional Office that the transfer has been published in the Federal Register, it is requested that the necessary executed copies of the transfer document be forwarded to that office with appropriate instructions for delivery to the transferee.

cc: Ralph Merritt

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Attachments

1. Cy memo to Dep. Adm,PD, dtd 12-10-48
2. Cy memo to ACR dtd 12-6-48