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a drainage reservoir”*

ORDER OF WITHDRAWAL (PUBLIC WATER RESERVE NO. 90, CALIFORNIA)—SIGNED BY PRESIDENT MARCH 10, 1924.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
WASHINGTON

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

March 4, 1924

The Honorable,
The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I recommend that the lands hereinafter listed, be withdrawn from all forms of entry except those specifically excepted under the withdrawal acts (36 Stat., 847; 37 Stat., 497). This order of withdrawal (Public Water Reserve No. 90, California), involving approximately 104,240 acres, is recommended for submission to the President, in order that the lands affected thereby may be reserved for the purpose of creating a reservoir in Salton Sea for storage of waste and seepage water from irrigated land in Imperial Valley, California.

Respectfully,

/s/ Geo. Otis Smith

Director.