

Memorandum

To : State Lands Commission
1020-12th Street
Sacramento, California

Date : April 14, 1971

Subject: Camp Pendleton Land

Attention: Mr. Frank J. Hortig
Executive Officer

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From : Department of Parks and Recreation

Recently, the Department of Parks and Recreation received a leasehold interest in a portion of Camp Pendleton Marine Corps Base in the lease format attached. The Marine Corps Base had previously been made a Federal enclave and the State had no general legislative jurisdiction in the area.

To formalize the State's legislative and police power jurisdiction, the procedure established by Government Code Section 113 (Chapter 1204, Statutes of 1967) must be followed. The procedure requires fulfillment of three conditions: (1) request by the United States that the State accept retrocession of jurisdiction. That request is enclosed in the form of a letter from the authorized Federal officer, N. C. Simonson, Captain, USN, to Governor Reagan; (2) The State Lands Commission must hold a hearing to determine whether acceptance of such retrocession is in the best interests of the State; (3) certified copies of the State Lands Commission's orders and resolutions shall be filed with the Secretary of State and the County Recorder.

It is requested that the State Lands Commission proceed with the fulfillment of conditions (2) and (3) as soon as possible. The parcel of land in question has been included in the State Park System as a State beach pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 5001.5. The State's formal legislative jurisdiction is necessary for effective administration of this land as a part of the State Park System.

If I or my staff may be of any assistance to you in this matter, please do not hesitate to call on me or Mr. F. C. Buchter, Departmental Counsel, telephone number 445-1560.


William Penn Mott, Jr.
Director

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