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recommend

THAT the reserve established under the Mineral Act and Placer-mining Act by Order in Council No. 3010, approved September 23, 1909 be cancelled, and to further recommend:

THAT pursuant to the Mineral Act and Placer-mining Act and all other powers therewith enabling no person may locate or claim upon the following area in the New Westminster and Nicola Mining Divisions for any minerals therein:

An area one mile wide, being one-half mile on each side of the centre line of the right-of-way for the proposed Mace-Ruby Creek transmission line of the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority, as shown on map Nos. 1 to 10, inclusive, Volume 177, File 113, in the office of the Chief Gold Commissioner, Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Victoria, British Columbia;

except in accordance with and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- (1) That any free miner who locates a placer claim or mineral claim and obtains a record thereof or who obtains a placer lease or a mineral lease shall do so at his own risk and shall not interfere or allow any person exploring, developing, mining, or working in any way the said claim or leasehold to obstruct or to interfere in any manner with the exercise of any right, whether existing or subsequently granted, of any other person to flood, or to occupy for any purpose connected with the development of hydro-electric power, the areas reserved, or to construct, operate and maintain any work done or structure erected for any of the foregoing purposes and the free miner shall not be entitled to compensation for any damage which may be done to his mining operation, plant or equipment by the aforesaid exercise of any right whether existing or subsequently granted;
- (2) No free miner shall carry on any mining operation within fifteen hundred feet of any dam, conduit, water tunnel, spillway or power plant, or within five hundred feet of any transmission line or any other work or structure which may be erected in the areas reserved except with the permission of the Chief Inspector of Mines.
- (3) A person, including the Crown or its agent, who builds or proposes to build a dam, conduit, water tunnel, or power plant, or transmission line, or any way, works, or structures in the areas reserved shall not interfere with or dislocate or obstruct any existing mining operation, plant, or equipment without:

*See file 113(177)*