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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forms Under Review by Office of Management and Budget

February 17, 1995.

The Department of Agriculture has submitted to OMB for review the following proposal for the collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) since the last list was published. This list is grouped into new proposals, revisions, extension, or reinstatements. Each entry contains the following information:

(1) Agency proposing the information collection; (2) Title the information collection; (3) Form number(s), if applicable; (4) Who will be required or asked to report; (5) An estimate of the number of responses; (6) An estimate of the total number of hours needed to provide the information; (7) Name and telephone number of the agency contact person.

Questions about the items in the listing should be directed to the agency person named at the end of each entry. Copies of the proposed forms and supporting documents may be obtained from: Department Clearance Officer, USDA, OIRM, Room 404-W Admin. Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20250, (202) 690-2118.

### Revision

- Consolidated Farm Service Agency Annual Certification Requirements (Part 12 and 718) Assignment of Payments (Part 1404) and Power of Attorney (Part 720)—Addendum  
AD-1026, 1026B, 1026C, 1026U/CCC-502U, 1068, 1069, 1026A

Supplement; ASCS-578, 492, 211, 211-1; CCC-21, 36, 37, 251, 252  
Individuals or households; Farms;  
7,298,538 responses; 2,946,473 hours  
Carol Ernst (202) 720-7634

- Agricultural Marketing Service  
Filberts/Hazelnuts Grown in Oregon  
and Washington; Marketing Order 982  
FV-136, FV-137, FV-137A, FV-138,  
and FV-139

Business or other for-profit; Farms;  
1,557 responses; 352 hours  
Teresa Hutchinson (503) 326-2724

### Extension

- Cooperative State Research,  
Education, and Extension Service  
Grant Application Forms for the  
Small Business Innovation Research  
Program  
Form CSRS-667 and Form CSRS-668  
Business or other for-profit; 480  
responses; 1,920 hours  
Melanie Mychulis (202) 401-5050

**Larry K. Roberson,**

*Deputy Departmental Clearance Officer.*

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## Food Safety and Inspection Service

[Docket No. 94-032N]

### FLD Policy Memoranda; Semi-Annual Listing

**AGENCY:** Food Safety and Inspection Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This document lists and makes available to the public memoranda which were issued by the Food Labeling Division (FLD), Regulatory Programs, Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS). These memoranda contain significant new applications or interpretations of the Federal Meat Inspection Act, the Poultry Products Inspection Act, the regulations promulgated thereunder, or departmental policy concerning labeling.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
Cheryl Wade, Director, Food Labeling

Division, Regulatory Programs, Food Safety and Inspection Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250, (202) 254-2590.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 7 of the Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 607 *et seq.*) and section 8 of the Poultry Products Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 457 *et seq.*), and the regulations promulgated thereunder (9 CFR 301.1 *et seq.* and 9 CFR 381.1 *et seq.*), meat and poultry products which do not bear approved labels or other labeling may not be distributed in commerce for use as human food. Accordingly, FSIS conducts a prior approval program for labels or other labeling (specified in 9 CFR 317.4, 317.5, 381.132 and 381.134) to be used on or in conjunction with federally inspected meat and poultry products.

FSIS's prior labeling approval program is conducted by labeling review experts within FLD. A variety of factors, such as continuing technological innovations in food processing and expanded public concern regarding the presence of various substances in foods, has generated a series of increasingly complex issues which FLD must resolve as part of the prior labeling approval process. In interpreting the Acts and regulations to resolve these issues, FLD may modify its policies on labeling or develop new ones.

Significant or novel interpretations or determinations made by FLD are issued as policy memoranda. This notice lists three FLD policy memoranda which were issued during the period of April 1, 1994, through October 1, 1994.

Persons interested in obtaining copies of the FLD policy memoranda or in being included on a list for automatic distribution of future FLD policy memoranda may write to: Printing and Distribution Section, Paperwork Management Branch, Administrative Services Division, Food Safety and Inspection Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250.

| Memo No.   | Title and date  | Issue   | Reference   |
|------------|---|---|---|
| 016B ..... | Combinations of Ground Beef or Hamburger and Soy Products, August 18, 1994. | Labeling of combinations of ground beef or hamburger and soy products.        | (Supersedes Policy Memo 016A); 9 CFR 317.2(j)(1) and 319.15(c). |
| 019B ..... | Negative Ingredient Labeling, August 18, 1994.                              | Labeling of meat and poultry products bearing negative ingredient statements. | (Supersedes Policy Memo 019A).                                  |
| 114A ..... | Point of Purchase Materials, August 18, 1994.                               | Use of point of purchase promotional materials for meat and poultry products. | (Supersedes Policy Memo 114).                                   |

The FLD policies specified in these memoranda will be uniformly applied to all relevant labeling applications unless modified by future memoranda or more formal Agency actions. Applicants retain all rights of appeal regarding decisions based upon these memoranda.

Done at Washington, DC, on October 19, 1994.

**Cheryl Wade,**

*Director, Food Labeling Division, Regulatory Programs, Food Safety and Inspection Service.*

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**Forest Service**

**Ski Fee System Advisory Committee**

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice; request for nominations.

**SUMMARY:** The Forest Service seeks nominations for the Ski Fee System Advisory Committee established by the Secretary of Agriculture. The purpose of the committee is to advise the Secretary on development of a new ski area permit fee system to be administered by the Forest Service on National Forest System lands.

**DATES:** Nominations must be received in writing by March 27, 1995.

**ADDRESSES:** Send nominations to the Director, Recreations, Heritage, and Wilderness Resources Staff (4 CEN AUD; 2300), Forest Service, USDA, P.O. Box 96090, Washington, DC 20090-6090 or FAX to (202) 205-1145.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Questions about this committee and nominations should be addressed to Lyle Laverty, Director, Recreation, Heritage, and Wilderness Resources Staff, Forest Service, (202) 205-1706.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Forest Service is responsible for developing and administering a permit fee system based on fair market value for the use of National Forest System lands by ski areas. The current graduated rate fee system, in effect since 1972, has been the subject of several appeals and litigation. Further, studies by the General Accounting Office and the

Office of Inspector General have concluded this system does not ensure the agency receives a fee from ski areas under special use permits that represents fair market value.

The Secretary of Agriculture has established the Ski Fee System Advisory Committee (the Committee) to provide advice from a diversity of interests on: The development of a new ski area permit fee system based on fair market value; the methodologies selected and employed by the Forest Service in developing this new system; implementation options the agency might consider; and other matters relating to the new ski area permit fee system as deemed necessary by the Secretary (60 FR 9321, February 17, 1995).

The Secretary has directed the Forest Service to request and coordinate nominations for this committee. The Secretary will appoint the members of the Committee. Nominations should be sent to the address listed earlier in this notice. All appointments to the Committee will follow equal opportunity practices consistent with USDA politics. To ensure that the recommendations of the Committee have taken into account the needs of the diverse groups served by the Department and the Forest Service, membership will include, to the extent practicable, individuals with demonstrated ability to represent minorities, women, and persons with disabilities. To achieve a balance of views, members will represent the ski industry, ski area users, nationally or regionally recognized environmental or resource conservation groups, and employees of State and Federal agencies with jurisdiction over matters related to skiing, public land management, recreational access to public lands, fish and wildlife conservation, or environmental protection. Also, individuals selected for membership will have expertise through their education or practical experience in ski area permit administration, recreation business management, economic sciences, natural management, or similar disciplines.

Dated: February 21, 1995.

**David G. Unger,**

*Associate Chief.*

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**California Spotted Owl EIS**

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces that the public is invited to participate in an open house/information exchange regarding the California Spotted Owl Draft Environmental Impact Statement, as it affects the Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit.

**DATE AND TIME:** March 21, 1995; 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The workshop will be held at the El Dorado County Library, 1000 Rufus Allen Boulevard, in South Lake Tahoe, California.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Linda Massey, Public Affairs Officer or Robert McDowell, Planning Staff Officer; USFS-Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit; 870 Emerald Bay Road, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150; (916) 573-2600.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Forest Service has released a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) to amend the Pacific Southwest Regional Guide and Sierran Province forest plans with new management direction for the California Spotted Owl. The purpose of this meeting is to exchange information with the public regarding how the DEIS and the preferred alternative will affect the Lake Tahoe Basin.

The workshop will be informally structured and includes no formal presentations. Participants may drop in at their convenience anytime during workshop hours to meet one-on-one with Forest Service representatives who can answer questions and otherwise discuss the DEIS. Informational displays