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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Marketing Service

[Docket No. CN-95-003]

Advisory Committee on Universal Cotton Standards; Meeting

AGENCY: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, the Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) announces a forthcoming meeting of the Advisory Committee on Universal Cotton Standards.

DATES: June 15, 1995, at 9:00 a.m. through June 16, 1995.

PLACE: June 15, Peabody Hotel, 149 Union Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee 38103. Phone (901) 529-4000.

June 16 at USDA, Agricultural Marketing Service, Cotton Division offices at 3275 Appling Road, Memphis, Tennessee 38133. Phone (901) 384-3000. The meeting is open to the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Harmon H. Ramey, Jr., Fiber Technology Branch, Cotton Division, AMS, USDA, 3275 Appling Road, Memphis, Tennessee 38133; (901) 384-3040.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The committee includes representatives of all segments of the U.S. cotton industry and the twenty-one overseas associations that are signatories to the Universal Cotton Standards Agreement. The purpose of the meeting is: (1) to recommend to the Secretary of Agriculture any changes considered necessary to the Universal Standards; and (2) to review freshly prepared sets of Universal Cotton Standards for conformity with existing standards.

Written comments may be submitted in advance or following the meeting to Dr. Ramey. Notice of this meeting is provided in accordance with section 10 (a) (2) of the Federal Advisory

Committee Act (Public Law No. 92-463).

Dated: May 10, 1995.

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Administrator.

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Forest Service

High Uintas Wilderness Management Plan; Ashley and Wasatch-Cache National Forests, Duchesne and Summit Counties, UT

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

SUMMARY: The Forest Service will prepare an environmental impact statement on a proposal to preserve the values in the High Uintas Wilderness at the resource, social, and managerial conditions described in the 1964 Wilderness Act.

DATES: To be most useful, comments concerning the scope of the analysis should be received in writing by June 19, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Send written comments to Joseph R. Bistrski, District Ranger, Duchesne Ranger District, Ashley National Forest, PO Box 981, Duchesne, Utah 84021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gayne Sears, ID Team Leader, (801) 722-5018 at the address above.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In 1984, 460,000 acres of the Ashley and Wasatch-Cache National Forests were designated as the High Uintas Wilderness with the passage of the Utah Wilderness Act. The High Uintas Wilderness is located within the Uintas Range in northeastern Utah. It is the largest designated wilderness in the State of Utah.

The 1964 Wilderness Act defines wilderness as a place affected primarily by nature, where people are visitors who do not remain, and where natural ecological processes operate freely. Outstanding opportunities for solitude and primitive recreation are available. As human use increases and the demand for this type of opportunity grows, some areas in the High Uintas Wilderness no longer possess these wilderness attributes. Other more

remote areas are at risk of losing existing wilderness qualities.

In order to meet the intent of the Wilderness Act, we propose to amend the Ashley and Wasatch-Cache Forest Plans to define resource, social, and managerial desired conditions to (A) maintain a wilderness where ecosystems are influenced primarily by the forces of nature, and (B) as consistent with (A) above, provide a diversity of opportunities for public use, enjoyment and understanding of wilderness so a high quality wilderness resource is preserved for present and future generations.

The proposed action is programmatic in nature and will not result in on the ground actions (further NEPA analysis will be required for on the ground proposals.) The proposed action divides the wilderness into management zones designed to achieve desired wilderness conditions. Class I zones are characterized by an unmodified natural environment where encounters with others are rare and human impact not evident. Class II zones are characterized by a predominantly unmodified natural environment where some human impact is evident (but will recover). Class III zones are characterized by a predominantly unmodified natural environment, however some sites are substantially affected by the actions of users. Encounters with others are common; trails are developed, maintained, and signed.

The proposed action assigns class descriptions to portions of the wilderness depending upon desired conditions. Alternatives might include a map divided into zones favoring human use opportunities, a map divided into zones favoring less human influence on natural processes, and maps displaying zones with a combination of natural processes and human uses. Proposed action maps are available upon request.

In response to existing laws and authorities, the scope of the analysis will not include the following: (1) Fish Stocking. As directed in Forest Service Manual 2323.34, the Regional Forester will develop a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the state outlining a stocking policy for the High Uintas Wilderness. (2) Livestock Grazing. Grazing decisions (stocking rates, grazing systems, boundary changes, etc.) will continue to be made in Allotment Management Plans or the

equivalent (resource planning decisions). Further public participation will be sought during Allotment Management Planning NEPA analysis and public scoping.

Preliminary planning assessments (initiated in 1990) included: public sensing, data collection, and analysis for development of desired conditions. Public participation is especially important at several points during the analysis. Individuals, organizations, federal, state, and local agencies who are interested in, or affected by the decision are invited to participate in the scoping process. Your responses will be used in preparation of the draft EIS.

The Responsible Officials for this decision are Bert Kulesza, Forest Supervisor, Ashley National Forest, 355 N. Vernal Ave., Vernal UT 84078, and Bernie Weingardt, Forest Supervisor, Wasatch-Cache National Forest, 8230 Federal Building, 125 South State St., Salt Lake City, UT 84138.

To complete the scoping process, we need your comments by June 19, 1995. The next major opportunity for public input is the draft EIS. The draft EIS is expected to be filed with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and be available for public review in July, 1995. The Final EIS and Record of Decision is expected in November, 1995.

The comment period on the draft environmental impact statement is 45 days from the date the Environmental Protection Agency's notice of availability appears in the **Federal Register**. It is very important that those interested in this proposed action participate at that time. To be the most helpful, comments on the draft environmental impact statement should be as specific as possible and may address the adequacy of the statement or the merits of the alternatives discussed (see *The Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for implementing the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act* at 40 CFR 1503.3 in addressing these points).

In addition, Federal court decisions have established that reviewers of draft environmental impact statements must structure their participation in the environmental review of the proposal so that it is meaningful and alerts the agency to the reviewers' position and contentions. *Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corp. v. NRDC*, 435 U.S. 519, 553 (1978). Environmental objections that could have been raised at the draft stage may be waived if not raised until after completion of the final environmental impact statement. *City of Angoon v. Hodel*, (9th Circuit, 1986) and *Wisconsin Heritages, Inc. v. Harris*, 490

F. Supp. 1334, 1338 (E.D. Wis. 1980). The reason for this is to ensure that substantive comments and objections are made available to the Forest Service at a time when it can meaningfully consider them and respond to them in a final.

Dated: May 5, 1995.

Bert Kulesza,

Forest Supervisor, Ashley National Forest.
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Intergovernmental Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Intergovernmental Advisory Committee (IAC) will meet on June 1, 1995, at the Sheraton Portland Airport Hotel, 8235 NE. Airport Way, Portland, Oregon 97230. The purpose of the meeting is to continue discussions on the implementation of the Northwest Forest Plan. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. on June 1 and continue until 5 p.m. Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Discussions on revisions to the federal watershed analysis guide; (2) a report on the federal "jobs-in-the-woods" program; (3) a report on the final draft implementation monitoring plan, and discussions regarding monitoring; and (4) an update on information data sharing efforts on specific activities. The IAC meeting will be open to the public. Written comments may be submitted for the record at the meeting. Time will also be scheduled for oral public comments. Interested persons are encouraged to attend.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions regarding this meeting may be directed to Don Knowles, Executive Director, Regional Ecosystem Office, 333 SW. 1st Avenue, PO Box 3623, Portland, OR 97208 (Phone: 503-326-6265).

Dated: May 10, 1995.

G.S. Sims,

Acting Designated Federal Official.
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Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee will meet on June 7, 1995, in Tumwater, Washington, at the Tyee Motor Inn, near

Interstate 5 at Exit No. 102. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. and continue until 4:30 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to provide Advisory Committee members information on Gifford Pinchot National Forest land and resource management programs, and their relationships to the President's Northwest Forest Plan.

Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Approval of previous meeting minutes; (2) Advisory Committee updates on agency/interest activities; (3) Forest presentation of 1996 program of work; (4) Advisory Committee discussions on program of work; (5) Public Open Forum; (6) U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service presentation on "Jobs-in-the-Woods" program; and (7) Status report on Cispus Adaptive Management Area Strategy.

All Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee meetings are open to the public. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend. The "open forum" provides opportunity for the public to bring issues, concerns, and discussion topics to the Advisory Committee. The "open forum" is scheduled near the conclusion of this meeting. Interested speakers will need to register at the door. The committee welcomes the public's written comments on committee business at any time.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Direct questions regarding this meeting to Mark Maggiora, Public Affairs Officer, at (360) 750-5007, or write Forest Headquarters Office, Gifford Pinchot National Forest, 6926 E. Fourth Plain Blvd., PO Box 8944, Vancouver, WA 98668.

Dated: May 10, 1995.

Richard Stem,

Resources Staff Officer.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Preliminary Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value and Postponement of the Final Determination: Manganese Sulfate From the People's Republic of China

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 16, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dorothy Tomaszewski or Erik Warga, Office of Antidumping Investigations,