

Information (NOI) No. 23, published in the Federal Register on December 7, 1994 (59 FR 63101), and NOI No. 24, published in the Federal Register on May 19, 1995 (60 FR 26897), by establishing an exception to the prohibitions described in these notices. These Notices were issued pursuant to Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) Notification to the Parties No. 800, issued on April 21, 1994, and No. 833, issued on January 20, 1995, respectively. This notice establishes that, until further notice, shipments of specimens of a species of wildlife from countries that are subject to the prohibitions announced in Notices of Information No. 23 and No. 24 and CITES Notifications No. 800 and No. 833 for that species, may be imported into the United States from an intermediary country (country of re-export) *only* if: such shipments are accompanied by acceptable CITES documents proving that the wildlife specimens involved were imported into that re-exporting country prior to the date of issuance of the earliest CITES Notification (No. 800 or No. 833) that applied to that specimen.

DATES: This notice is effective on January 23, 1996. This notice will be effective until further notice.

ADDRESSES: Dr. Susan Lieberman, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Room 420C, Arlington, VA 22203, regarding Notifications to the Parties, or Thomas Striegler, Special Agent in Charge, Investigations, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Law Enforcement, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Room 500, Arlington, VA 22203.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Susan S. Lieberman, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, telephone (703)358-2093, regarding Notification to the Parties, or Thomas Striegler, Special Agent in Charge, Investigations, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Law Enforcement, telephone (703)358-1949, for enforcement actions.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Since the publication by the Service of NOI 23 and NOI 24, concern has been expressed by some of the CITES Party countries (especially those that re-export finished products containing wildlife) that existing stockpiles of specimens of species that were in fact imported into these Party countries prior to the issuance of CITES Notification numbers 800 and 833 are still subject to the prohibitions established in NOI 23 and NOI 24. The Service agrees that such specimens should not be subject to the

prohibitions established in NOI 23 and NOI 24. Therefore, the Service will allow the import of shipments of such re-exported specimens into the United States only in the circumstance that these shipments are accompanied by a copy of an original CITES permit that proves that these specimens were imported into the country of re-export prior to the issuance of the earliest CITES Notification (No. 800 or No. 833) that applied to the specimen. Shipments of specimens of species that are subject to NOI 23 must be accompanied by a copy of an original CITES permit that proves that such specimens were imported into the country of re-export prior to April 21, 1994. Shipments of specimens of species that are subject to NOI 24, that were not subject to NOI 23, must be accompanied by a copy of an original CITES permit that proves that such specimens were imported into the country of re-export prior to January 20, 1995. This acceptable documentation must be in the form of a copy of the actual export permit or re-export certificate issued by the country of export or re-export that documents the legal shipment of the specimens in question into the country that wishes to ship the same specimens to the United States, and a document that shows that actual import took place prior to April 21, 1994, or January 20, 1995, whichever date applies.

Dated: December 21, 1995.
George T. Frampton, Jr.,
Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks.

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National Park Service

General Management Plan/ Environmental Impact Statement for Oregon Caves National Monument, Oregon

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.
ACTION: Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement.

SUMMARY: The National Park Service will prepare a General Management Plan/Environmental Impact Statement (GMP/EIS) for Oregon Caves National Monument.

A General Management Plan sets forth the basic management philosophy for a unit of the National Park System and provides the strategies for addressing issues and achieving identified management objectives for that unit. In the GMP/EIS and its accompanying public review process, the National Park Service will formulate and evaluate the

environmental impacts of a range of alternatives to address distinct management strategies for the park, including resource protection and visitor use. The plan will guide the management of natural and cultural resources and visitor use of those resources for the next 15 years. Development concept plans for selected facilities may be included with the GMP.

Scoping is the term given to the process by which the scope of issues to be addressed in the GMP/EIS is identified. Representatives of Federal, State and local agencies, American Indian tribes, private organizations and individuals from the general public who may be interested in or affected by the proposed GMP/EIS are invited to participate in the scoping process by responding to this Notice with written comments. All comments received will become part of the public record and copies of comments, including any names, addresses and telephone numbers provided by respondents, may be released for public inspection.

Among the major issues likely to be addressed in the Oregon Caves GMP/EIS are the protection of cave resources, the relationship of forest ecology to cave ecosystems, water quality, viewshed protection, and the array of visitor services that may be provided by park and concession staff. A full range of alternatives, including "no action" and "minimum requirements" alternatives, will be considered in the GMP/EIS to address these and other issues that may emerge during the planning process.

The draft GMP/EIS is expected to be available for public review by early 1997 with the final version of the GMP/EIS and the Record of Decision to be completed by the end of 1997.

The responsible official is Stanley T. Albright, Field Director, Pacific West Area, National Park Service.

DATES: Public scoping meetings will be held Tuesday, 19 March 1996, 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Illinois Valley Senior Center, 520 E. River Street, Cave Junction, OR 97523 and Thursday, 21 March 1996, 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the Grants Pass City Council Chambers, 101 NW "A" Street, Grants Pass, OR 97526. Written comments on the scope of the issues and alternatives to be analyzed in the GMP/EIS should be received no later than 30 April 1996.

ADDRESSES: Written comments concerning the GMP/EIS should be sent to the Superintendent, Oregon Caves National Monument, 19000 Caves Highway, Cave Junction, OR 97523.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Superintendent, Oregon Caves National Monument at the above address or at telephone number (541) 592-2100.

Dated: December 18, 1995.

William C. Walters,
Deputy Field Director, Pacific West Area,
National Park Service.

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Dayton Aviation Heritage Commission

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets the schedule for the forthcoming meeting of the Dayton Aviation Heritage Commission. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463).

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Monday, February 26, 1996; 5:15 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Innerwest Priority Board conference room, 1024 West Third Street, Dayton, Ohio 45407.

AGENDA TOPICS INCLUDE: Update on the park and general management plan. This business meeting will be open to the public. Space and facilities to accommodate members of the public are limited and persons accommodated on a first-come, first-served basis. The Chairman will permit attendees to address the Commission, but may restrict the length of presentations. An agenda will be available from the Superintendent, Dayton Aviation, one week prior to the meeting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William Gibson, Superintendent, Dayton Aviation, National Park Service, P.O. Box 9280, Wright Brothers Station, Dayton, Ohio 45409, or telephone 513-225-7705.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Dayton Aviation Heritage Commission was established by Public Law 102-419, October 16, 1992.

Dated: January 9, 1996.

William W. Schenk,
Field Director, Midwest Field Area.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731-TA-740
(Preliminary)]

Sodium Azide From Japan

AGENCY: United States International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Institution and scheduling of a preliminary antidumping investigation.

SUMMARY: The Commission hereby gives notice of the institution of preliminary antidumping investigation No. 731-TA-740 (Preliminary) under section 733(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended by section 212(b) of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA), Public Law 103-465, 108 Stat. 4809 (1994) (19 U.S.C. 1673b(a)) to determine whether there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured, or is threatened with material injury, or the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of imports from Japan of sodium azide, provided for in subheading 2850.00.50.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are alleged to be sold in the United States at less than fair value. Unless the Department of Commerce extends the time for initiation pursuant to section 732(c)(1)(B), the Commission must complete preliminary antidumping investigations in 45 days, or in this case by March 1, 1996. The Commission's views are due at the Department of Commerce within 5 business days thereafter, or by March 8.

For further information concerning the conduct of this investigation and rules of general application, consult the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 201, subparts A through E (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A and B (19 CFR part 207).

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 16, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Fred Ruggles (202-205-3187), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by assessing its internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov> or <ftp://ftp.usitc.gov>).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background.—This investigation is being instituted in response to a petition filed on January 16, 1996, by American Azide Corporation, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Participation in the investigation and public service list.—Persons (other than petitioners) wishing to participate in the investigation as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary

to the Commission, as provided in sections 201.11 and 207.10 of the Commission's rules, not later than seven (7) days after publication of this notice in the Federal Register. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to this investigation upon the expiration of the period for filing entries of appearance.

Limited disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI) under an administrative protective order (APO) and BPI service list.—Pursuant to section 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in this preliminary investigation available to authorized applicants under the APO issued in the investigation, provided that the application is made not later than seven (7) days after the publication of this notice in the Federal Register. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.

Conference.—The Commission's Director of Operations has scheduled a conference in connection with this investigation for 9:30 a.m. on February 6, 1996, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC. Parties wishing to participate in the conference should contact Fred Ruggles (202-205-3187) not later than February 2, 1996, to arrange for their appearance. Parties in support of the imposition of antidumping duties in this investigation and parties in opposition to the imposition of such duties will each be collectively allocated one hour within which to make an oral presentation at the conference. A nonparty who has testimony that may aid the Commission's deliberations may request permission to present a short statement at the conference.

Written submissions.—As provided in sections 201.8 and 207.15 of the Commission's rules, any person may submit to the Commission on or before February 9, 1996, a written brief containing information and arguments pertinent to the subject matter of the investigation. Parties may file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the conference no later than three (3) days before the conference. If briefs or written testimony contain BPI, they must conform with the requirements of sections 201.6, 207.3, and 207.7 of the Commission's rules.

In accordance with sections 201.16(c) and 207.3 of the rules, each document filed by a party to the investigation must