

Section 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (30 U.S.C. 188 (d) and (e)), the Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate the lease effective October 1, 1995, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above, and the reimbursement for cost of publication of this Notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lourdes B. Ortiz, BLM, New Mexico State Office, (505) 438-7586.

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Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease; New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of Public Law 97-451, a petition for reinstatement of Oil and Gas Lease TXNM 26414, Shelby County, Texas, was timely filed and was accompanied by all required rentals and royalties accruing from October 1, 1995, the date of the termination. No valid lease has been issued affecting the land. The lessee(s) have agreed to new lease terms for rentals and royalties at rates of \$5.00 per acre, or fraction thereof, and 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ percent, respectively. Payment of a \$500.00 administrative fee has been made. Having met all the requirements for reinstatement of the lease as set in Section 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (30 U.S.C. 188 (d) and (e)), the Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate the lease effective October 1, 1995, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above, and the reimbursement for cost of publication of this Notice.

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[NM-932-1310-01; TXNM 26413]

Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease; New Mexico

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of Public Law 97-451, a petition for reinstatement of Oil and Gas Lease TXNM 26413, Shelby County, Texas, was timely filed and was accompanied by all required rentals and royalties accruing from October 1, 1995, the date of the termination. No valid lease has been issued affecting the land. The lessee(s) have agreed to new lease terms for rentals and royalties at rates of \$5.00 per acre, or fraction thereof, and 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ percent, respectively. Payment of a \$500.00 administrative fee has been made. Having met all the requirements for reinstatement of the lease as set in Section 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (30 U.S.C. 188 (d) and (e)), the Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate the lease effective October 1, 1995, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above, and the reimbursement for cost of publication of this Notice.

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Intent To Prepare an Arizona Statewide Plan Amendment, To Develop State Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Grazing Management

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Intent and Notice of Scoping Period.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 202(a) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and Section 102(2) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), the Arizona Bureau of Land Management will be preparing a Statewide plan amendment to develop State Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Grazing Management as provided in the BLM's new grazing regulations (43 CFR

Part 4100). All existing land use plans (LUP) in the State of Arizona, whether resource management plan (RMP) or management framework plan (MFP), will be amended. The appropriate level of NEPA analysis used, either an environmental assessment (EA) level or environmental impact statement (EIS) level, will be determined based on comments received during the scoping period. This notice invites public input on the development of Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Grazing Management for Arizona, on issues to be addressed, alternatives to be considered, and the appropriate level of NEPA analysis needed.

DATES: Comments will be accepted throughout the Statewide plan amendment and NEPA analysis process. However, comments received after March 4, 1996, may not be reflected in the alternatives considered or issues analyzed in the plan amendment and associated NEPA document released for public review and comment (anticipated release is mid-May 1996).

ADDRESSES: Any comments or requests to be placed on the mailing list should be sent to: Standards and Guidelines (AZ-930); Bureau of Land Management, P.O. Box 16563, Phoenix, AZ, 85011-6563.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Clint Oke or Ken Mahoney; Co-Team Leaders; Bureau of Land Management (AZ-930); P.O. Box 16563; Phoenix, AZ, 85011-6563; phone (602) 650-0513.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The BLM's new grazing administration regulations (43 CFR Part 4100), which became effective August 21, 1995, provide for the development of State Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Grazing Management. These Standards and Guidelines are to be approved and implemented through an integrated planning and NEPA process using an interdisciplinary team of specialists pursuant to BLM's Planning Regulations (43 CFR part 1600). All existing LUPs for public lands in the State of Arizona will be amended. At this point in time, it is undecided what level of NEPA analysis (EA-level or EIS-level) will be needed.

Description of Possible Alternatives

At this time three preliminary reasonable alternatives have been identified: the continuation of current management as provided for in existing land use plans (no action alternative), the adoption of the fallback Standards and Guidelines contained in the Grazing Regulations (43 CFR Part 4100), and the adoption of Standards and Guidelines developed locally and in consultation