

periods. All PAC meetings are open to the public. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Connie Hendryx, USDA, Klamath National Forest, 1312 Fairlane Road, Yreka, California 96097; telephone 916-842-6131, (FTS) 700-467-1309.

Dated: February 22, 1996.

Barbara Holder,

Designated Federal Official.

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Natural Resources Conservation Service

PTE-26b Brady Canal Hydrologic Restoration Project, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana; Finding of No Significant Impact

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of a Finding of No Significant Impact.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969; the Council on Environmental Quality Guidelines (40 CFR Part 1500); and the Natural Resources Conservation Service Guidelines (7 CFR Part 650); the Natural Resources Conservation Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, gives notice that an environmental impact statement is not being prepared for the Brady Canal Hydrologic Restoration Project, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Donald W. Gohmert, State Conservationist, Natural Resources Conservation Service, 3737 Government Street, Alexandria, Louisiana 71302; telephone (318) 473-7751.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The environmental assessment of the federally assisted action indicates that the project will not cause significant local, regional, or national impacts on the environment. As a result of these findings, Donald W. Gohmert, State Conservationist, has determined that the preparation and review of an environmental impact statement is not needed for this project.

This plan proposes to maintain and enhance wetland loss on 7,653 acres of combination marsh in Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana. Project measures include 315 linear feet of rock plug, 15,000 linear feet of earthen embankment, maintenance of 21,600 linear feet of overflow embankment, replacement of three fixed crest weirs with variable crest sections,

replacement of one fixed crest weir, construction of one fixed crest weir with a barge bay, and two stabilized channel rock cross-sections.

The notice of a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) has been forwarded to the Environmental Protection Agency and to various federal, state, and local agencies and interested parties. A limited number of copies of the FONSI are available to fill single copy requests at the above address. Basic data developed during the environmental assessment are on file and may be reviewed by contacting Donald W. Gohmert.

No administrative action in implementation of the proposal will be taken until 30 days after the date of this publication in the Federal Register.

Donald W. Gohmert,

State Conservationist.

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Rural Telephone Bank

Determination of the 1995 Fiscal Year Interest Rates on Rural Telephone Bank Loans

AGENCY: Rural Telephone Bank.

ACTION: Technical correction to Notice of 1995 fiscal year interest rates determination.

SUMMARY: The Rural Telephone Bank (Bank) hereby announces a technical amendment to a footnote regarding the Bank's calculation of the interest rate to be applied to loan advances made from the financing account during fiscal year 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Barbara L. Eddy, Deputy Assistant Governor, Rural Telephone Bank, room 4056, South Building, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250, telephone number (202) 720-9556.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with 7 CFR 1610.10, on November 9, 1995, the Bank published its fiscal year 1995 interest rates for advances on liquidating and financing account loans (60 FR 56561). Interest rates for advances on liquidating and financing account loans are based on the Bank's cost of money. The cost of money rate methodology is the same for both accounts. It develops a weighted average rate for the Bank's cost of money considering total fiscal year loan advances; the excess of fiscal year loan advances over amounts received in the fiscal year from the issuances of Class A, B, and C stocks, debentures and other obligations; and the costs to the Bank of obtaining funds from these sources.

The interest rate for advances during fiscal year 1995 on financing account loans was established as shown in Table 1b, Financing Account, Cost of Money Rate, of the aforementioned notice (60 FR 56563). One component of the calculation to determine the cost of money rate for fiscal year 1995 was the issuance of debentures and other obligations.

As indicated in footnote number 2 to Table 1b, obligations incurred by the Bank, that is, funds borrowed for fiscal year 1995 financing account loan advances, were in excess of its borrowers' demands by approximately \$90.4 million. In conformance with the established practice of the Bank, these excess funds would therefore be carried over to make advances in the next fiscal year (fiscal year 1996).

Subsequent to the Bank establishing its costs of money rate for fiscal year 1995, the practice of carrying over funds from one fiscal year to another was discontinued. The \$90.4 million in excess funds will therefore not be used to make advances in fiscal year 1996 as previously indicated in footnote number 2 to Table 1b (60 FR 56563).

The Bank's fiscal year 1995 cost of money rates previously established at 6.04% and 6.88% for advances from the liquidating account and financing account, respectively, remain unchanged (60 FR 56561).

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Wally Beyer,

Governor, Rural Telephone Bank.

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Rural Utilities Service

Notice of Request for Reinstatement of a Previously Approved Information Collection for Which Approval Has Expired

AGENCY: Rural Utilities Service, USDA.

ACTION: Proposed collection; comments requested.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended), this notice announces the Rural Utilities Service's (RUS) intentions to reinstate a previously approved information collection for which approval has expired.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received by May 3, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dawn D. Wolfgang, Management Analyst, Program Support Staff, Rural Utilities Service, U.S. Department of