

consequences, and applicable laws, regulations, and policies in making a decision regarding this proposal. The responsible official will document the decision and rationale in the Record of Decision. That decision will be subject to appeal.

Dated: February 23, 1996.

Raymond E. LaBoa,
District Ranger, Georgetown Ranger District,
Eldorado National Forest.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Computer System Security and Privacy Advisory Board, Meeting

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App., notice is hereby given that the Computer System Security and Privacy Advisory Board will meet Wednesday, March 27 and Thursday, March 28, 1996 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Advisory Board was established by the Computer Security Act of 1987 (P.L. 100-235) to advise the Secretary of Commerce and the Director of NIST on security and privacy issues pertaining to federal computer systems. All sessions will be open to the public.

DATES: The meeting will be held on March 27 and 28, 1996 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will take place at the National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899-0001.

Agenda:

- Welcome, Introduction of New Members, and Overview
- Issues Update
- Encryption Update
- Telecommuting Security Issues
- NARA E-Mail Policy Briefing
- Pending Business
- Public Participation
- Agenda development for June meeting
- Wrap-Up

Public participation: The Board agenda will include a period of time, not to exceed thirty minutes, for oral comments and questions from the public. Each speaker will be limited to five minutes. Members of the public who are interested in speaking are asked to contact the Board Secretariat at the

telephone number indicated below. In addition, written statements are invited and may be submitted to the Board at any time. Written statements should be directed to the Computer Systems Laboratory, Building 820, Room 426, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-0001. It would be appreciated if fifteen copies of written material were submitted for distribution to the Board by March 11, 1996. Approximately 20 seats will be available for the public and media.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Edward Roback, Board Secretariat, Computer Systems Laboratory, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Building 820, Room 426, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-0001, telephone: (301) 975-3696.

Dated: February 27, 1996.

Samuel Kramer,
Associate Director.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Meetings

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council's Squid, Mackerel, Butterfish Committee and Large Pelagics Committee will hold public meetings.

DATES: The meetings will be held on March 19, 1996. The Squid, Mackerel, Butterfish Committee will meet from 9:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. The Large Pelagics Committee will meet from 2:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Days Inn (at airport), 4101 Island Avenue, Philadelphia, PA; telephone: (215) 492-0400.

Council Address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19901; telephone: (302) 674-2331.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David R. Keifer, Executive Director; telephone: (302) 674-2331.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of these meetings is to review material prepared by staff for resubmission of Amendment 5 to the Squid, Mackerel, Butterfish Plan, and to

discuss the quota for large coastal sharks and issues related to Atlantic tunas and swordfish.

Special Accommodations

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Joanna Davis at (302) 674-2331 at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: February 28, 1996.

Richard W. Surdi,

Acting Director, Office of Fisheries Conservation and Management, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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Endangered Species; Permits

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Receipt of applications for a scientific research permit (P770#70) and modifications to two scientific research permits (P563A and P510).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Coastal Zone and Estuarine Studies Division, NMFS, in Seattle, WA (CZESD) has applied in due form for a permit and the Northern Wasco County People's Utility District in The Dalles, OR (NWCPUD) and the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes in Fort Hall, ID (SBT) have applied in due form for modifications to permits to take endangered and threatened species for the purpose of scientific research.

DATES: Written comments or requests for a public hearing on any of these applications must be received on or before April 4, 1996.

ADDRESSES: The applications and related documents are available for review in the following offices, by appointment:

Office of Protected Resources, F/PR8, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3226 (301-713-1401); and

Environmental and Technical Services Division, 525 NE Oregon Street, Suite 500, Portland, OR 97232-4169 (503-230-5400).

Written comments or requests for a public hearing should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: CZESD requests a permit and NWCPUD and SBT request modifications to permits

under the authority of section 10 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA) (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543) and the NMFS regulations governing listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 217-227).

CZESD (P770#70) requests a 3-year permit to directly take juvenile, threatened, Snake River spring/summer and fall chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) and juvenile, endangered, Snake River sockeye salmon (*Oncorhynchus nerka*) and to indirectly take juvenile, threatened, Snake River spring/summer and fall chinook salmon and juvenile, endangered, Snake River sockeye salmon associated with four studies designed to evaluate existing and proposed juvenile fish bypass systems at four hydroelectric dams on the Snake and Columbia Rivers. Study 1 will evaluate the new juvenile bypass facility at Ice Harbor Dam. Listed juvenile fish are proposed to be collected and sacrificed for blood chemical analysis as a means to measure stress reaction to stimulus experienced by fish at the facility. A greater proportion of listed juvenile fish are proposed to be indirectly captured and released to acquire the juvenile fish to be sacrificed for the study. The take associated with Study 1 is requested annually for three years.

Studies 2-4 will evaluate the effectiveness of juvenile fish guidance devices and other important bypass system components at Little Goose Dam, McNary Dam, and John Day Dam respectively. A proportion of the listed juvenile fish that are successfully diverted from hydropower turbines are proposed to be captured, anesthetized, examined, counted, allowed to recover from the anesthetic, and released. A proportion of the listed juvenile fish that fail to enter the fish bypass system at John Day Dam only (Study 4) are proposed to be captured and sacrificed. Some indirect mortalities of the listed juvenile fish proposed to be taken for Studies 2-4 are likely to occur. The takes associated with Studies 2-4 are requested for 1996 only.

NWCPUD (P563A) requests modification 1 to permit 948 for an increase in their authorized annual take of ESA-listed species associated with scientific research and monitoring activities. Permit 948 authorizes a take of juvenile, endangered, Snake River sockeye salmon (*Oncorhynchus nerka*); juvenile, threatened, naturally-produced and artificially-propagated, Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*); and juvenile, threatened, Snake River fall chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) associated with an annual study designed to assess run-of-the-river

juvenile anadromous fish condition after passage through the screened turbine intake channel at The Dalles Dam, located on the Columbia River. A greater number of juvenile, listed, artificially-propagated, Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon and juvenile, listed, Snake River fall chinook salmon are requested to be captured and handled, with a corresponding increase in the number of indirect mortalities, as a result of NMFS's 1996 juvenile outmigration estimates. Modification 1 is requested for the duration of the permit. Permit 948 expires on September 30, 1999.

SBT (P510) requests modification 3 to scientific research permit 849. Permit 849 authorizes a take of adult and juvenile, threatened, Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon associated with stock assessment and fish condition surveys in the Salmon River subbasin and the pond series of Yankee Fork, Salmon River in Idaho. For modification 3, SBT requests to expand the area of their electrofishing research to include the Salmon River subbasin, an area previously unspecified for this research activity. Modification 3 would be valid for the duration of the permit. Permit 849 expires on November 30, 1997.

Those individuals requesting a hearing (see ADDRESSES) should set out the specific reasons why a hearing on any of these applications would be appropriate. The holding of such hearing is at the discretion of the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NOAA. All statements and opinions contained in these application summaries are those of the applicants and do not necessarily reflect the views of NMFS.

Dated: February 27, 1996.

Russell J. Bellmer,

Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Operational Summary of Grayrocks Reservoir and Water Usage of the Laramie River Station, 16th Annual Report, for the Water Year Ending September 30, 1995, published in conjunction with the Endangered Species Act exemption granted to Grayrocks Dam and Reservoir by the Endangered Species Committee in February, 1979

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dinah Bear, General Counsel, Council on Environmental Quality, 722 Jackson Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20503. Telephone: 202/395-5750.

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Associate General Counsel, Council on Environmental Quality.

Operational Summary of Grayrocks Reservoir and Water Usage of the Laramie River Station—16th Annual Report For the Water Year Ending September 30, 1995

Purpose of Report

In compliance with the AGREEMENT OF SETTLEMENT AND COMPROMISE, the Missouri Basin Power Project has agreed to submit an annual report to all signed parties of the AGREEMENT OF SETTLEMENT AND COMPROMISE concerning the operation of Grayrocks Reservoir. This report provides data gathered from metering and gaging stations pertinent to the operation and administration of Grayrocks Reservoir and the Laramie River Station in compliance with the AGREEMENT OF SETTLEMENT AND COMPROMISE.

Report of Operation

The 1994-1995 water year started out as another drought year; from October 1, 1994 until March 25, 1995 Grayrocks Reservoir only gained 300.0 acre feet in storage. From March 25, 1995 to May 8, 1995 Grayrocks Reservoir storage decreased 2000.0 acre feet. However, spring and earlier summer rain and snow kept the Laramie River inflow to Grayrocks Reservoir above 300.0 cfs from May 8 until July 12.

Grayrocks Reservoir physically filled (104,109 acre feet) on June 6, 1995 and reached a peak storage of 110,603 acre feet on June 10, 1995. The peak inflow to Grayrocks Reservoir occurred on June 8 with a flow of 4220.0 cfs; the peak release from Grayrocks Reservoir occurred on June 10 with a flow of 3038.0 cfs as measured at Grayrocks Reservoir outflow gage.

Grayrocks Reservoir storage on September 30, 1995 was 99,217 acre feet (1.4 feet from being physically filled).