

parties may submit comments regarding the indemnity selection and disposal of the selected public lands to the District Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 3948 Development Ave., Boise, ID 83705. Objections will be reviewed by the State Director who may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action. In the absence of any planning protests or objections regarding the indemnity selection, the planning amendment will be in effect and this realty action will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following described lands have been examined and through the public supported land use planning process have been determined to be suitable and are hereby classified for disposal via the indemnity selection by the State of Idaho pursuant to Sections 2275 and 2276 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (43 U.S.C. 851, 852). The land will not be transferred until at least 60 days after the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register.

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 17 N., R. 4 E.,
Section 21; S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$,
Section 22; N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$.
T. 18 N., R. 4 E.,
Section 17; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
Section 19; E $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$.

The following described lands have been examined and through the public supported land use planning process have been determined to not be suitable for disposal via the indemnity selection by the State of Idaho pursuant to Sections 2275 and 2276 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (43 U.S.C. 851, 852).

Boise Meridian, Idaho

T. 17 N., R. 4 E.,
Section 21; S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$,
Section 33; E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Section 35; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$.

This Decision is in accordance with the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (Pub. L. 93-205, 87 Stat. 884, 16 U.S.C. 1531), E.O. No. 11593, National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (80 Stat. 915, 16 U.S.C. 470 *et seq.*), as amended, National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (Pub. L. 91-190, 83 Stat. 852; 42 U.S.C. 4321), Federal Land Policy and Management Act of October 21, 1976 (Pub. L. 94-579, 90 Stat. 2743 Section 102(8)), and Section 7 of the Taylor Grazing Act, (43 U.S.C. 315, 315a-315r). This Classification action meets the criteria in, and is made pursuant to 43 CFR 2410.1(a)-(d), and 2450. The purpose of this indemnity selection is to satisfy a portion of the debt owed to the State of Idaho by the federal government

for school endowment lands not available for transfer to the State at the time of statehood. The reservations, terms, and conditions applicable to the conveyance are:

Excepting and Reserving to the United States:

1. A right-of-way thereon for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States pursuant to the Act of August 30, 1890 (26 Stat. 291; 43 U.S.C. 945).

2. Those rights for an access road granted to the United States Forest Service, its successors or assigns by Right-of-Way IDI-05762, under the Act of January 13, 1916 (44 LD 513).

Any party that participated in the plan amendment and is adversely affected by the amendment may protest this action only as it affects issues submitted for the record during the planning process. The protest shall be in writing and filed with the Director (760), Bureau of Land Management, 1800 "C" Street, NW., Washington, DC 20240, within 30 days of publication of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to the District Manager, Bureau of Land Management, Lower Snake River District, Boise Field Office, 3948 Development Avenue, Boise, Idaho 83705.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John Fend, Cascade Resource Area Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 3948 Development Avenue, Boise, Idaho 83705, (208) 384-3352 or 384-3300.

Dated: August 12, 1996.
Rodger E. Schmitt,
Acting District Manager.
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Rejection of Application for the Conveyance of Federally-Owned Mineral Interests; Oregon

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This action informs the public that an application filed to convey Federally-owned minerals to the private surface estate owners has been rejected. The application was published in the Federal Register on August 7, 1995 (60 FR 40193). This action terminates the mineral segregation.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 16, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pamela J. Chappel, BLM Oregon/ Washington State Office, P.O. Box 2965, Portland, Oregon 97208, 503-952-6170.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that the application filed for acquisition of the mineral estate by the surface estate owners, Harold Nippert and Patricia Nippert of Sandy, Oregon, has been rejected. The application did not meet the requirements of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1719(b)). The lands are described as follows:

Willamette Meridian

T. 20 S., R. 16 E.,
Sec. 26, SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 30, lots 3 and 4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 35, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, and
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$.
T. 21 S., R. 16 E.,
Sec. 1, lots 1-4, inclusive, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$,
and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 2, lot 1.
T. 21 S., R. 17 E.,
Sec. 6, lots 4 and 5.

The areas described aggregate 955.81 acres in Deschutes County.

At 8:30 a.m., on September 16, 1996, the lands described above will be open to appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining laws.

Dated: July 31, 1996.
Sherrie L. Reid,
Acting Chief, Branch of Realty and Records Services.

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Bureau of Reclamation

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Interim South Delta Program, Central Valley, CA

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability on the draft environmental impact report/draft environmental impact statement.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969 (as amended), and the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) and the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) as lead agencies, have prepared a joint draft environmental impact report/draft environmental impact statement (DEIR/DEIS) for the Interim South Delta Program (ISDP). The proposed alternatives provide a means of action to (1) improve water levels and circulation in south Delta channels for local agricultural diversions; and (2) improve south Delta hydraulic conditions to increase diversion into Clifton Court Forebay to optimize the frequency of full pumping