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Notice of Meeting of John Day-Snake Resource Advisory Council

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Prineville District.

ACTION: Meeting of John Day-Snake Resource Advisory Council: Pendleton, Oregon; February 27, 1997.

SUMMARY: A meeting of the John Day-Snake Resource Advisory Council will be held on February 27, 1997 from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, at the Red Lion Inn, 304 SE Nye Ave, Pendleton, Oregon. Public comments will be received from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm on February 27, 1997. Topics to be discussed include the Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Management Project, Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Livestock Grazing on public lands, and Council Work Plan for 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James L. Hancock, Bureau of Land Management, Prineville District Office, 3050 NE Third Street, Prineville, Oregon 97754, or call 541-416-6700.

James L. Hancock,
District Manager.

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Emergency Restriction on Use of Trails on Public Land, Catron County, NM

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Interior.

ACTION: Emergency Use Restriction.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the Las Cruces District is implementing an emergency use restriction on two vehicle trails leading into private property. Effective immediately, the use of motorized vehicles on the following described vehicle trails is restricted to the period from August 15 through November 30 of each year. Motorized vehicles are prohibited from using the trails each year during the period from December 1 through August 14.

The use restriction is implemented to prevent damage to the adjacent and nearby private property. The need for the emergency restriction was based on recurring incidents of property damage and vandalism to improvements on the private property accessed by the vehicle trails. The authority for this emergency restriction is 43 CFR 8364.1: Closure and Restriction Orders. The first vehicle trail begins on the north boundary of U.S. Highway 60, within the public land in section 22 and ends on the south boundary of section 15, all in T. 1 N.,

R. 17 W., NMPM. The second vehicle trail begins on the north boundary of U.S. Highway 60, within public land in the NW¼ of section 22 and ends on the boundary between sections 16 and 21, all in T. 1 N., R. 17 W., NMPM.

The use restriction is not intended to affect valid existing rights or other public land uses on the subject land or rights-of-way of any private landowners. This order is not intended to affect uses or restrictions on New Mexico State-owned land. Persons that are exempt from this restriction are Mr. Robert Wellborn, and any Federal, State or local officer, or member of any organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty, or any person authorized or permitted in writing by the BLM. BLM personnel conducting official duties, cooperating agency personnel, and contractors authorized by the BLM are included in the exemption from this order.

DATES: This order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until rescinded or modified by the Authorized Officer.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ron Dunton, Socorro Resource Area Manager, or Jon Hertz, Chief, Multi-Resources, 198 Neel Avenue, NW., Socorro New Mexico 87801 or at (505) 835-0412.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Violations of this order are punishable by fines not to exceed \$1,000 and/or imprisonment not to exceed 1 year.

This use restriction will be evaluated in an environmental assessment to be completed by the Socorro Resource Area in the near future. Copies of the restriction order and maps showing the location of the trails are available from the Socorro Resource Area Office, 198 Neel Avenue, NW., Socorro, New Mexico 87801.

Dated: January 10, 1997.

Richard T. Watts,
Acting District Manager.

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[NM-930-1310-01; NMNM 83040]

New Mexico: Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease

Under the provisions of Public Law 97-451, a petition for reinstatement of oil and gas lease NMNM 83040 for lands in Eddy County, New Mexico, was timely filed and was accompanied by all required rentals and royalties accruing from January 1, 1996, the date of termination.

No valid lease has been issued affecting the lands. The lessee has

agreed to new lease terms for rentals and royalties at rates of \$10.00 per acre or fraction thereof and 16⅔ percent, respectively. The lessee has paid the required \$500 administrative fee and has reimbursed the Bureau of Land Management for the cost of this Federal Register notice.

The Lessee has met all the requirements for reinstatement of the lease as set out in Sections 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920 (30 U.S.C. 188), and the Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate the lease effective January 1, 1996, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gloria S. Baca, BLM, New Mexico State Office, (505) 438-7566.

Dated: January 10, 1997.

Gloria S. Baca,

Land Law Examiner.

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Fish and Wildlife Service**Revision of The National List of Plant Species That Occur in Wetlands**

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service seeks public input and comment on a revised National List of Plant Species That Occur in Wetlands (Reed 1988) (hereafter, "National list"). The revised National list conforms to Kartesz (1994). A wetland indicator was assigned to each species that expresses the fidelity to wetlands by region and sub-region. The National list was originally developed as an appendix to Cowardin et al.(1979). The National list has also been used to determine the presence of hydrophytic vegetation in the Clean Water Act Section 404 wetland regulatory program and in implementing the swampbuster provisions of the Food Security Act. **DATES:** Comments on the revised National list must be received by April 15, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the revised National list including its regional subdivisions are available on February 15, 1997, from the Fish and Wildlife Service, National Wetlands Inventory, Suite 101, Monroe Building, 9720 Executive Center Drive, St. Petersburg, FL 33702-2440. Electronic copies of the