Dated: February 10, 1997. Ruth L. Kirschstein, *Deputy Director, NIH.* [FR Doc. 97–4259 Filed 2–20–97; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4140–01–M

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Receipt of Applications for Permit

The following applicants have applied for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531, et seq.).

PRT-824189

Applicant: Alexsandr Rivlin, Oak Park, IL.

The applicant requests a permit to import one female Cuban parrot (*Amazona leucocephala*) from Kharkov, Krasnoznamennay, Ukraine for pet purposes.

PRT-825319

Applicant: End of the Road Bird Ranch, Millington, MI.

The applicant requests a permit to import six captive-bred brown-eared pheasants (*Crossoptilon crossoptilon*), ten captive-bred white-eared pheasants (*Crossoptilon mantchuricum*), and four captive-bred Elliot's pheasants (*Syrmaticus ellioti*) from the Beijing Breeding Center, Beijing, China to maintain genetic vitality for captive propagation. PRT-825314

Applicant: Kenneth Behring, Danville, CA.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

PRT-825358

Applicant: Charles J. Watkins, Little Rock, AR.

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus dorcas*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 430, Arlington, Virginia 22203 and must be received by the Director on or before March 24, 1997.

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, *subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act*, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 430, Arlington, Virginia 22203. Phone: (703/358–2104); FAX: (703/358–2281).

Dated: February 14, 1997.

Mary Ellen Amtower,

Acting Chief, Branch of Permits, Office of Management Authority. [FR Doc. 97–4271 Filed 2–20–97; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4310–55–P

Availability of a Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement on Impacts of Artificial Salmon and Steelhead Production Strategies in the Columbia Basin

AGENCIES: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, (lead agency), National Marine Fisheries Service, Bonneville Power Administration (cooperating agencies).

ACTION: Notice of Reopening of Comment Period.

SUMMARY: As specified in the official Notice of Availability (FR, Vol. 61, No. 250, p. 68284), the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) requested comments on the Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement be received by February 10, 1997. This notice announces the Service has reopened the comment period.

DATES: Written comments are requested by May 1, 1997.

ADDRESS WRITTEN COMMENTS: Send comments to PEIS Team Leader, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 911 NE 11 Ave, Portland, Oregon, 97232–4181.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lee Hillwig, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Telephone: 503–872–2766 or Dave Riley, Telephone: 503–226–2460.

Dated: February 13, 1997.

Michael J. Spear,

Regional Director, Region 1, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

[FR Doc. 97–4140 Filed 2–20– 97; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4310–55–P **Bureau of Land Management**

[AK-962-1410-00-P, AA-8446-A, AA-8446-A2]

Notice for Publication; Alaska Native Claims Selection

In accordance with Departmental regulation 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that a decision to issue conveyance under the provisions of Sec. 14(a) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1601, 1613(a), will be issued to The Chenega Corporation for approximately 1,509.46 acres. The lands involved are in the vicinity of Chenega, Alaska.

Seward Meridian, Alaska

U.S. Survey No. 1639

- T. 4 N., R. 7 E.,
- T. 1 N., R. 10 E.,

T. 3 N., R. 7 E.,

A notice of the decision will be published once a week, for four (4) consecutive weeks, in the Anchorage Daily News. Copies of the decision may be obtained by contacting the Alaska State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513– 7599 ((907) 271–5960).

Any party claiming a property interest which is adversely affected by the decision, an agency of the Federal government or regional corporation, shall have until March 24, 1997 to file an appeal. However, parties receiving service by certified mail shall have 30 days from the date of receipt to file an appeal. Appeals must be filed in the Bureau of Land Management at the address identified above, where the requirements for filing an appeal may be obtained. Parties who do not file an appeal in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR part 4, subpart E, shall be deemed to have waived their rights.

Chris Sitbon,

Land Law Examiner, ANCSA Team, Branch of 962 Adjudication. [FR Doc. 97–4282 Filed 2–20–97; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4310–JA–P

[NV-930-1430-00; Nev-059798]

Public Land Order No. 7247; Partial Revocation of Public Land Order No. 3512; Nevada

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Public Land Order.

SUMMARY: This order partially revokes a public land order insofar as it affects