

Sec. 5 S¹/₂SE¹/₄, and SE¹/₄SW¹/₄;
 Sec. 8 NE¹/₄;
 Sec. 9 NW¹/₄, and N¹/₂SW¹/₄;
 Sec. 11, NE¹/₄NW¹/₄.
 Containing 3,403.27 acres.

The coal resource to be offered is limited to coal recoverable by underground mining methods.

The purpose of the hearing is to obtain public comments on the environmental assessment and on the following items:

- (1) The method of mining to be employed to obtain maximum economic recovery of the coal,
- (2) The impact that mining the coal in the proposed leasehold may have on the area, and
- (3) The methods of determining the fair market value of the coal to be offered.

Written requests to testify orally at the April 22, 1998, public hearing should be received at the Uncompahgre Basin Resource Area Office prior to the close of business April 22, 1998. Those who indicate they wish to testify when they register at the hearing may have an opportunity if time is available.

In addition, the public is invited to submit written comments concerning the fair market value and maximum economic recovery of the coal resource. Public comments will be utilized in establishing fair market value for the coal resource in the described lands. Comments should address specific factors related to fair market value including, but not limited to:

1. The quality and quantity of the coal resource.
2. The price that the mined coal would bring in the market place.
3. The cost of producing the coal.
4. The interest rate at which anticipated income streams would be discounted.
5. Depreciation and other accounting factors.
6. The mining method or methods which would achieve maximum economic recovery of the coal.
7. Documented information on the terms and conditions of recent and similar coal land transactions in the lease area, and
8. Any comparable sales data of similar coal lands.

Should any information submitted as comments be considered to be proprietary by the commenter, the information should be labeled as such and stated in the first page of the submission. Written comments on the environmental assessment, maximum economic recovery, and fair market value should be sent to the Uncompahgre Basin Resource Area

Office at the above address prior to close of business on April 22, 1998.

Substantive comments, whether written or oral, will receive equal consideration prior to any lease offering.

The Draft Environmental Assessment and Maximum Economic Recovery Report are available from the Uncompahgre Basin Resource Area Office upon request.

A copy of the Draft Environmental Assessment, the Maximum Economic Recovery Report, the case file, and the comments submitted by the public, except those portions identified as proprietary by the commenter and meeting exemptions stated in the Freedom of Information Act, will be available for public inspection at the Colorado State Office, 2850 Youngfield, Lakewood, Colorado 80215.

Dated: March 31, 1998.

Karen A. Purvis,

Solid Minerals Team, Resource Services.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[WY-921-41-5700; WYW107164]

Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease

Pursuant to the provisions of 30 U.S.C. 188 (d) and (e), and 43 CFR 3108.2-3 (a) and (b)(1), a petition for reinstatement of oil and gas lease WYW107164 for lands in Lincoln County, Wyoming, was timely filed and was accompanied by all the required rentals accruing from the date of termination.

The lessee has agreed to the amended lease terms for rentals and royalties at rates of \$5.00 per acre, or fraction thereof, per year and 16²/₃ percent, respectively.

The lessee has paid the required \$500 administrative fee and \$125 to reimburse the Department for the cost of this **Federal Register** notice. The lessee has met all the requirements for reinstatement of the lease as set out in Section 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Lands Leasing Act of 1920 (30 U.S.C. 188), and the Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate lease WYW107164 effective November 1, 1997, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the

increased rental and royalty rates cited above.

Pamela J. Lewis,

Chief, Leasable Minerals Section.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[ID-957-1040-00]

Idaho: Filing of Plats of Survey; Idaho

The plats of the following described land were officially filed in the Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, Boise, Idaho, effective 9:00 a.m. April 1, 1998.

The plat representing the dependent resurvey of a portion of the north boundary, subdivisional lines, and 1869 meanders of the left bank of the Snake River, and the subdivision of section 4, T. 6 S., R. 6 E., Boise Meridian, Idaho, Group 1010, was accepted April 1, 1998.

This survey was executed to meet certain administrative needs of the Bureau of Land Management. All inquiries concerning the surveys of the above described land must be sent to the Chief, Cadastral Survey, Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, 1387 South Vinnell Way, Boise, Idaho, 83709-1657.

Dated: April 1, 1998.

Duane E. Olsen,

Chief Cadastral Surveyor for Idaho.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[UT-940-1910-00-4677]

Idaho: Filing of Protraction Diagrams in Idaho

The protraction diagrams (7) of the following described land were officially filed in the Idaho State Office, Bureau of Land Management, Boise, Idaho, effective 9:00 a.m. April 1, 1998.

The protraction diagrams (7) for partially surveyed T. 10 S., R. 41 E.; T. 10 S., R. 42 E.; T. 11 S., R. 42 E.; T. 12 S., R. 41 E.; T. 13 S., R. 41 E.; T. 14 N., R. 41 E.; and T. 15 S., R. 41 E., Boise Meridian, Idaho were accepted April 1, 1998. The preparation of these diagrams was requested by the USDA Forest Service, Geomtronics Service Center, to support its mapping program.

All inquiries concerning the survey of the above described land must be sent