

Permit No. TE-026092

Applicant: Paul Kephart, Monterey, California.

The applicant requests a permit to take (maintain and collect seed from nursery-grown plants) the *Erysimum menziesii* (*Menzie's wallflower*) in conjunction with propagation efforts in Monterey County, California for the purpose of enhancing its survival.

DATES: Written comments on these permit applications must be received within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice.

ADDRESSES: Written data or comments should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species, Ecological Services, Fish and Wildlife Service, 911 NE, 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97232-4181; Fax: (503) 231-6243. Please refer to the respective permit number for each application when submitting comments. All comments received, including names and addresses, will become part of the official administrative record and may be made available to the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: 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 within 20 days of the date of publication of this notice to the address above; telephone: (503) 231-2063. Please refer to the respective permit number for each application when requesting copies of documents.

Dated: January 25, 2002.

David J. Wesley,

Regional Director, Region 1, Portland, Oregon.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Indian Affairs****Proposed Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request**

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notification of emergency clearance and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approved an information collection request for emergency clearance under 5 CFR 1320.13. The information

collection, Data Elements for Student Enrollment in Bureau-funded Schools, is cleared under OMB Control Number 1076-0122 through June 30, 2002. We are now seeking comments from interested parties to renew the clearance.

DATES: Written comments must be received by April 8, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be sent to: William Mehojah, Director, Office of Indian Education Programs, Bureau of Indian Affairs, 1849 C Street, NW., Mail Stop 3512-MIB, Washington, DC 20240. You may send requests by facsimile to 202-208-3312.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Glenn Allison, 202-208-3628 (This is not a toll-free number). Copies of this information collection document will be sent to you, free of charge, when you call and request them.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Secretary of the Interior, through the Bureau of Indian Affairs, is required to provide educational services to federally recognized Indians and Alaskan natives. Beginning with the Snyder Act and continuing with Public Laws 93-638, 95-561, 100-297, and 103-382, Congress has enacted legislation to ensure Indians receive educational opportunities. The data elements for enrollment information collected is for attendance in elementary and secondary schools operated and funded by the Bureau of Indian Affairs and to address the criteria for attendance that was changed by the passage of Public Law 99-228. This act allows for the tuition free attendance of any Indian student who is a member of a federally recognized tribe or is 1/4 degree blood quantum descendant of a member of such tribes, as well as for dependents of Bureau, Indian Health Service or tribal government employees who live on or near the school site.

You are asked to comment on the necessity of the information collection to fulfill the functions of the bureau; whether the burden estimate is accurate and the methodology and assumptions are valid; the utility, quality, and clarity of information requested; and ways that the burden might be minimized for respondents.

Please note that an agency may not sponsor or request, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information, unless a valid OMB Control Number is displayed. Comments are available for public review 14 days after the **Federal Register** notice is published. If you wish us to withhold your name and/or address, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your

comments. We will honor your request to the extent allowed by law.

Title: Data Elements for Student Enrollment in Bureau-funded Schools.

Description: Information necessary to enroll students; information is provided to obtain or retain a benefit, specifically education.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0122.

Respondents: 48,000.

Burden: 15 minutes each to complete, total: 12,000 hours.

Dated: January 29, 2002.

Neal A. McCaleb,

Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Minerals Management Service****Preparation of a Programmatic Environmental Assessment for Applications To Inject Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Generated, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Exempt Exploration and Production (E&P) Waste Into Salt Caverns and Caprock on Sulphur and Salt Lease OCS-G 9372, Main Pass Block 299**

AGENCY: Minerals Management Service, Interior.

ACTION: Preparation of an Environmental Assessment and Notice of Public Scoping Meeting.

SUMMARY: Minerals Management Service (MMS) is preparing a programmatic environmental assessment (EA) for applications from OCS oil and gas operators to inject OCS-generated, and RCRA-exempt, exploration and production (E&P) waste into salt caverns and caprock at Main Pass Block 299. Main Pass Block 299 is located 16 miles offshore, east of Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana. Water depth at the proposed waste injection site is 210 feet.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Minerals Management Service, Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, New Orleans, Louisiana 70123-2394, Mr. Clay Pilie', telephone (504) 736-2443.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: Freeport-McMoRan Sulphur LLC (Freeport) has presented the MMS Gulf of Mexico (GOM) Region with a detailed proposal to inject OCS-generated, RCRA-exempt E&P waste into the salt caverns and caprock (the rock formation overlying the salt dome, consisting of anhydrite, limestone, and sulphur ore) that underlies the existing Main Pass Block 299 sulphur and salt Lease OCS-G 9372.