

Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** *Comments Due Date:* May 29, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Lillian Deitzer, Departmental Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 4781, Washington, DC 20410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

James A. Beavers, Acting Director, Office of Single Family Program Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-2121 (this is not a toll free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available information.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department is submitting the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Disclosure of Adjustable Rate Mortgages (ARMS) Rates.

*OMB Control Number, if applicable:* 2502-0322.

*Description of the need for the information and proposed use:* The Housing and Urban-Rural Recovery Act of 1983 amended the National Housing Act to permit FHA to insure adjustable rate mortgages (ARMS). On March 10, 2004, the Department of Housing and Urban Development published a final rule in the **Federal Register** amending the mortgage insurance regulations to implement additional product offerings

known as "hybrid" adjustable rate mortgages. The Federal Housing Administration (FHA) has insured ARMS since 1984; however, these were limited to 1-year ARMS. FHA is now offering mortgage insurance on 3-year, 5-year, 7-year and 10-year ARMS. The terms of all ARMS insured by HUD-FHA are required to be fully disclosed as part of the loan approval process. Additionally, an annual disclosure is required to reflect the adjustment to the interest rate and monthly mortgage amount. Lenders must electronically indicate that the mortgage to be insured is an ARM and the term or type of the ARM.

*Agency form numbers, if applicable:* None.

*Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response:* The estimated number of respondents is 20,000, frequency of response is annually, the total annual responses are 220,000, time per response is estimated at three minutes and the estimated annual burden hours requested is 11,000.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Authority:* The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C., Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: March 23, 2007.

**Frank L. Davis,**

*General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Housing-Deputy Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Land Management

[WY-060-1320-EL, WYW161248, WYW172585, WYW172657, WYW173360]

### Notice of Public Hearing, Notice of Intent To Begin Scoping, and To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Public Hearing, Notice of Intent (NOI) To Begin Scoping, and to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) on Four Federal Coal Lease Applications (LBA) in the Decertified Powder River Federal Coal Production Region, Wyoming.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to Section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy

Act (NEPA) of 1969, as amended, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Casper Field Office announces its intent to prepare one EIS titled "South Gillette Area Coal EIS" on the potential and cumulative impacts of leasing four tracts of Federal coal. Consistent with Federal regulations promulgated for the Minerals Leasing Act of 1920, as amended, 43 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 3425, the BLM must prepare an environmental analysis prior to holding a competitive Federal coal lease sale.

**DATES:** This notice initiates the scoping process. The BLM can best use public input if comments and resource information are submitted to the address below in the **ADDRESSES** section by June 1, 2007.

To provide the public with an opportunity to review the proposal and gain understanding of the coal leasing process, the BLM will host a meeting on April 11, 2007, at 7 p.m. at the Gillette College Presentation Hall, Room 120, 300 West Sinclair, Gillette, Wyoming. At the meeting, the public is invited to submit comments and resource information, plus identify issues or concerns to be considered in the coal leasing process. The BLM will announce future public meetings and other opportunities to submit comments on this project at least 15 days prior to the events. Announcements will be made through local news media and the Casper Field Office's Web site, which is: <http://www.wy.blm.gov/cfo/>.

**ADDRESSES:** Please submit written comments or concerns to the BLM Casper Field Office, Attn: Teresa Johnson, 2987 Prospector Drive, Casper, Wyoming 82604. Written comments or resource information may also be hand-delivered to the BLM Casper Field Office or sent by facsimile to the attention of Teresa Johnson at (307) 261-7510. Comments may be sent electronically to [casper\\_wymail@blm.gov](mailto:casper_wymail@blm.gov). Please put "South Gillette Area Coal EIS/Teresa Johnson" in the subject line.

Members of the public may examine documents pertinent to this proposal by visiting the Casper Field Office during its business hours (7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.), Monday through Friday, except holidays.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Teresa Johnson or Mike Karbs, BLM Casper Field Office, 2987 Prospector Drive, Casper, Wyoming 82604. Ms Johnson or Mr. Karbs may also be reached at (307) 261-7600.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** A maintenance tract is a parcel of land

containing Federal coal reserves that can be leased to maintain production at an existing mine. The BLM received four Federal coal LBAs for use as maintenance tracts in Campbell County, Wyoming.

On June 6, 2004, RAG Wyoming Land Company (RAG) applied for a maintenance coal lease tract of approximately 1,578.74 acres (approximately 200 million tons of in-place coal) adjacent to the Belle Ayr Mine. RAG subsequently sold the Belle Ayr Mine and its associated interests to Foundation Coal Holdings, Inc. (Foundation). From this point forward, the applicant for the Belle Ayr North Tract will be referred to as Foundation. The tract, which is referred to as the Belle Ayr North Tract, has been assigned case number WYW161248. The Belle Ayr North Tract includes the following lands in Campbell County, Wyoming:

- T. 48 N., R. 71 W., 6th PM, Wyoming  
 Section 18: Lots 17, 18, 19 (W $\frac{1}{2}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ );  
 Section 19: Lots 5 through 19;  
 Section 20: Lots 3 (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), 4 (W $\frac{1}{2}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ),  
 5, 6, 7 (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ), 9 (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ), 10 through 16;  
 Section 21: Lots 13, 14;  
 Section 28: Lots 3 through 6;  
 Section 29: Lots 1, 6;  
 T. 48 N., R. 72 W., 6th PM, Wyoming  
 Section 24: Lots 1, 8.  
 Containing 1,578.74 acres, more or less.

Foundation proposes to mine the tract as a part of the Belle Ayr Mine. At the 2006 mining rate of 24.6 million tons per year, the coal included in the Belle Ayr North Tract would extend the life of the Belle Ayr Mine by as many as 8 years.

On February 10, 2006, Ark Land Company (Ark) applied for a maintenance coal tract of approximately 1,151 acres (approximately 57 million tons of in-place coal) adjacent to the Coal Creek Mine. The tract, which is referred to as the West Coal Creek Tract, has been assigned case number WYW172585. The West Coal Creek Tract includes the following lands in Campbell County, Wyoming:

- T. 46 N., R. 70 W., 6th PM, Wyoming  
 Section 18: Lots 14 through 17;  
 Section 19: Lots 7 through 10, 15 through 18;  
 Section 30: Lots 5 through 20.  
 Containing 1,151.26 acres, more or less.

Ark's subsidiary, Thunder Basin Coal Company, proposes to mine the tract as a part of the Coal Creek Mine. At the 2006 mining rate of 4.2 million tons per year, the coal included in the West Coal Creek Tract would extend the life of the Coal Creek Mine by as many as 13 years.

On March 15, 2006, Caballo Coal Company (Caballo) applied for a

maintenance coal tract of approximately 777.485 acres (approximately 87.5 million tons of in-place coal) adjacent to the Caballo Mine. The tract, which is referred to as the Caballo West Tract, has been assigned case number WYW172585. The Caballo West Tract includes the following lands in Campbell County, Wyoming:

- T. 48 N., R. 71 W., 6th PM, Wyoming  
 Section 7: Lots 12, 19;  
 Section 8: Lot 10;  
 Section 17: Lots 1 through 10, 11 (N $\frac{1}{2}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), 12 (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), 15 (N $\frac{1}{2}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), 16;  
 Section 18: Lots 5, 12 (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ );  
 Section 20: Lots 1, 2 (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), 8 (N $\frac{1}{2}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ).  
 Containing 777.485 acres, more or less.

Caballo proposes to mine the tract as a part of the Caballo Mine. At the 2006 mining rate of 39 million tons per year, the coal included in the Caballo West Tract would extend the life of the Caballo Mine by as many as 2.2 years.

On September 1, 2006, Cordero Mining Company (Cordero) applied for a maintenance coal tract of approximately 4,653.80 acres (approximately 483 million tons of in-place coal) adjacent to the Cordero Rojo Mine. The tract, which is referred to as the Maysdorf II Tract, has been assigned case number WYW173360. The Maysdorf II Tract includes the following lands in Campbell County, Wyoming:

- T. 46 N., R. 71 W., 6th PM, Wyoming  
 Section 4: Lots 8, 9, 16, 17;  
 Section 5: Lots 5, 12, 13, 20;  
 Section 9: Lots 6 through 8;  
 Section 10: Lots 7 through 10;  
 Section 11: Lots 13 through 16;  
 T. 47 N., R. 71 W., 6th PM, Wyoming  
 Section 7: Lots 6 through 11, 14 through 19;  
 Section 17: Lots 1 through 15, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ;  
 Section 18: Lots 5 through 14, 19, 20;  
 Section 20: Lots 1, 8, 9, 16;  
 Section 21: Lots 4, 5, 12, 13;  
 Section 28: Lots 4, 5, 12, 13;  
 Section 29: Lots 1, 8, 9, 16;  
 Section 32: Lots 1, 8, 9, 16;  
 Section 33: Lots 4, 5, 12, 13;  
 T. 47 N., R. 72 W., 6th PM, Wyoming  
 Section 12: Lots 1 through 16;  
 Section 13: Lots 1 through 8.  
 Containing 4,653.80 acres, more or less.

Cordero proposes to mine the tract as a part of the Cordero Rojo Mine. At the 2006 mining rate of 39.7 million tons per year, the coal included in the Maysdorf II Tract would extend the life of the Cordero Rojo Mine by as many as 12 years.

Lands in the Belle Ayr North, West Coal Creek, and Caballo West Tracts contain private surface estate overlying the Federal coal. Lands in the Maysdorf II Tract contain private and Federal surface estate overlying the Federal coal. The Federal surface is administered by BLM.

The Belle Ayr Mine, Coal Creek Mine, Caballo Mine, and Cordero Rojo Mine are operating under approved mining permits from the Land Quality and Air Quality Divisions of the Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality.

The Powder River Regional Coal Team recommended that BLM process these four coal lease applications after they reviewed the Belle Ayr North Tract at a public meeting held on April 24, 2005, in Gillette, Wyoming, and the West Coal Creek, Caballo West, and Maysdorf II Tracts at a public meeting held on April 19, 2006, in Casper, Wyoming.

The Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSM) will be a cooperating agency in the preparation of the EIS. If the four tracts are leased to the applicants, the new leases must be incorporated into the existing mining and reclamation plans for the adjacent mines. Before the Federal coal in each tract can be mined, the Secretary of the Interior must approve the revised MLA mining plan for the mine in which each tract will be included. The OSM is the Federal agency that is responsible for recommending approval, approval with conditions, or disapproval of the revised MLA mining plan to the Office of the Secretary of the Interior. Other cooperating agencies may be identified during the scoping process.

The BLM will provide interested parties the opportunity to submit comments or relevant information or both. This information will help the BLM identify issues to be considered in preparing the South Gillette Area Coal EIS. Issues that have been identified in analyzing the impacts of previous Federal coal leasing actions in the Wyoming Powder River Basin (PRB) include the need for resolution of conflicts between existing and proposed oil and gas development and coal mining on the tracts proposed for coal leasing; potential impacts to big game herds and hunting; potential impacts to sage-grouse; potential impacts to listed Threatened and Endangered Species; potential health impacts related to blasting operations conducted by the mines to remove overburden and coal; the need to consider the cumulative impacts of coal leasing decisions combined with other existing and proposed development in the Wyoming PRB; and potential site-specific and cumulative impacts on air and water quality.

Your response is important and will be considered in the EIS process. If you do respond, we will keep you informed of the availability of environmental

documents that address impacts that might occur from this proposal.

Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Dated: February 21, 2007.

**Donald A. Simpson,**

*Associate State Director.*

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## INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

### Agency Form Submitted for OMB Review

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** In accordance with the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Commission has submitted a request for emergency processing for review and clearance of questionnaires to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). The Commission has requested OMB approval of this submission by COB April 16, 2007.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* March 21, 2007.

*Purpose of Information Collection:* The forms are for use by the Commission in connection with investigation No. 332-480, Certain Textile Articles: Travel Goods of Textile Materials, instituted under section 332(g) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1332(g)) at the request of the House Committee on Ways and Means. The Commission expects to deliver its report to the Committee by October 25, 2007.

### Summary of Proposal

(1) *Number of forms submitted:* two.

(2) *Title of form:* Questionnaire for U.S. Producers of Travel Goods with an Outer Surface of Textile Materials; Questionnaire for U.S. Producers of Textile Materials for Use in Travel Goods with an Outer Surface of Textile Materials.

(3) *Type of request:* New.

(4) *Frequency of use:* Single data gathering, scheduled for 2007.

(5) *Description of respondents:* U.S. firms that produce travel goods with an

outer surface of textile materials, and U.S. firms that produce textile materials for use in travel goods with an outer surface of textile materials.

(6) *Estimated number of respondents:* 127 (Producer travel goods questionnaire). 39 (Producer textile materials questionnaire).

(7) *Estimated total number of hours for all respondents to complete the forms:* 1074 hours.

(8) Information obtained from the form that qualifies as confidential business information will be so treated by the Commission and not disclosed in a manner that would reveal the individual operations of a firm.

*Additional Information or Comment:* Copies of the forms and supporting documents may be obtained from the Commission's Web site at [http://www.usitc.gov/ind\\_econ\\_ana/research\\_ana/outerwear.htm](http://www.usitc.gov/ind_econ_ana/research_ana/outerwear.htm), or from Kimberlie Freund, Co-Project Leader (202-708-5402; [kimberlie.freund@usitc.gov](mailto:kimberlie.freund@usitc.gov)) or Heidi Colby-Oizumi, Co-Project Leader, (202-205-3391; [heidi.colby@usitc.gov](mailto:heidi.colby@usitc.gov)), of the Office of Industries. Comments about the proposals should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Room 10102 (Docket Library), Washington, DC 20503, *Attention:* Docket Librarian. All comments should be specific, indicating which part of the questionnaire is objectionable, describing the concern in detail, and including specific suggested revisions or language changes. Copies of any comments should be provided to Robert Rogowsky, Director, Office of Operations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20436, who is the Commission's designated Senior Official under the Paperwork Reduction Act.

Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Secretary at 202-205-2000. Hearing impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting our TTD terminal (telephone no. 202-205-1810). General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its Internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov>).

By order of the Commission.

Issued: March 26, 2007.

**Marilyn R. Abbott,**

*Secretary to the Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980

Notice is hereby given that on March 15, 2007 a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Charles E. Carlson, Front Range Royalties, Ltd., and Frontenac Mining, Ltd.*, Civil Action No. 06-cv-00275-WYD-MEH was lodged with the United States District Court for the District of Colorado.

In this action the United States brought claims under Sections 107 and 113(g) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 ("CERCLA"), as amended, 42 U.S.C. 9607 and 9613(g), seeking the recovery of costs incurred and to be incurred by the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") in response to releases or threatened releases of hazardous substances at and from the property owned by the Defendants within the Clear Creek Superfund Site, in Gilpin County, Colorado. The ability-to-pay consent decree resolves claims related to acidic drainage and metals loading into Clear Creek resulting from past mining operations on property owned by the defendants. The consent decree, among other things, provides EPA with access to and use of the defendants' property for remedial purposes and requires defendants to sell certain properties and to remit to EPA a percentage of the net sale proceeds up to the judgment amount of up to \$200,000.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to the consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, and either e-mailed to [pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov](mailto:pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov) or mailed to P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611, and should refer to *United States v. Charles E. Carlson, Front Range Royalties, Ltd., and Frontenac Mining, Ltd.*, Civil Action No. 06-cv-00275-WYD-MEH, D.J. Ref. 90-11-3-08439.

The consent decree may be examined at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 8, 1595 Wynkoop Street, Denver, CO 80202-1129. During the public comment period, the consent decree, may also be examined on the following Department of Justice Web site, to <http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/>