

BLM is not a party to any 1031 Exchange.

In the event of a sale, the unreserved mineral interests will be conveyed simultaneously with the sale of the land. These unreserved mineral interests have been determined to have no known mineral value pursuant to 43 CFR 2720.0–6 and 2720.2(a).

Acceptance of the sale offer will constitute an application for conveyance of those unreserved mineral interests. The purchaser will be required to pay a \$50 non-refundable filing fee for conveyance of the available mineral interests. In accordance with BLM's authority to conduct direct sales, BLM is borrowing some of the competitive bid procedures as set forth below. The purchaser will have until 4 p.m., Pacific Time, 30 days from the date of receiving the sale offer to accept the offer and submit a deposit of 20 percent of the purchase price, the \$50 filing fee for conveyance of mineral interests, and payment of publication costs to the Las Vegas Field Office. The purchaser must remit the remainder of the purchase price within 180 days from the date of receiving the sale offer to the Las Vegas Field Office. Payments must be received by certified check, postal money order, bank draft, or cashier's check payable to the U.S. Department of the Interior—BLM. Failure to meet conditions established for this sale will void the sale and any monies received will be forfeited. Arrangements for electronic fund transfer to BLM for the balance due shall be made a minimum of two weeks prior to the date you wish to make payment.

The BLM may accept or reject any or all offers to purchase any parcel, or may withdraw any parcel of land or interest therein from sale, if, in the opinion of the authorized officer, consummation of the sale would not be fully consistent with the FLPMA or other applicable laws or is determined to not be in the public interest.

**Public Comments:** The parcel of land will not be offered for sale prior to 60 days from the date of publication of this notice. For a period until *July 7, 2008*, interested parties may submit written comments to the Las Vegas Field Office. Only written comments submitted by postal service or overnight mail will be considered as properly filed. Electronic mail, facsimile, or telephone comments will not be considered comments as properly filed.

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.

Any adverse comments regarding the proposed sale will be reviewed by the BLM Nevada State Director, who may sustain, vacate, or modify this realty action. In the absence of timely filed objections, this realty action will become the final determination of the Department of the Interior.

**Authority:** 43 CFR 2711.

Dated: May 12, 2008.

**Mary Jo Rugwell,**

*Las Vegas Field Office Manager.*

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## INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY AND WATER COMMISSION, UNITED STATES AND MEXICO

### United States Section; Notice of Availability of the Revised Record of Decision for the Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for International Boundary and Water Commission Clean Water Act Compliance at the South Bay International Wastewater Treatment Plant, San Diego County, CA

**AGENCY:** United States Section, International Boundary and Water Commission (USIBWC).

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of the Revised Record of Decision for the Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement.

**SUMMARY:** On September 30, 2005, the USIBWC issued a Record of Decision (“ROD”) which selected Alternative 4, Treatment Option C, Discharge Option 1 (Operation of SBIWTP as Advance Primary Facility, Secondary Treatment in Mexico) as the means for achieving CWA compliance at the SBIWTP. Reevaluation of alternatives for achieving compliance was prompted by the inability to timely implement the selected alternative and by changes in financial considerations relevant to the decision of whether to provide secondary treatment in Mexico or in the United States. After reevaluation, the USIBWC has decided to upgrade the SBIWTP to secondary treatment in the United States (Secondary Treatment in the United States, Alternative 5, Option B–2, Activated Sludge with Expanded Capacity) to achieve compliance with the CWA and the NPDES permit. This Revised Record of Decision reflects the

results of the reevaluation and was prepared in compliance with 40 CFR 1505.2.

**DATES:** The Revised ROD for the Final SEIS was made available to agencies, organizations and the general public on May 15, 2008. A copy of the Revised ROD for the Final SEIS was posted on the USIBWC Web site at [http://www.ibwc.gov/Files/ROD\\_sbiwtp\\_2008.pdf](http://www.ibwc.gov/Files/ROD_sbiwtp_2008.pdf).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Daniel Borunda, Environmental Protection Specialist, Environmental Management Division, USIBWC, 4171 North Mesa Street, C–100, El Paso, Texas 79902 or e-mail: [danielborunda@ibwc.gov](mailto:danielborunda@ibwc.gov).

Dated: May 16, 2008.

**Susan E. Daniel,**

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## INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation Nos. 731–TA–1114 and 1115 (Final)]

### Certain Steel Nails From China and the United Arab Emirates

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

**ACTION:** Revised schedule for the subject investigations.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 15, 2008.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Fred Ruggles (202–205–3187), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202–205–1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202–205–2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov>). The public record for these investigations may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at <http://edis.usitc.gov>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On February 8, 2008, the Commission established a schedule for the conduct of the final phase of the subject investigations (73 FR 7590). The Commission is hereby revising its schedule.

The Commission's new schedule for the investigations is as follows: requests to appear at the hearing must be filed with the Secretary to the Commission not later than June 5, 2008; the prehearing conference will be held at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building at 9:30 a.m. on June 9, 2008; the hearing will be held at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building at 9:30 a.m. on June 11, 2008; and the deadline for filing posthearing briefs is June 18, 2008.

For further information concerning these investigations see the Commission's notice cited above and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 201, subparts A through E (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A and C (19 CFR part 207).

**Authority:** These investigations are being conducted under authority of title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930; this notice is published pursuant to section 207.21 of the Commission's rules.

By order of the Commission.

Issued: May 16, 2008.

**Marilyn R. Abbott,**

*Secretary to the Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of the Availability of the Record of Decision Concerning a Proposal To Award a Contract to House Federal Detainees Within a Contractor-Owned/Contractor-Operated Detention Facility in the Las Vegas, NV, Area

**AGENCY:** U.S. Department of Justice, Office of the Federal Detention Trustee.

**ACTION:** Notice of a Record of Decision.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Justice, Office of the Federal Detention Trustee (OFDT) announces the availability of the Record of Decision (ROD) concerning the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for a proposal to award a contract to house federal detainees within a Contractor-Owned/Contractor-Operated detention facility in the Las Vegas, Nevada, area.

#### Background Information

Pursuant to section 102, 42 U.S.C. 4332, of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, as amended and the Council of Environmental Quality Regulations (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508), the OFDT, together with the U.S. Marshals Service (USMS), prepared Draft and Final EISs concerning a proposal to award a contract to house

federal detainees within a Contractor-Owned/Contractor-Operated detention facility in the Las Vegas, Nevada, area.

#### Project Information

During the past two decades, the federal detainee population has experienced unprecedented growth as a result of expanded federal law enforcement initiatives and resources. During this time, the federal detainee population has increased by over 1,000 percent from approximately 3,000 in 1981 to 55,000 to 60,000 today with continued growth in the federal detainee population expected for the foreseeable future. These prisoners are housed in a combination of local, state, federal and private facilities around the country. The growth in the detainee population is occurring at the same time that available bedspace in local jails is decreasing. Local jail space is increasingly needed to house local offenders, leaving less space available for the contractual accommodation of federal detainees. These trends are expected to continue and present a major challenge for those federal agencies responsible for detaining prisoners.

Housing the growing number of federal detainees within the Las Vegas, Nevada, area is considered to be an especially important priority. The high level of federal law enforcement activity in the western United States in general and the Las Vegas metropolitan area in particular requires more beds than are readily available in local or state facilities. Compounding the challenge faced by the USMS is the need for detention facilities to be located near federal courthouses so as to allow the USMS to transport detainees accused of violating federal laws for court appearances. In response to this need, the OFDT, with the support and assistance of the USMS, is seeking to contract for a Contractor-Owned/Contractor-Operated facility to house detained individuals charged with federal offenses and while awaiting trial or sentencing.

In 2007, in response to the need, the OFDT solicited proposals from contractors interested in housing individuals charged with federal offenses and while awaiting trial or sentencing. At that time, preparation of a Draft EIS to analyze the potential environmental consequences of such an action was also undertaken. A Draft EIS was subsequently published on December 23, 2007 which assessed the environmental consequences associated with housing approximately 1,000 to 1,500 federal detainees within a Contractor-Owned/Contractor-Operated

detention facility in the Las Vegas, Nevada, area. Implementation of the proposed action would allow federal detainees to be housed at a facility located in proximity to the United States Courthouse in Las Vegas while meeting the need for expanded bedspace capacity. Alternative actions have been evaluated, including the No Action alternative, as stipulated by the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended.

Five prospective detention contractors initially offered 11 alternative sites in Nevada and Arizona for development of a Contractor-Owned/Contractor-Operated detention facility with several of the alternative sites offered by more than one contractor. Ten of the 11 sites were found to be located within a 75-mile radius of the United States Courthouse in downtown Las Vegas, Nevada. The 75-mile radius was among several minimum solicitation requirements and, hence, one of the 11 sites, located near the City of Kingman in Mohave County, Arizona, was eliminated from further consideration. Prior to preparation of the Draft EIS, six of the 10 alternative sites located within the 75-mile radius were subsequently withdrawn from further consideration by the prospective contractors. Four sites (the 630 East Parque Avenue Site, the 2250 East Mesquite Avenue Site, the Apex Industrial Use Zone Site A, and the Moapa Site) were determined to be alternatives worthy of consideration and were evaluated in the Draft EIS. Following publication of the Draft EIS, the Apex Industrial Use Zone Site A was also withdrawn from further consideration to house federal detainees, leaving three prospective contractors and three alternative sites.

The agency preferred alternative is to contract for provision of a Contractor-Owned/Contractor-Operated detention facility to house approximately 1,000 to 1,500 federal detainees at the 2250 East Mesquite Avenue Site located in Pahrump, Nevada. Implementation of the proposed action to award a contract to house federal detainees is expected to result in less-than-significant impacts to the project site and the community surrounding the selected site. Beneficial impacts would be derived from the proposed action, including contributions toward protecting society and achieving the goals of the U.S. Department of Justice.

A Draft EIS was issued on December 23, 2007, coinciding with publication of the Notice of Availability (NOA) in the **Federal Register** (72 FR 72707). The NOA provided for a 45-day public comment period which began on December 23, 2007, and ended on