DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Office of the Secretary
Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor Commission Meeting
AGENCY: Department of Interior, Office of the Secretary.
ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces an upcoming meeting of the Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor Commission. Notice of this meeting is required under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463).

Meeting Date and Time: Friday, December 10, 1999; 1–4 p.m.
Address: Hotel Bethlehem, 437 Main Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018.

The agenda for the meeting will focus on implementation of the Management Action Plan for the Delaware and Lehigh National Heritage Corridor and State Heritage Park. The Commission was established to assist the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and its political subdivisions in planning and implementing an integrated strategy for protecting and promoting cultural, historic and natural resources. The Commission reports to the Secretary of the Interior and to Congress.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor Commission was established by Public Law 100–692, November 18, 1988 and extended through Public Law 105–355, November 13, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: C. Allen Sachse, Executive Director, Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor Commission, 10 E. Church Street, Room A–208, Bethlehem, PA 18018, (610) 861–9345.

Dated: November 22, 1999.

C. Allen Sachse,
Executive Director, Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor Commission.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Fish and Wildlife Service
Notice of 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.).

Applicant: African Lion Safari & Game Farm Ltd, Ontario, Canada.
Permit No. TE–817217, 817258, 018894, 018895, 018896, 018897.

Applicant: Lisa Bailey Comeaux, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN. PRT–018592.

The applicant requests a permit to import and re-export captive born and wild Asian elephants (Elephas maximus) and progeny of the animals currently held by the applicant and any animals acquired in interstate commerce in the United States by the applicant to enhance the survival of the species through conservation education. This notification covers activities conducted by the applicant over a three year period.


The applicant requests a permit to import one captive born male black and white ruffed lemur (Lemur variegatus) from the Mulhouse Zoologique Botanique Parc, Mulhouse, France, for the purpose of captive propagation and acclimatization for possible release to the wild for the enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Gladys Porter Zoo, Brownsville, TX. PRT–018992.

The applicant requests a permit to import one male and two female Philippine crocodiles (Crocodylus mindorensis) from the Crocodile Farming Institute, Puerto Princesa, Philippines, for the purpose of a cooperative global effort to maintain genetic diversity in the captive population.

Applicant: Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Garden, Cincinnati, OH. PRT–018120.

The applicant requests a permit to import ten captive born Chinese giant salamanders (Andrias davidianus) from Mr. Thomas Schoettler, Germany, for the purpose of enhancing the captive breeding program and producing a sustainable captive born population in North America.


The applicant requests a permit to import one female captive born Siberian tiger (Panthera tigris altaica) from the Sankt Peterburg Zoo, Sankt Peterburg, Russia for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through captive propagation.

Applicant: Center for Endangered Cats, Sandstone, MN. PRT–019526.

The applicant requests a permit to export and re-import captive born and wild snow leopards (Uncia uncia) and progeny of the animals currently held by the applicant and any animals acquired in the United States by the applicant to/from worldwide locations to enhance the survival of the species through conservation education. This notification covers activities conducted by the applicant over a three year period.

Applicant: EcoPlan Associates, Inc., Mesa, Arizona
Permit No. TE–830213

Applicant requests authorization for the following endangered species permit applications.

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

Permit No. TE–830213
Applicant: EcoPlan Associates, Inc., Mesa, Arizona

Applicant requests authorization for scientific research and recovery purposes to conduct presence/absence surveys for the following endangered and threatened species in Arizona.
Black-footed ferret (Mustela nigripes)
Hualapai Mexican vole (Microtus mexicanus hualapaiensis)
Jaguar (Panthera onca)