DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Notice of Receipt of Applications for Permit

Endangered Species

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: Robert G. Pali, Laverock, PA, PRT-031956

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (Damaliscus pygargus dorcas) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: White Rain A and B, Inc., Prosperity, SC, PRT-027204

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (Damaliscus pygargus dorcas) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Adam Radolinski, South Hales, NY, PRT-031958

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (Damaliscus pygargus dorcas) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Cleveland Metroparks Zoo, Cleveland, N.Y., PRT-024712

The applicant has requested amendment to their application for which notice was published on April 13, 2000/Vol. 65, No. 72, page 19918. The applicant wishes to increase the number of Kihansi River Gorge area of Tanzania for the purpose of propagation for the enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Cleveland Metroparks Zoo, Cleveland, N.Y., PRT-032484

The applicant has requested amendment to their application for which notice was published on April 13, 2000/Vol. 65, No. 72, page 19918. The applicant wishes to increase the number of Kihansi River Gorge area of Tanzania for the purpose of propagation for the enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Horst J. Baier, Miami Beach, FL, for a permit (PRT-029703) to import a sport-hunted polar bear (Ursus maritimus) trophy, taken from the Southern Beaufort Sea polar bear population, Canada for personal use.

Applicant: W. Stephen Hindman, St. Louis, MO, for a permit (PRT-027204) to import a sport-hunted polar bear (Ursus maritimus) trophy, taken from the Northern Beaufort Sea polar bear population, Canada for personal use.

Applicant: David B. Hartman, Canfield, OH, for a permit (PRT-026772) to import a sport-hunted polar bear (Ursus maritimus) trophy, taken from the Southern Beaufort Sea polar bear population, Canada for personal use.

Notice is hereby given that on August 9, 2000, as authorized by the provisions of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 et seq.) the Fish and Wildlife Service authorized the requested permit subject to certain conditions set forth therein.

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Issuance of Permit for Marine Mammals

On May 22, 2000, a notice was published in the Federal Register, Vol. 65, No. 99, Page 32121, that an application had been filed with the Fish and Wildlife Service by Darrell W. Hindman, St. Louis, MO, for a permit (PRT-027204) to import a sport-hunted polar bear (Ursus maritimus) trophy, taken from the McClintock Channel polar bear population, Canada for personal use.

Notice is hereby given that on August 9, 2000, as authorized by the provisions of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 et seq.) the Fish and Wildlife Service authorized the requested permit subject to certain conditions set forth therein.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Atlantic Coastal Fisheries Cooperative Management Act Coordination Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Atlantic Coastal Fisheries Cooperative Management Act Coordination Committee. The meeting topics are identified in the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.

DATES: The Atlantic Coastal Fisheries Cooperative Management Act Coordination Committee will meet from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 25, 2000, and is open to the public.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Room 800, Arlington, Virginia.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Public Law 103–206, as amended,
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[Bureau of Land Management]

[SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) will be moving into a new office space in Salmon, Idaho effective October 2, 2000. The office will be located in the current Salmon-Challis National Forest building. The new address for BLM will be Rural Route 2, Box 600, Salmon, Idaho 83467. Also effective October 2, 2000, the main telephone number for BLM’s Salmon office will be changed to 208-756-5100. Phone numbers for individual employees will be unchanged.]

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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Acting District Manager.

[DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR]

Bureau of Land Management

[Agency: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.]

Notice of Realty Action; Bureau Motion; Recreation and Public Purposes (R&PP) Act Classification; Arizona

[AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The following public lands in Pima County, Arizona have been examined and found suitable for classification for lease or conveyance to the Pima County Board of Supervisors, a political subdivision, under the provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, as amended (43 U.S.C. 869 et seq.). The Pima County Board of Supervisors proposes to use the lands for a recreational park.

Gila and Salt River Meridian, Arizona

T. 15 S., R. 12 E., Sec. 7, lots 5 to 20, inclusive. The area described contains 80.43 acres.

This action is a motion by the Bureau of Land Management to make available lands identified and designated as disposal lands under the Safford District Resource Management Plan, dated August 1991, and are not needed for Federal purposes. Lease or conveyance is consistent with current BLM land use planning and would be in the public interest. Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Tucson Field Office, 12661 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona.

The lease/patent when issued will be subject to the following terms, conditions and reservations:

1. Provisions of the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and all applicable regulations of the Secretary of the Secretary of the Interior.
2. A right-of-way for ditches and canals constructed by the authority of the United States.
3. All minerals shall be reserved to the United States together with the right to prospect for, mine and remove the minerals.
5. A right-of-way under the Act of October 21, 1976; 90 Stat. 2776; 43 U.S.C. 1761 for road purposes granted in accordance with the transportation plan for Pima County to Pima County Transportation and Flood Control (AZA 18432).
6. All valid existing rights documented on the official public land records at the time of lease/patent issuance.

Detailed information concerning this action is available for review at the Bureau of Land Management, Tucson Field Office, 12661 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona. Upon publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the lands will be segregated from all other forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the general mining laws, except for lease or conveyance under the Recreation and Public Purposes Act and leasing under the mineral leasing laws. For a period of 45 days from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register, interested persons may submit comments regarding the proposed lease/conveyance or classification of the lands to the Field Manager, Tucson Field Office, 12661 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona 85748.

CONSIDERATION: Interested persons may submit comments involving the suitability of the land for a public park. Comments on the classification are restricted to whether the land is physically suited for the proposal, whether the use will maximize the future use or uses of the land, whether the use is consistent with local planning and zoning, or if the use is consistent with State and Federal programs.

APPLICATION COMMENTS: Interested parties may submit comments regarding the specific use proposed in the application and plan of development, whether the BLM followed proper administrative procedures in reaching the decision, or any other factor not directly related to the suitability of the land for a public park.

Any adverse comments will be reviewed by the State Director. In the absence of any adverse comments, the classification will become effective 60 days from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register.


Jesse J. Juen,

Field Office Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Minerals Management Service

Announcement of Invitation for Bids on Oil from Federal Properties in the Gulf of Mexico

[AGENCY: Minerals Management Service (MMS), Interior.]

[DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR]