DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Fish and Wildlife Service

Fayetteville/Greenville Expansion Project, Texas Gas Transmission, LLC, Right-of-Way Permit Application To Cross Hillside National Wildlife Refuge, Holmes County, MS; Withdrawal

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of right-of-way permit application; withdrawal.

SUMMARY: We, the Fish and Wildlife Service, published a notice requesting public comments on a right-of-way (ROW) permit application we received from Texas Gas Transmission, LLC (Texas Gas), to install a natural gas pipeline under lands within Hillside National Wildlife Refuge (NWR) in Holmes County, MS. The company chose an alternate route that bypasses Hillside NWR and no longer seeks a ROW permit from us, and has withdrawn its application. Therefore, we are not seeking comments on the application.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ken Clough, Fish and Wildlife Service, 6578 Dogwood View Parkway, Jackson, MS 39213; by facsimile to (601) 965–4010; or by e-mail to ken_clough@fws.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On November 3, 2008, we published a Federal Register notice (73 FR 65391) announcing the availability of an application for a ROW permit by Texas Gas to install a natural gas pipeline under lands within Hillside NWR. The application was made available for a 30-day review and comment period. Because Texas Gas has abandoned the route that would have crossed the refuge in favor of an alternate route which bypasses the refuge, the review and comment period has been cancelled.

Authority: We publish this notice under 30 U.S.C. 185 (k).


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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Correction to Notice of Availability of the Additional Air Quality Impact Assessment To Support the Little Snake Draft Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement (RMP/EIS), Moffat and Routt Counties, CO

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of correction.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) announced a Notice of Availability in the Federal Register (73 FR 60321) on October 10, 2008, that had incorrect information in the DATES section. The October 10, 2008, Notice of Availability incorrectly indicated that the BLM would receive written comments on the Additional Air Quality Impact Assessment within 45 days following the date the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) published their Notice of Availability in the Federal Register. The EPA was not required, nor did it intend to publish such a notice of availability. Therefore, the BLM is publishing this notice of correction to clarify that the BLM will receive written comments on the Additional Air Quality Impact Assessment within 45 days following the date that this notice of correction publishes in the Federal Register.

DATES: To assure that they will be considered, the BLM must receive written comments on the Air Quality Impact Assessment by January 5, 2009. Additional announcements are being made through local media news releases and information will be posted on the Little Snake Resource Management Plan Web site: http://www.co.blm.gov/lsra/rmp.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jeremy Casterson, Planning and Environmental Coordinator, BLM—Little Snake Field Office, 455 Emerson St., Craig, CO 81625. Phone: (970) 826–5071. E-mail: Jeremy_Casterson@blm.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Land Management

Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Newmont Mining Corporation Proposed Emigrant Project Plan of Operations, NV

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability (NOA).

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and 43 CFR Part 3809, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Elko Field Office has prepared with the assistance of a third party contractor, a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) on Newmont Mining Corporation’s proposed Emigrant Project Plan of Operations. The project area is located in Elko County about ten miles south of Carlin, Nevada. The DEIS analyzes potential environmental impacts that could result from the open pit mine project during the projected 10-year operating period. This is the second DEIS issued for this project. The original DEIS was issued March 25, 2005.

DATES: The DEIS is now available for public comment. Written comments on the DEIS will be accepted until January 5, 2009.

ADDRESSES: The public may submit comments by the following methods: Mail: Bureau of Land Management, Elko Field Office, Attn: Emigrant Mine Project Manager, 3900 East Idaho Street, Elko, NV 89801; Fax: (775) 753–0255.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tom Schmidt, Project Manager, Elko Field Office, 3900 East Idaho Street, Elko, NV 89801; (775) 753–0200.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A DEIS for this project was originally issued March 25, 2005. Substantive comments were received on that DEIS. This new DEIS, which incorporates revisions made in response to those comments, is being issued to replace the 2005 DEIS.

Newmont Mining Corporation has submitted a Plan of Operations to open the Emigrant Mine about ten miles south of Carlin, Nevada. Modifications to the proposed plan have been made based upon new information pertinent to the proposed action and its effects. The mine and associated facilities would be located in portions of Sections 24, 26, 34, 36 of T. 32 N., R. 53 E.; and Sections 1, 2, 3, 11, 12, T. 31 N., R 53 E. Mt. Diablo Meridian, Nevada.