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Information Collection Requests

1. *Title:* Carriage of Bulk Solids Requiring Special Handling—46 Code of Federal Regulation Part 148.

OMB Control Number: 1625–0025.

Summary: As specified in 46 Code of Federal Regulation part 148, the application for a Special Permit allows the Coast Guard to determine the manner of safe carriage for unlisted materials. The information required by Dangerous Cargo Manifests and Shipping Papers permit vessel crews and emergency personnel to properly and safely respond to accidents involving hazardous substances. See 46 CFR part 148 Subpart B and §§ 148.60 and 148.70.

Need: The Coast Guard administers and enforces statutes and rules for the safe transport and stowage of hazardous materials, including bulk solids.

Forms: None.

Respondents: Owners and operators of vessels that carry certain bulk solids.

Frequency: On occasion.

Burden Estimate: The estimated burden has increased from 745 hours to 955 hours a year due to an increase in the estimated annual number of responses for Special Permits.

Dated: October 24, 2013.

R.E. Day,

Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Assistant Commandant for Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Information Technology.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

[FWS–HQ–IA–2013–N236;
FXIA1671090000P5–123–FF09A30000]

Endangered Species; Marine Mammals; Receipt of Applications for Permit

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of applications for permit.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, invite the public to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species, marine mammals, or both. With some exceptions, the Endangered Species Act (ESA) and Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA) prohibits activities with listed species unless Federal authorization is acquired that allows such activities.

DATES: We must receive comments or requests for documents on or before December 2, 2013. We must receive requests for marine mammal permit public hearings, in writing, at the address shown in the **ADDRESSES** section by December 2, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Brenda Tapia, Division of Management Authority, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 212, Arlington, VA 22203; fax (703) 358–2280; or email DMAFR@fws.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brenda Tapia, (703) 358–2104 (telephone); (703) 358–2280 (fax); DMAFR@fws.gov (email).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Public Comment Procedures

A. How do I request copies of applications or comment on submitted applications?

Send your request for copies of applications or comments and materials concerning any of the applications to the contact listed under **ADDRESSES**. Please include the **Federal Register** notice publication date, the PRT-number, and the name of the applicant in your request or submission. We will not consider requests or comments sent to an email or address not listed under **ADDRESSES**. If you provide an email address in your request for copies of applications, we will attempt to respond to your request electronically.

Please make your requests or comments as specific as possible. Please confine your comments to issues for which we seek comments in this notice, and explain the basis for your

comments. Include sufficient information with your comments to allow us to authenticate any scientific or commercial data you include.

The comments and recommendations that will be most useful and likely to influence agency decisions are: (1) Those supported by quantitative information or studies; and (2) Those that include citations to, and analyses of, the applicable laws and regulations. We will not consider or include in our administrative record comments we receive after the close of the comment period (see **DATES**) or comments delivered to an address other than those listed above (see **ADDRESSES**).

B. May I review comments submitted by others?

Comments, including names and street addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the street address listed under **ADDRESSES**. The public may review documents and other information applicants have sent in support of the application unless our allowing viewing would violate the Privacy Act or Freedom of Information Act. Before including your address, phone number, email 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.

II. Background

To help us carry out our conservation responsibilities for affected species, and in consideration of section 10(a)(1)(A) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), along with Executive Order 13576, “Delivering an Efficient, Effective, and Accountable Government,” and the President’s Memorandum for the Heads of Executive Departments and Agencies of January 21, 2009—Transparency and Open Government (74 FR 4685; January 26, 2009), which call on all Federal agencies to promote openness and transparency in Government by disclosing information to the public, we invite public comment on these permit applications before final action is taken. Under the MMPA, you may request a hearing on any MMPA application received. If you request a hearing, give specific reasons why a hearing would be appropriate. The holding of such a

hearing is at the discretion of the Service Director.

III. Permit Applications

A. Endangered Species

Applicant: Wildlife Conservation Society, New York, NY; PRT-15467B

The applicant requests a permit to import two captive-bred female snow leopards (*Uncia uncia*) from Zoo Wuppertal and Tiergarten de Stadt, Germany, to the Bronx Zoo for the purpose of enhancement of propagation and survival of the species.

Applicant: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Mexican Wolf Reintroduction Project, Region 2, Albuquerque, NM, PRT-104074

The applicant requests renewal of their permit to export and re-export live Mexican or lobo wolves (*Canis lupus baileyi*) for breeding and reintroduction, as well as the export and re-export of biological samples for genetic studies, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species and scientific research. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Applicant: Linda Pond, Lind, WA; PRT-17878B

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for golden parakeet (*Guarouba guarouba*) to enhance the species' propagation or survival. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Applicant: Hattiesburg Convention Commission (dba Hattiesburg Zoo), Hattiesburg, MS; PRT-18078B

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for the following species, to enhance the species' propagation or survival. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Species:

Ring-tailed lemur (*Lemur catta*)
 Black and white ruffed lemur (*Varecia variegata*)
 Red ruffed lemur (*Varecia rubra*)
 Crowned lemur (*Eulemur coronatus*)
 Black lemur (*Eulemur macaco*)
 Brown lemur (*Eulemur fulvus*)
 Cotton-top tamarin (*Saguinus oedipus*)
 Lion-tailed macaque (*Macaca silenus*)
 Lar gibbon (*Hylobates lar*)
 Leopard (*Panthera pardus*)
 Sumatran tiger (*Panthera tigris sumatrae*)
 Baird's tapir (*Tapirus bairdii*)
 Moluccan cockatoo (*Cacatua moluccensis*)

Galapagos tortoise (*Chelonoidis nigra*)

Radiated tortoise (*Astrochelys radiata*)

Yellow-spotted river turtle (*Podocnemis unifilis*)

Spotted pond turtle (*Geoclemys hamiltonii*)

Nile crocodile (*Crocodylus niloticus*)

Applicant: Jordan Mercer, Micanopy, FL; PRT-18705B

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for radiated tortoise (*Astrochelys radiata*) to enhance the species' propagation or survival. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Applicant: Triple S Wildlife Ranch, Calvin, OK; PRT-18877B

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for scimitar-horned oryx (*Oryx dammah*) and addax (*Addax nasomaculatus*) to enhance the species' propagation or survival. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Applicant: Triple S Wildlife Ranch, Calvin, OK; PRT-18755B

The applicant requests a permit authorizing interstate and foreign commerce, export, and cull of excess scimitar-horned oryx (*Oryx dammah*) and addax (*Addax nasomaculatus*) from the captive herd maintained at their facility, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species. This notification covers activities over a 5-year period.

Applicant: Double B River Ranch, Comanche, TX; PRT-15680B

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for scimitar-horned oryx (*Oryx dammah*) to enhance the species' propagation or survival. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Applicant: Double B River Ranch, Comanche, TX; PRT-15681B

The applicant requests a permit authorizing interstate and foreign commerce, export, and cull of excess scimitar-horned oryx (*Oryx dammah*) from the captive herd maintained at their facility, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species. This notification covers activities over a 5-year period.

Applicant: Tufts University, Medford, MA; PRT-19069B

The applicant requests a permit to import 300 biological samples from captive-held White-breasted thrashers (*Ramphocinclus brachyurus*) for the purpose of scientific research.

Applicant: Tyler Thomas, Alexandria Bay, NY; PRT-18729B

The applicant requests a captive-bred wildlife registration under 50 CFR 17.21(g) for the following species, to enhance the species' propagation or survival. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Species:

Woylie (*Bettongia penicillata*)
 Ring-tailed lemur (*Lemur catta*)
 Black and white ruffed lemur (*Varecia variegata*)
 Red ruffed lemur (*Varecia rubra*)
 Cotton-top tamarin (*Saguinus oedipus*)
 Moluccan cockatoo (*Cacatua moluccensis*)
 Golden parakeet (*Guarouba guarouba*)
 Chinese alligator (*Alligator sinensis*)
 Radiated tortoise (*Astrochelys radiata*)

Applicant: Azlin Taxidermy, Clute, Texas; PRT-02251B

The applicant requests a permit to export the sport-hunted trophies of two scimitar-horned oryx (*Oryx dammah*) and one addax (*Addax nasomaculatus*) culled from a captive herd maintained in the state of Texas for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Azlin Taxidermy, Clute, Texas; PRT-02252B

The applicant requests a permit to export the sport-hunted trophies of one scimitar-horned oryx (*Oryx dammah*) and one addax (*Addax nasomaculatus*) culled from a captive herd maintained in the state of Texas for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Azlin Taxidermy, Clute, Texas; PRT-02253B

The applicant requests a permit to export the sport-hunted trophy of one scimitar-horned oryx (*Oryx dammah*) culled from a captive herd maintained in the state of Texas for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

Applicant: Joseph Nabers, Katy, TX; PRT-19040B

The applicant requests a permit to import a sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) 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.

B. Endangered Marine Mammals and Marine Mammals

Applicant: The Marine Mammal Center, Sausalito, CA; PRT-101713

On November 5, 2012 (77 FR 66476), we published a notice of receipt of this application regarding this applicant's request for a permit to take southern sea otters (*Enhydra lutris nereis*) of all ages and sexes for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species by rescue, rehabilitation, and release of stranded animals. We have received new information and are reopening the comment period. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a 5-year period.

Concurrent with publishing this notice in the **Federal Register**, we are forwarding copies of the above applications to the Marine Mammal Commission and the Committee of Scientific Advisors for their review.

Brenda Tapia,

Program Analyst/Data Administrator, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

[AA-6683-G, AA-6683-A2; LLAk940000-L14100000-HY0000-P]

Alaska Native Claims Selection

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Decision Approving Lands for Conveyance

SUMMARY: As required by 43 CFR 2650.7(d), notice is hereby given that an appealable decision will be issued by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) to Stuyahok, Limited. The decision approves the surface estate in the lands described below for conveyance pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (43 U.S.C. 1601, *et seq.*). The subsurface estate in these lands will be conveyed to Bristol Bay Native Corporation when the surface estate is conveyed to Stuyahok, Limited. The lands are in the vicinity of New Stuyahok, Alaska, and are located in:

Seward Meridian, Alaska

T. 7 S., R. 45 W.,
Sec. 5.

Containing 640 acres.

T. 7 S., R. 48 W.,

Sec. 30.

Containing 476.41 acres.

Aggregating 1,116.41 acres.

Notice of the decision will also be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the *Bristol Bay Times*.

DATES: Any party claiming a property interest in the lands affected by the decision may appeal the decision in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR part 4 within the following time limits:

1. Unknown parties, parties unable to be located after reasonable efforts have been expended to locate, parties who fail or refuse to sign their return receipt, and parties who receive a copy of the decision by regular mail which is not certified, return receipt requested, shall have until December 2, 2013 to file an appeal.

2. Parties receiving service of the decision by certified mail shall have 30 days from the date of receipt to file an appeal.

Parties who do not file an appeal in accordance with the requirements of 43 CFR part 4 shall be deemed to have waived their rights. Notices of appeal transmitted by electronic means, such as facsimile or email, will not be accepted as timely filed.

ADDRESSES: A copy of the decision may be obtained from: Bureau of Land Management, Alaska State Office, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7504.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The BLM by phone at 907-271-5960 or by email at blm_ak_akso_public_room@blm.gov. Persons who use a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 to contact the BLM during normal business hours. In addition, the FIRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message or question with the BLM. The BLM will reply during normal business hours.

Ralph L. Eluska, Sr.,

Land Transfer Resolution Specialist, Division of Lands and Cadastral.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Lobos CO₂ Pipeline Project in Arizona and New Mexico and Amend the Rio Puerco, Roswell, and Socorro Resource Management Plans

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended (NEPA), and the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, as amended (FLPMA), the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Socorro Field Office, Socorro, New Mexico, intends to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) in order to analyze the proposed Lobos carbon dioxide (CO₂) Pipeline Project and consider amendments to the Roswell Resource Management Plan (RMP) (1997), the Rio Puerco RMP (1986), and the Socorro RMP (2010). This notice announces the scoping process to solicit public comments and identifies issues.

DATES: This notice initiates the public scoping process for the RMP amendment with associated EIS. Comments on issues may be submitted in writing until January 29, 2014. The date(s) and location(s) of any scoping meetings will be announced at least 15 days in advance through local news media and the BLM Web site at: <http://www.blm.gov/nm/LobosCO2>. In order to be included in the Draft EIS, all comments must be received prior to the close of the 90-day scoping period or 15 days after the last public meeting, whichever is later. We will provide additional opportunities for public participation as appropriate.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments by any of the following methods:

- *Email:* BLM_NM_SFO_Comments@blm.gov

- *Fax:* 575-835-0223, Attention: Andi Knight

- *Mail:* Bureau of Land Management, Socorro Field Office, Attention: Andi Knight, 901 S. Highway 85, Socorro, NM 87801-4168.

Documents pertinent to this proposal may be examined at the Socorro Field Office at the address above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gregory Helseth, Washington Office Project Manager, at 702-515-5173; or