

notice of its decision in the Federal Register. If FDA grants the petition, the notice will state the issue to be reviewed, the form of the review to be used, the persons who may participate in the review, the time and place where the review will occur, and other details.

Petitioners may, at any time on or before January 10, 1997, file with the Dockets Management Branch (address above) two copies of each petition and supporting data and information, identified with the name of the device and the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document. Received petitions may be seen in the office above between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

This notice is issued under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (secs. 515(d), 520(h) (21 U.S.C. 360e(d), 360j(h))) and under authority delegated to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 5.10) and redelegated to the Director, Center for Devices and Radiological Health (21 CFR 5.53).

Dated: October 24, 1996.

Joseph A. Levitt,

Deputy Director for Regulations Policy, Center for Devices and Radiological Health.

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Health Resources and Services Administration

Advisory Council, Notice of Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463), announcement is made of the following National Advisory body scheduled to meet during the month of January 1997:

Name: Advisory Committee on Infant Mortality.

Date and Time: January 9, 1997, 9:00 a.m.; January 10, 1997, 8:30 a.m.

Place: Radisson Barcelo Hotel, 2121 P Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20037. The meeting is open to the public.

Agenda: Topics that will be discussed include: Updates on the Healthy Start Program, Evaluation, and Media Campaign; the Southern Governor's infant mortality initiatives; and Teenage Pregnancy Prevention Programs.

Anyone requiring information regarding the Committee should contact Dr. Peter van Dyck, Executive Secretary, Advisory Committee on Infant Mortality, Health Resources and Services Administration, Room 18-31, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, Telephone (301) 443-2204.

Persons interested in attending any portion of the meeting or having questions regarding the meeting should contact Ms. Kerry P. Nessler, Maternal and Child Health Bureau,

Health Resources and Services Administration, Telephone (301) 443-2204.

Agenda Items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Dated: December 5, 1996.

Jackie E. Baum,

Advisory Committee Management Officer, HRSA.

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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: Jeffry Eberhart, Dallas, GA, PRT-822430.

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: Dewey Morrison Dalton, Dallas, TX, PRT-822764.

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: Derek Baker, San Jose, CA, PRT-821239.

The applicant amends a request for a permit to import 25 Asian bonytongue (*Scleropages formosus*) from P.S. Bintang Kalbor, Lakimantan, Indonesia for the purpose of survival of the species through propagation. The original request was to import three Asian bonytongue and the notification appeared in the Federal Register Vol. 61, No. 26, page 55013, published October 23, 1996, pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, *as amended* (16 U.S.C. 1531, *et seq.*)

Applicant: Teri Embery, Bartlesville, OK, PRT-822244.

On November 20, 1996, Federal Register/Vol. 61, No. 225, page 59106, column 3, the following notice was published:

The applicant requests a permit for the import of one captive-born female

leopard cat (*Prionailurus b. bengalensis*) from Jungle Cat World, Ontario, Canada for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through propagation.

The animal requested in this application should have been listed as a male.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 430, Arlington, Virginia 22203, and must be received by the Director within 30 days of the date of this publication.

The public is invited to comment on the following application(s) for permits to conduct certain activities with marine mammals. The application(s) was/were submitted to satisfy requirements of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, *as amended* (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*) and the regulations governing marine mammals (50 CFR 18).

Applicant: Point Defiance Zoo and Aquarium, Tacoma, WA, PRT-822531.

Type of Permit: Import for public display.

Name and Number of Animals: Polar Bear (*Ursus maritimus*), 2.

Summary of Activity to be

Authorized: The applicant has requested a permit to import two polar bears presently held at the Calgary Zoo, Canada, which were legally removed from the wild at Churchill, Manitoba.

Source of Marine Mammals for Research/Public Display: Canada.

Period of Activity: Up to five years from issuance of a permit, if issued.

Concurrent with the publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the Office of Management Authority is forwarding copies of this application to the Marine Mammal Commission and the Committee of Scientific Advisors for their review.

Written data or comments, requests for copies of the complete application, or requests for a public hearing on this application should be sent to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Room 430, Arlington, Virginia 22203, telephone 703/358-2104 or fax 703/358-2281 and must be received within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice. Anyone requesting a hearing should give specific reasons why a hearing would be appropriate. The holding of such hearing is at the discretion of the Director.

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, *subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act*, by any party who submits a written request for

a copy of such documents within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice at the above address.

Dated: December 6, 1996.

Mary Ellen Amtower,
Acting Chief, Branch of Permits, Office of Management Authority.

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Bureau of Land Management

[NM-910-07-1020-00]

New Mexico Resource Advisory Council Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of council meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (FACA), 5 U.S.C. Appendix 1, The Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM), announces a meeting of the New Mexico Resource Advisory Council (RAC). The meeting will be held on January 9 and 10, 1997 at the Amberely Suites Hotel, 7620 Pan America Freeway, Albuquerque, NM 87109.

The agenda for the RAC meeting will include agreement on the meeting agenda, any RAC comments on the draft summary minutes of the last RAC meeting of Oct 10-11, 1996 in Albuquerque, NM., briefing on the status of the RAC Standards for Rangeland Health and Guidelines for Livestock Grazing NEPA process, and presentations by Bureau of Land Management staff and RAC members on various resource concerns.

The meeting will begin on January 9, 1997 at 8:00 a.m. The meeting is open to the public. The time for the public to address the RAC is on the Thursday, January 9, 1997, from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. The RAC may reduce or extend the end time of 5:00 p.m. depending on the number of people wishing to address the RAC. The length of time available for each person to address the RAC will be established at the start of the public comment period and will depend on how many people there are that wish to address the RAC. At the completion of the public comments the RAC may continue discussion on its Agenda items.

The meeting on January 10, 1997, will be from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The end time of 4:00 p.m. for the meeting may be changed depending on the work remaining for the RAC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Bob Armstrong, New Mexico State Office, Policy and Planning Team, Bureau of Land Management, 1474 Rodeo Road, P.O. Box 27115, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502-0115, telephone (505) 428-7436.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the Resource Advisory Council is to advise the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with the management of public lands. The Council's responsibilities include providing advice on long range planning, establishing resource management priorities and assisting the BLM to identify State and regional standards for rangeland health and guidelines for grazing management.

Dated: November 27, 1996.

William C. Calkins,
State Director.

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[AZ-910-0777-61-241A]

State of Arizona Resource Advisory Council Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Arizona Resource Advisory Council Meeting, notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the seventh meeting of the Arizona Resource Advisory Council. The meeting will be held January 9, 1997, beginning at 8:30 a.m. in the 1A Conference Room at the Bureau of Land Management Arizona State Office, 222 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona. The agenda items to be covered at the one-day business meeting include review of previous meeting minutes, and reports to the Council on the Standards and Guidelines statewide plan amendment, proposed Lake Havasu planning process, recreation fee program, statewide land exchange effort, and the Arizona State Office Public Information Center. In addition, the Recreation and Public Relations subgroups will report on current activities. A public comment period will take place at 11:30 a.m. January 9, 1997 for any interested publics who wish to address the Council.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Deborah Stevens or Ken Mahoney, Bureau of Land Management, Arizona State Office, 222 North Central Avenue,

Phoenix, Arizona 85004-2203, (602) 417-9512.

Michael A. Ferguson,
Deputy State Director, Resource Planning, Use and Protection Division.

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[NV-930-1430-01; N-47851]

Notice of Realty Action: Sale of Public Land in Lander County, Nevada, by Noncompetitive Sale Procedures

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Direct Sale of Public Lands in Lander County, Nevada.

SUMMARY: The following described land in Lander County, Nevada, has been examined and identified as suitable for disposal by direct sale under Sections 203 and 209 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act (FLPMA) of October 21, 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1713 and 1719) at no less than appraised fair market value:

Mount Diablo Meridian, Nevada

T. 31 N., R. 43 E.,

Section 26, lot 10;

Section 27, lots 31-33, 35, 36, 48-52

Comprising 36.18 acres, more or less.

The above-described lands are hereby classified for disposal in accordance with Executive Order 6910 and the Act of June 28, 1934, as amended.

The land is being offered as a direct sale to the adjacent landowner, Battle Mountain Gold Corporation. The land will not be offered for sale until at least 60 days after the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Judy A. Fry, Realty Specialist, Bureau of Land Management, Battle Mountain Field Office, 50 Bastian Road, P.O. Box 1420, Battle Mountain, NV, 89820, (702) 635-4000.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The land has been identified as suitable for disposal by the Shoshone-Eureka Resource Management Plan. The land is not needed for any resource program and is not suitable for management by the Bureau or another Federal department or agency.

The land to be sold is difficult and uneconomical for the Bureau to manage. It consists of three parcels, two of which are totally surrounded by patented mining claims owned by the sale proponent. The third parcel is bordered on three sides by the proponent's patented claims, and on the fourth by unpatented mining claims held by the proponent.